

WEEKEND ROUTE ● UK

Koudum

Koudum is a really cozy village, with many accommodation and recreation options. Because this village is central in the National Landscape of Southwest Friesland, close to the lake and forest, it is the perfect place to start your watersports holiday or to do hike and bike tours. Koudum also has a few shops and a number of places to eat.

When u visit Koudum in the summer season, you should definitely try our delicious green beans (Koudumer beantsjes). This is a Koudumer specialty.

Workum

With the IJsselmeer on one side and the Friese meren on the other, there are plenty occasions to enjoy the water. You can sail, kitesurf, windsurf, canoe, fish, swim or just relax on the beach.

Shopping in Workum is far from boring and predictable. The city stands out because of the variety of bigger and smaller shops with their own character and offers. There are no big brands, but there are many surprising boutiques.

Bolsward

Bolsward. Not the biggest city, but a gem. A city to fall in love with. Wandering around along the canals, many monuments and through the lovely park. Stand still and admire the graceful city home that according to many is the most beautiful of the Netherlands.

You can also visit the small family business Bierbrouwerij Us Heit (beer brewery, our father). Us Heit brews eight different special beers in Bolsward. It's natural pure beer with character. During a visit to the brewery, you will see how they brew and stoke their beer. After the laps you can enjoy one of the beers in the tasting rooms or on the terrace next to their own hop garden.

IJlst

IJlst is one of the smallest 11-cities in Friesland. Characteristic are the linden tree's and the overtuinen (gardens on the water). The still working wood saw mill 'De Rat' is also worth a visit.

Sneek

A must see in Sneek is 'De Waterpoort' (the Watergate) this is the ancient entry for Sneek. Sneek offers a variety of watersports, monuments, museums, shops, terraces, cafés and restaurants.

Heeg

In Heeg you can easily dock your ship in the center for an ice cream on one of the terraces. Also, a very fun way to discover Heeg is per canoe!

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