

Visit
PRINCE WILLIAM
VIRGINIA

Boats, Bottles and Bites

If you love trying delicious food, craft beers and wines, Occoquan is a great choice for a day trip based around culinary creations. Tour the town and uncover its unique history, taste a variety of foods and libations, and cruise down the town's namesake river.

Receive a warm welcome to Occoquan by the mayor, Earnie Porta. Enjoy a **guided tour** of the quaint riverside town as he highlights the history and unique details of Occoquan. Discover stories of the historic buildings and how the town got its name. After, get a taste of Occoquan's best culinary creations and libations during an **Occoquan Progressive Meal**. Start off at **Bottle Stop** with a delicious appetizer and glass of wine. Choose from starters like their Parmesan-Asiago Dip or the seared buffalo & smoked chipotle sausage bathed in cheddar-beer sauce. Before you leave, browse their collection of small production wines and craft beer from around the world to take home.



Historic Occoquan



Bottle Stop

Take a scenic stroll along the water down to **Madigan's Waterfront** for your main course. Enjoy a platter featuring a mini crab cake, chicken salad filled pastry cup & filet of tilapia topped with chopped tomatoes & basil with a balsamic glaze served on seasoned flatbread.

Before or after your entree course, **So Olive** can provide a tasting of and education about their unique olive oils, such as the blood orange fused olive oil. As you spend some time exploring the unique shops around town, peruse their selection of over 20 different flavors of olive oil and balsamic vinegar for use at home.

After your entrée course, explore the independently owned shops to experience the town's charm! From antiques and home décor stores to art galleries and unique craft shops, you will discover something truly memorable in Occoquan.

For dessert, choose a tasty treat from **The Golden Plum**, **NazBro Chocolates**, or **Potomac Chocolates** to enjoy while touring **Rippon Lodge**, one of the oldest known homes in Prince William County, built around 1747. Your group could play period appropriate games just as visitors would have in the 18th and 19th centuries.

This tour is ideal for groups of 40 people and under



The Golden Plum



Washington DC	30 miles	Williamsburg	132 miles
Baltimore	74 miles	Philadelphia	172 miles
Richmond	83 miles	Virginia Beach	177 miles
Gettysburg	88 miles	New York	261 miles

Go to www.visitpwc.com/groups/itineraries/ for additional itinerary ideas, such as:

- [An Art-Fully Crafted Tour](#) – an art tour of Prince William and Loudoun, VA
- [Patsy Cline and the Bottling Line](#) – the music of Patsy Cline, live entertainment and shows, and a dose of history and spirits
- [Plaids and Stripes](#) – a military appreciation tour featuring the Virginia International Tattoo
- [History Meets Mystery](#) – boat rides, horses, history, and an array of food experiences in Prince William and Loudoun, VA
- [Marine Corps Birthday](#) – pay homage and thank our military members for their service on this tour honoring U.S. Veterans and the birthday of the Marine Corps!
- [Brothers and Sisters in Arms](#) – a military tour of Northern Virginia
- [Polo in the Park: A Summer Tour of DC's Countryside](#) – the tour where history and horses come together for a summer trip full of stories and excitement



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