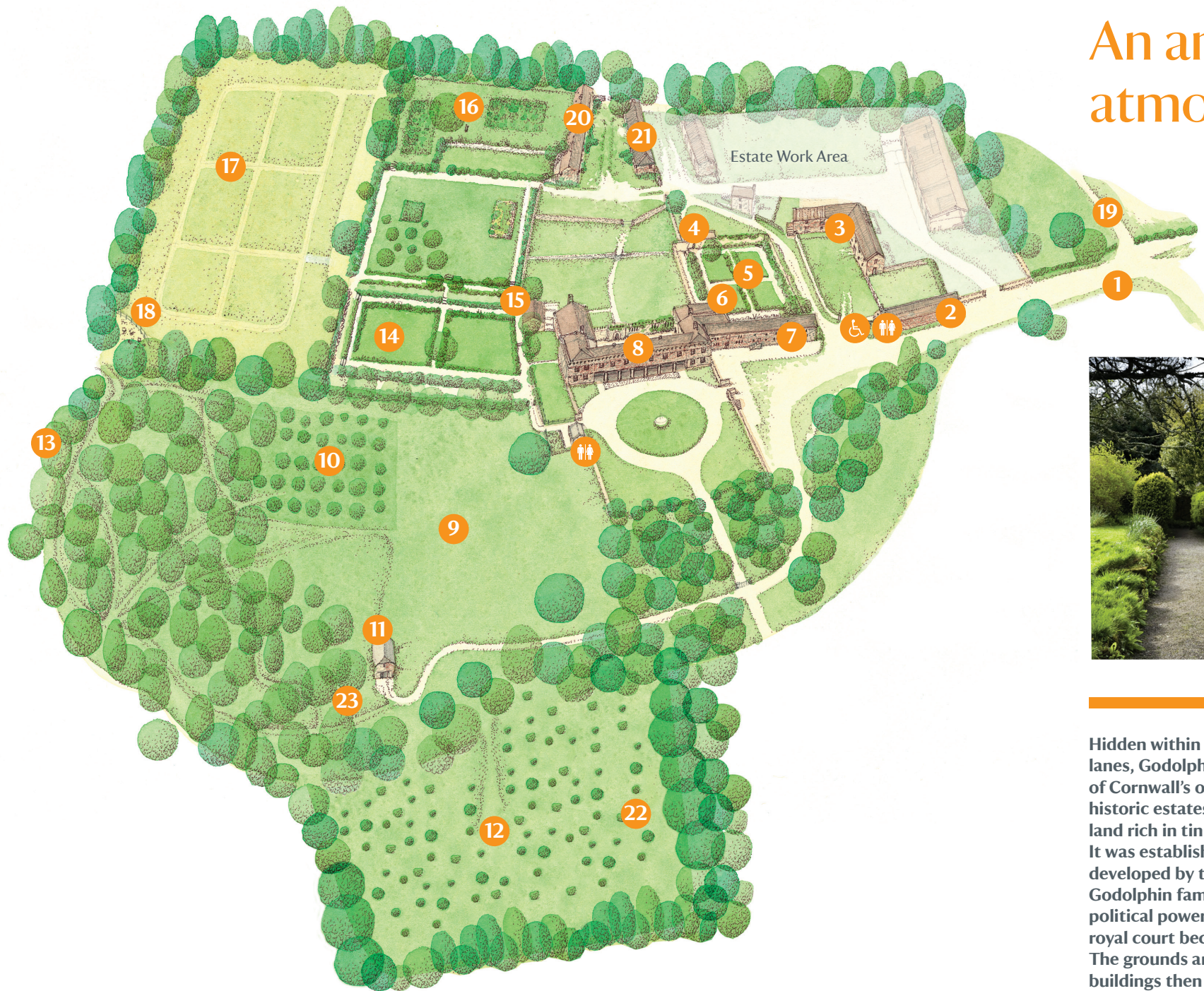


# An ancient and atmospheric estate



**Hidden within wooded lanes, Godolphin is one of Cornwall's outstanding historic estates built on land rich in tin and copper. It was established and developed by the Godolphin family before political power from the royal court beckoned. The grounds and buildings then became a tenant farm holding.**

It was during Godolphin's ownership by the Dukes of Leeds (1785 – 1920) that stone from the Great Hall and part of the East and West ranges were used by the tenant farmers to build the farm buildings you see today around the house.

Explore the garden's medieval pathways, and walk through the estate's woodland and former deer park. On and around Godolphin Hill you'll discover evidence of pre-historic enclosures, early mine workings and rabbit warrens.

The colonnaded north range of Godolphin house creates an imposing front, while the courtyard and remaining wall hint at the vast scale of the original layout.

## Exploring

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| 1. Welcome hut and Trumper   | 4. Duck House and Folly | 10. Orchard      | 17. Side Garden Paddock        |
| 2. Piggery tea-room, baby changing, second hand books and accessible toilets | 5. King's Garden        | 11. Cider House  | 18. Cornish Black Bee Hives    |
| 3. Barn  | 6. King's Room          | 12. Mary's Wood  | 19. Footpath to Godolphin Hill |
|  | 7. Stables              | 13. Far Orchard  | 20. East Shippon               |
|  | 8. Access to Undercroft | 14. Side Garden  | 21. West Shippon               |
|  | 9. Picnic Area          | 15. Potting Shed | 22. Mud Pie Kitchen            |
|  |                         | 16. Dry Ponds    | 23. Barefoot Trail             |