

## Sample Itinerary - North Arran 2024

**1000** Depart Brodick

**1015** Arrive [Brodick Castle](#) – Brodick Castle is the former ancestral home of the Dukes of Hamilton. Now run by the National Trust for Scotland, the Castle displays an unrivalled collection of antiquities, including the Beckford Collection. The gardens are also superb, with a children’s adventure playground, walled garden, Fairy Trail, Bronze Age Roundhouse and other walks.



**1200** Depart Brodick Castle for Lochranza Distillery. See if you can spot the famous Corrie seal on his rock on the way!

**1230** Lunch at Distillery, followed by a Copper Tour. [Lochranza Distillery](#) is independently owned by Isle of Arran Distillers. It was voted the #1 Visitor Experience in Scotland by the Association of Scottish Visitor Attractions in 2019!



**1400** Visit to [Arran Geopark](#) hub at Lochranza Centre. The Arran Geopark aims to promote and conserve Arran’s spectacular and globally important geology. Find out more about Arran’s formation, which has some of the key geological discovery sites in the UK.



**1430** Leave the Geopark and head to Lochranza Castle. This 16<sup>th</sup> century tower house was built by the McSweens on a peninsula extending into the beautiful loch. In summer you can wander around the building.

**1445** Head south to **Blackwaterfoot**, on the C147. Pass [Machrie Standing Stones](#) and [Kings Caves](#). If you choose to walk, each route is approximately 90mins return from/to the respective car park. Sturdy footwear is essential.

**1515** Continue on the C147 to **Blackwaterfoot** and the B880 back to **Brodick**.

**1545** Visit **Home Farm Visitor Centre**:

[Arran Sense of Scotland \(formerly Arran Aromatics\)](#) – factory shop with beautiful toiletries and candles.

[Arran Cheese Shop](#) – mouth-watering flavoured cheddars (samples available) and an award-winning Arran Blue cheese. There is also a viewing window into the factory.

[The Arran Gift Box](#) – a beautiful selection of gift baskets full of Arran produce such as skincare, whisky, cheese and gin.

Please note this is a sample only. We can create bespoke itineraries to suit your needs! Please contact [info@visitarran.com](mailto:info@visitarran.com) for more information.