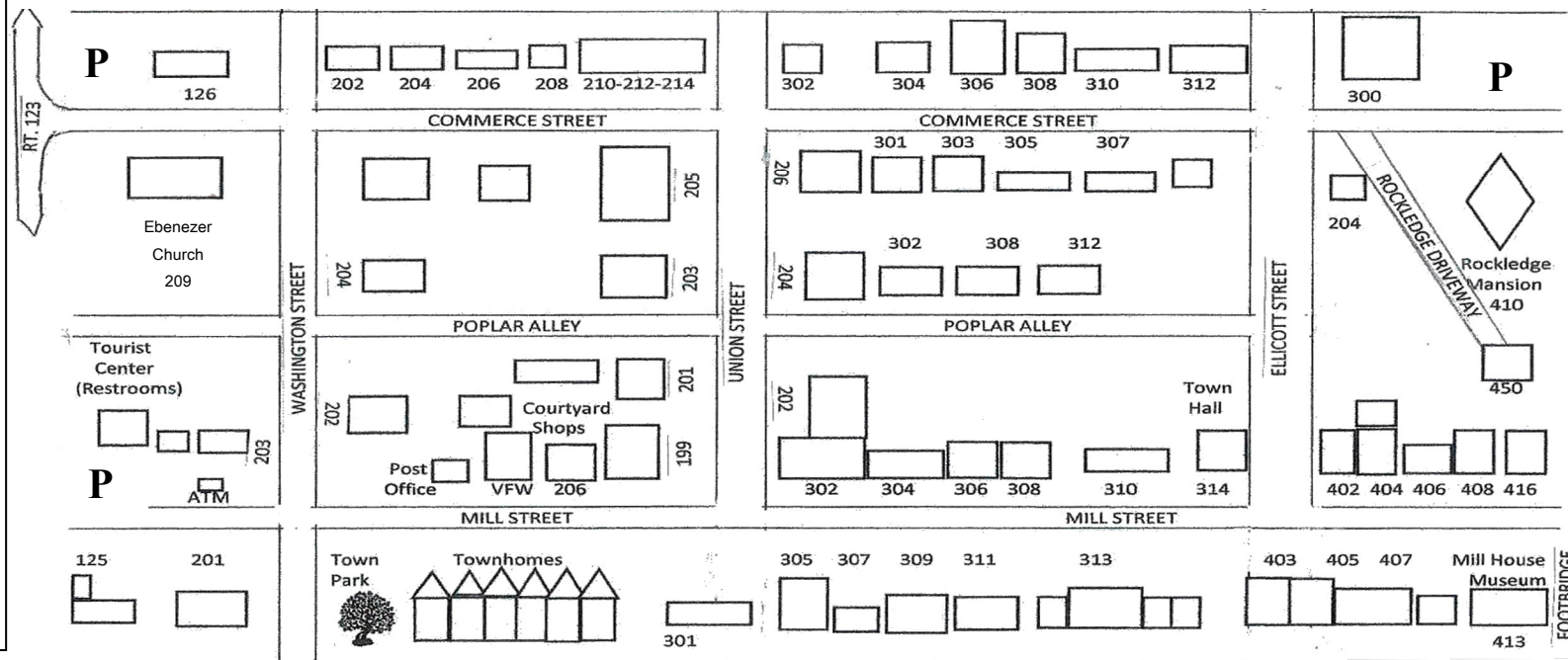


Historic Occoquan, Virginia

Historic Occoquan has been a town of independent merchants for over 250 years. As you walk west on Mill Street try to imagine what Occoquan was like in the 1700's. THE NOISE IS THUNDEROUS! From the riverside ahead you hear the roar of the mills (three water wheels and six sets of millstones going at the same time) and the swift flowing water that powers the mills. Smoke rises from the iron foundry upstream. Waggoners call to their teams trying to control them down the steep and craggy roads and huge ships are loading cargo. Occoquan has enjoyed a very long history, from the Dogue Indians to Revolutionaries and Red Coats, Confederates and Yankees, and despite floods and fires, this vibrant town has survived.



Occoquan is derived from a Dogue Indian word meaning "at the end of the water". It was this river and its location which made Occoquan a natural site for water-borne commerce. A tobacco warehouse was built as early as 1736 and an industrial complex began in 1750. Before the turn of the century, Occoquan had forges, water grist mills, tolling mills, a bake house, saw mills, storehouses and dwellings. By the end of the 18th century, the Merchant's Mill earned the distinction of being the first automated grist mill in the country. By 1828, Occoquan had one of the first cotton mills in Virginia. Occoquan still remains a town of independent merchants offering unhurried shopping and pleasant dining.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

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ANTIQUES & VINTAGE

Glory Be 305 Mill St.
Kountrie Lanes Antiques 206 Union St.
Nola Rose Revisited 301 Commerce St.
Preservation Station 204 Union St.

ART WORK

Art A La Carte Gallery 310 Mill St.
Artists' Undertaking Gallery 309 Mill St.
Loft Art Center 313 Mill St.
Loft Gallery 313 Mill St.
Paint Your Heart Out 125 Mill St.
Red Art & Design 125 Mill St.

BOUTIQUES

Elements 313 Mill St
Gifts 4 All 125 Mill St
Polka Dot Divas 405 Mill St
Serendipity 125 Mill St

DINING & SPECIALTY FOODS

Blue Arbor Café 201 Union St.
Bottle Stop Wine Bar 311 Mill St.
Cock & Bowl 302 Poplar Alley
Coffee House of Occoquan 202 Commerce St.
Madigan's Waterfront 201 Mill St.
Mom's Apple Pie 126 Commerce St.
NazBro Chocolates 309 Mill St.
Occoquan Inn 301 Mill St.
Pink Bicycle Tea Room 303 Commerce St.
Riverside Coffee Shop 201 Union St.
Secret Garden Café 404 Mill St.
Tastefully Yours 406 Mill St.
Wolfe & Beane Ice Creamery 305 Mill St.

FASHION

Capital Custom Clothiers 203 Washington St.
Details of Occoquan 206 Mill St.
Labella Bridal 313 Mill St.
So Bohemian 310 Mill St.

HOME DÉCOR/FURNITURE

Brambles 307 Mill St.
Personally Yours 402 Mill St.
VanEch Studio 125 Mill St.
Village Americana 203 Union St.

JEWELRY

Jerry's Occoquan Jewelers 306 Mill St.
Quinn's Goldsmith 199 Union St.
Secret Jewelry Garden 308 Poplar Alley
Spiral Creations 304 Mill St.
Touch of Gold 202 Washington St.

PERSONAL CARE

Dansk Day Spa 214 Commerce St.
Hair Studio 14 125 Mill St.
Joy of Being 125 Mill St.
Pin Curls 311 Mill St.
Soaring Spirits Yoga 308 Poplar Alley
T.G. Hair FX 307 Commerce St.

SERVICES

Accolades Florist 308 Poplar Alley
Blooming Iris 201 Union St.
Fathom Realty 308 Poplar Alley
Georgetown Catering 416 Mill St.
Idabel Upholstery 206 Union St.
Lisa Julia Photography 304 Mill St.
Penguin Paddling 201 Mill St.
Rivershore Charter Town Dock
Safe Harbor Financial 300 Ellicott St.
Seabreeze Yacht 310 Mill St.
Silva's Upholstery 450 Mill St.
V.F.W. Post 7916 204 Mill St.
Union Street Guitar 205 Union St.

SPECIALTY SHOPS

Artaville Persian Rugs 407 Mill St.
Attic Treasures 203 Washington St.
Center Stage 125 Mill St.
Fetch Pet Bakery 305 Mill St.
Golden Goose 302 Mill St.
Hawthorne House Fine Paper 404 Mill St.
Irish Collection 125 Mill St.
Kaluca Art 408 Mill St.
Occoquan Vapor Shop 304 Mill St.
Off the Beading Path 310 Mill St.
Patriot Scuba 305 Mill St.
Puzzle Palooza Etc. 403 Mill St.
Sincerely Yours Stained Glass 214 Commerce St.
So Olive 125 Mill St.
Spinaweb 305 Commerce St.
Yarn Cloud 204 Washington St.
13 Magickal Moons 407 Mill St.

ACCOLADES FLORIST
308-B POPLAR ALLEY
703-492-9732

DANSK DAY SPA
214 COMMERCE ST.
703-492-1991

JERRY'S OCCOQUAN
JEWELERS
306 MILL ST.
703-494-2904

OCCOQUAN INN
301 MILL ST.
703-494-1888

QUINN'S GOLDSMITH
199 UNION ST.
703-494-1662

SO OLIVE
125 MILL ST.
571-398-2377

VISITOR CENTER
200 MILL ST.
703-491-4045

ART A LA CARTE GALLERY
310 MILL ST.
703-496-9540

DETAILS OF OCCOQUAN
206 MILL ST
703-494-4959

JOY OF BEING
125 MILL ST.
703-490-4720

OCCOQUAN VAPOR SHOP
304 MILL ST.
571-572-3994

RED ART & DESIGN
125 MILL ST.
703-490-1056

SOARING SPIRIT YOGA
308 POPLAR ALLEY
703-499-9114

WOLFE & BEANE
ICE CREAMERY
305 MILL ST.
571-228-2549

ARTAVILLE PERSIAN RUGS
407 MILL ST.
703-494-4439

ELEMENTS
313 MILL ST.
703-490-8697

KALUCA ART
408 MILL ST.
571-236-7565

OFF THE BEADING PATH
310 MILL ST.
703-492-2323

RIVERSHORE CHARTER
TOWN DOCK
703-498-4348

SPINAWEB
305 COMMERCE ST.
703-491-7422

YARN CLOUD
204 WASHINGTON ST.
571-408-4236

ARTISTS' UNDERTAKING
GALLERY
309 MILL ST.
703-494-0584

FATHOM REALTY
308 POPLAR ALLEY
703-244-8702

KOUNTRIE LANES
ANTIQUES
206 UNION ST.

PAINT YOUR HEART OUT
125 MILL ST.
703-492-7223

RIVERSIDE COFFEE SHOP
201 UNION ST.
703-494-4005

SPIRAL CREATIONS
304 MILL ST.
571-494-1581

ATTIC TREASURES
203 WASHINGTON ST.
703-490-1536

FETCH PET BAKERY
305 MILL ST.
703-491-8686

LABELLA BRIDAL
CONSIGNMENT BOUTIQUE
313 MILL ST.
703-494-2929

PATRIOT SCUBA
305 MILL ST.
703-490-1175

SAFE HARBOR FINANCIAL
ADVISORS
300 ELLICOTT ST.
703-829-7233

T.G. HAIR FX
307 COMMERCE ST.
703-491-3941

BLOOMIN IRIS
201 UNION ST.
703-492-6646

GEORGETOWN CATERING
416 MILL ST.
703-615-8586

LISA JULIA PHOTOGRAPHY
304 MILL ST.
703-580-8755

PENGUIN PADDLING
201 MILL ST.
571-409-1778

SEABREEZE YACHT
310 MILL ST.
703-490-5490

TASTEFULLY YOURS GOURMET
406 MILL ST.
703-499-8809

BLUE ARBOR CAFÉ
201 UNION ST.
703-494-1317

GIFTS 4 ALL
125 MILL ST.

LOFT ART CENTER
313 MILL ST.
703-490-1117

PEONY LANE
301 COMMERCE ST. C
571-213-3755

SECRET GARDEN CAFÉ
404 MILL ST.
703-494-2848

13 MAGICKAL MOONS
407 MILL ST.
703-492-2211

BOTTLE STOP WINE BAR
311 MILL ST.
703-494-1622

GLORY BE
305 MILL ST.
703-490-1441

LOFT GALLERY, THE
313 MILL ST.
703-490-1117

PERSONALLY YOURS
402 MILL ST.
703-494-8683

SECRET JEWELRY GARDEN, THE
308E POPLAR ALLEY
703-499-9911

TOUCH OF GOLD
202 WASHINGTON ST.
703-490-4544

BRAMBLES
307 MILL ST.
703-492-0401

GOLDEN GOOSE, THE
302 MILL ST.
703-494-4964

MADIGAN'S WATERFRONT
201 MILL ST.
703-494-6373

PIN CURLS
311 MILL ST.
571-408-9488

SERENDIPITY OF OCCOQUAN
125 MILL ST.
703-491-7936

TOWN HALL OF OCCOQUAN
314 MILL ST.
703-491-1918

CAPITAL CUSTOM
CLOTHIERS
203 WASHINGTON ST
703-497-4211

HAIR STUDIO 14
125 MILL ST.
703-492-1461

MILL HOUSE MUSEUM
413 MILL ST.
703-491-7525

PINK BICYCLE TEA ROOM
303 COMMERCE ST.
703-491-5216

SILVA'S UPHOLSTERY
450 MILL ST.
703-490-1544

UNION STREET GUITAR WORKS
205 UNION ST.
703-731-9785

CENTER STAGE
125 MILL ST.
703-490-8461

HAWTHORNE HOUSE
FINE PAPER
404 MILL ST.
703-491-5775

MOM'S APPLE PIE
126-A COMMERCE ST.
703-497-7437

POLKA DOT DIVAS
405 MILL ST.
703-910-7059

SINCERELY YOURS STAINED GLASS
214 COMMERCE ST.
703-490-0827

V.F.W. POST 7916
204 MILL ST.
703-491-1884

COCK & BOWL
302 POPLAR ALLEY
703-494-1180

IDABEL UPHOLSTERY
206 UNION ST.
703-780-7720

NAZBRO CHOCOLATES
309 MILL ST.
703-789-3069

PRESERVATION STATION
204 UNION ST.
571-572-2207

SO BOHEMIAN
310 MILL ST.
703-490-1192

VILLAGE AMERICANA
203 UNION ST.
703-491-5712

COFFEE HOUSE OF OCCOQUAN
202 COMMERCE ST.
703-492-8976

IRISH COLLECTION
125 MILL ST.
703-492-9383

NOLA ROSE REVISITED
301 COMMERCE ST. C
504-975-0015

PUZZLE PALOOZA ETC.
403 MILL ST
703-494-0579

Directions to
Historic
Occoquan:
I-95 Exit 160 and
follow signs to
Historic Occoquan
or
Rte 123 south, cross the
Occoquan River to an
immediate right to
Historic
Occoquan

Historic Occoquan
is listed
on the National
Register of
Historic Places
and is a
Virginia Historic
District

