



Kilbeggan and Clonmacnoise

1 Day Coach Tour

Whiskey & Stones

This tour takes us into the heartland of Ireland, taking in some of the most iconic aspects of Irish Heritage.

First stop is at Kilbeggan, Co Westmeath, where Locke's Distillery have been producing fine whiskey since 1757 and claims to be the oldest working distillery in the world.

Our second venue is Clonmacnoise, the early medieval monastery, founded by St Ciaran in the 6th Cent.

It is an impressive monastic site with 2 round towers, 3 high crosses, 7 churches and a cathedral, together with the largest collection of early Christian grave slabs in Western Europe.

Finally, we travel to Athlone, for a little free time before meeting up for an evening meal in a Prize-winning Restaurant overlooking the Shannon.

09.30

You will be greeted at the agreed collection point by your Irish Guided Tours guide, with a modern coach and friendly driver.

11.00

Arrival at Kilbeggan. A welcome break for Tea/Coffee and Scones in the 'Loft Restaurant' beside the Distillery.

11.30

Guided tour of the working distillery, which includes tasting from a range of Cooley Distillery Whiskey brands.

13.30

Arrival Clonmacnoise Monastic complex for a guided tour of the site.

15.30

Arrival at Athlone and time for a little window shopping the town's Shopping Centre.

16.30

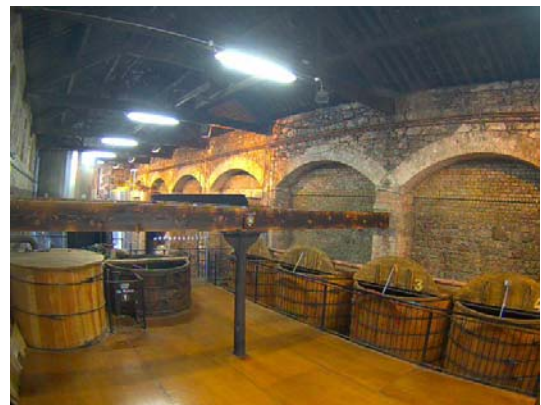
Evening meal in the nearby 'Olive Grove' one of the restaurant, winners of 'Best Restaurant in Westmeath 2012'.

18.00

Departure from Athlone

19.30/20.0

Expected time for arrival home.



A great day out!