

More Made in America, One-Day & Multi-Day Tour

See how violins, soaps and pretzels are made in small artisan shops plus Harley hogs and plenty of potato chips rolling off the lines at large regional factories in South-Central PA known as the Factory Tour Capitol.

One of our favorite new sites is Bluett Bros. Violins, where violins and other stringed instruments are meticulously hand-crafted by Luthier Mark Bluett. Mark is nationally recognized for the sound and aesthetic beauty of his pieces made from high quality spruce and curly maple that must be air dried for a minimum of 20 years. Mark has honed his ability to "read" the wood using continuous tone tapping of the wood during the carving process to perfect the tone and evenness throughout the instrument and ensure clarity of sound.



We also love Sunrise Soap Company where the owner will tell you all about her healthy homemade products plus demonstrate the art of making artisan soaps, lotions and other goodies. This site smells and feels wonderful!

Watch as pretzels are rolled out by hand at the country's oldest brick-oven pretzel factory plus how potato chips are produced by the thousands at Martin's Potato Chips and Utz Brand Foods' factories.



See "legends come to life" as Harley's motorcycle "hogs" come off the line at the company's state-of-the-art York facility. This plant assembles Touring, Softail, CVO and Trike models as well as making frames, fuel tanks and fenders. Groups enjoy a video and tour plus chance to sit on current production motorcycles and browse in the gift shop.



Also included may be a visit to visit Wolfgang Candy's confection room where you'll see how chocolates are hand-dipped and "hollows" made, and/or Old Republic Distillery producing small batch, hand-crafted products utilizing local agricultural as much as possible. Plus enjoy a farm-to-fork meal at an historic local restaurant can be included.

Let us know your favorite sites and how much time you have in the area so we can customize a tour for you. Due to the small size of some of the sites on this tour group size may need to be limited and/or groups split in half for touring.

Year round tour options. Best Monday to Thursday for factory tours.

Tour options include:

- **Bluett Bros. Violins Tour**
- **Pretzel Factory Tour**
- **Soap Company Demo & Browsing**
- **Harley-Davidson Motorcycles Plant Tour**
- **Martin's &/or Utz's Potato Chip Factory Tours**
- **Stauffer's Cookie Outlet**
- **Wolfgang Candy Company Demo**
- **Old Republic Distillery Intro & Tasting**
- **Farm-to-Fork Dining**



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