Truro (648): Opening

Waitrose Truro opened on 16th June 2016. The following appeared in The Gazette at the time.

Way down South: Waitrose Truro opens its doors

Waitrose has opened a new store in Truro this week, marking the first of deveral new branch openings in the coming weeks.

More than 1,400 people applied for the 114 jobs available at the new store, which is Waitrose's second in Cornwall since Saltash opened 16 years ago and is now its most southerly branch.

The new 21,000 sq ft shop shares an entrance with the Great Cornish Food Store which is dedicated entirely to local food and drink, next door.

Waitrose Branch Manager Chris Reynard says: "We are proud to be creating a fantastic destination for people who love great food. This is the realisation of a long standing ambition and to see how it's all come together is extrememly exciting. We cannot wait to welcome our new customers."

It will be followed by new store openings in Solihull on 23 June and Worcester on 30 June