

Starting at **10:00 AM from Pequannock, NJ** changes the timing quite a bit. You'll reach Bucks County around lunchtime, so here's the route I'd recommend.

## Route

Time	Stop	Drive
10:00 AM	Depart Pequannock, NJ	—
11:25 AM	Doylestown	~1 hr 25 min
12:15 PM	Quakertown Farmers Market (Lunch)	20 min
1:45 PM	Covered Bridge Driving Tour	15 min
3:15 PM	Oscar Hammerstein Museum	30 min
5:00 PM	Washington Crossing Historic Park	25 min
6:15 PM	Depart for Pequannock	—
7:45 PM	Arrive home	~1 hr 30 min

## Total Driving

- **Distance:** Approximately **185 miles**
- **Driving time:** Approximately **4½ hours**, depending on holiday traffic. ([Rome2Rio](#))

## Estimated Fuel Cost

Assuming:

- 28 mpg
- Gas at **\$3.40/gallon**
- Fuel used: ~6.6 gallons
- **Estimated fuel cost: \$22–24**

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## Suggested Stops

### 1. Doylestown (11:25 AM - 12:05 PM)

A quick walk through the historic downtown.

#### Highlights

- Historic courthouse
- Main Street shops
- Coffee or pastry
- Beautiful architecture

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### 2. Quakertown Farmers Market (12:25 - 1:30 PM)

This is the perfect lunch stop.

#### Recommended

- Pennsylvania Dutch food
- Fresh bakery
- Homemade candy
- Flea market browsing

#### Cost

- Admission: Free
- Parking: Free
- Lunch: \$15-20/person

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### 3. Covered Bridge Tour (1:45 - 3:00 PM)

Drive the western loop.

#### Highlights

- Mood's Covered Bridge
- South Perkasio Covered Bridge
- Pine Valley Covered Bridge
- Schofield Ford Covered Bridge

Excellent photography and scenic farmland.

Free.

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### 4. Oscar Hammerstein Museum (3:30 PM)

⚠️ **This is the only potential issue.**

The museum operates **only on scheduled guided tours**, and not every afternoon has a tour. If there isn't a 3:30 PM or later tour available on your travel date, you'll need to either:

- Visit it first thing on another day, or
- Skip it for this trip and spend more time in Doylestown or at Washington Crossing.

Admission is about **\$15/person**.

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### 5. Washington Crossing Historic Park (5:00 - 6:15 PM)

A wonderful place to end the day.

#### Highlights

- Delaware River
- Washington Crossing site
- Historic buildings
- Visitor Center
- Beautiful evening views

The grounds are free to explore. Paid guided tours and Bowman's Hill Tower are optional.

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#### Total Estimated Cost (2 Adults)

Item	Cost
Gas	\$22-24
Lunch	\$30-40
Hammerstein Museum	\$30
Washington Crossing Tour (optional)	\$12
Bowman's Hill Tower (optional)	\$12

**Typical total: \$80-100**

#### One Recommendation

Because you're **starting later (10:00 AM)**, I'd consider **skipping the Hammerstein Museum unless you already have a reservation**. That would give you more relaxed time in:

- Doylestown,
- the Covered Bridge tour, and
- Washington Crossing Historic Park,

without feeling rushed, and you'll still be back in Pequannock before about **7:30 PM**.