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Leading chef accepts top role at The Cornwall Hotel Spa & Estate

Tom Bradbury is returning to his St Austell roots and taking up the role of Head Chef at The Cornwall Hotel Spa & Estate, a luxury hotel opening in February 2010.

Tom, of Watergate Bay fame started his career at Catering College in St Austell before following the bright lights of the city to London where he took the position of Commis Chef working for Paul Gayler at the 5-star Lanesborough Hotel at Hyde Park Corner.

Joining the exodus of hot London-based chefs heading southwest Tom headed back to Cornwall after some years in the capital, starting at The Fowey Hotel where he worked for four years as second chef, before accepting the position of Executive Head Chef at The Hotel & Extreme Academy, Watergate Bay. Tom's latest venture at The Cornwall Hotel Spa & Estate will see him taking charge of the kitchen set up and the day to day running of both The Arboretum and Acorns restaurants, overseeing menus, ensuring consistency and productivity.

The latest addition to the Bespoke Hotels collection, The Cornwall Hotel Spa & Estate, due to open on 24th February 2010, is a secluded retreat set in forty three acres of beautiful Victorian parkland and is home not only to a new luxury hotel, but two restaurants, The Clearing Spa, fitness facilities and twenty two luxury woodland homes for sale and holiday rental.

Tom's new role will see him heading up The Arboretum, a fine dining restaurant overlooking the parkland terrace, croquet lawn and sweeping Estate, his skills a welcome culinary treat for residents and locals alike. In addition Tom will provide guidance for Acorns – a family brasserie with a more informal menu serving local, organic and delicious food in a lively atmosphere.

The Cornwall Hotel and Spa offers sixty five bedrooms, including nine bedrooms and suites full of Victorian character and restored original features within the original nineteenth century White House. These are complemented by fifty-six "Woodland Rooms" all with a private balcony in a contemporary and stylish new build, in keeping with the original house and surroundings.



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Notes to editors: The Cornwall Hotel Spa & Estate is located at Tregorrick just a few miles from the Eden Project, The Lost Gardens of Heligan, Mevagissey and the spectacular south Cornish coast. Set in 43 acres of glorious Victorian parkland and woodland, this hidden retreat is home to a luxurious hotel, a state-of-the art spa and 60 architect designed woodland holiday homes. The Cornwall Hotel Spa & Estate is part of the Bespoke Hotels group who manage hotels in the UK. For more information, please visit www.thecornwall.com

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