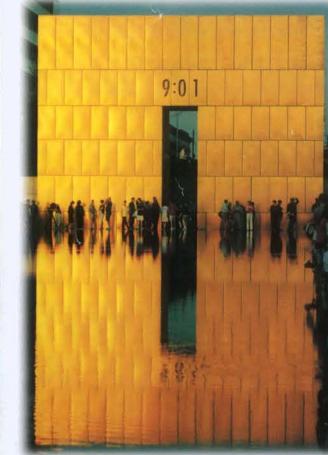
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## NEW TREASURES. NEW ADVENTURES.

Oklahoma is an emerging, ever-evolving state. *Each year there's much more to see and explore.* Like the new Bricktown Canal in Oklahoma City (shown, cover) – one of many attractions **opened** or expanded since 1999. Here's a sampling of other noteworthy additions ...



Oklahoma City National Memorial, Downtown

## THE OKLAHOMA CITY NATIONAL MEMORIAL

Dedicated on April 19, 2000 - exactly five years after the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building was destroyed in the largest terrorist attack on U.S. soil in history - this new Memorial has been designated as a National Park.

The Symbolic Memorial occupies the now-sacred soil where the Murrah Building once stood. Visitors enter through the Gates of Time – monumental twin structures that frame the moment of destruction at 9:02 a.m. Inside, the Field of Empty Chairs honors each of the 168 lives lost. The Reflecting Pool provides a peaceful setting for quiet thoughts. And the Survivor Tree stands as a profound symbol of human resilience.

Opening in early 2001 will be The Oklahoma City National Memorial Center and The Oklahoma City National Memorial Institute For The Prevention Of Terrorism.



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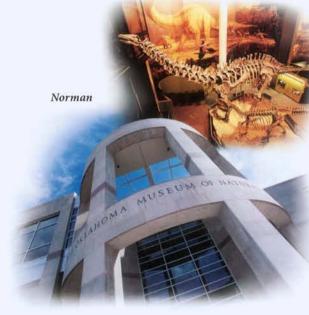
HERITAGE MUSEUM Home to one of the nation's finest

THE NATIONAL COWBOY & WESTERN

collections of contemporary Western art for 40 years. Through five elaborate new galleries, the museum has expanded its mission to preserve America's unique Western heritage. It was recently accredited by the American Association of Museums, giving it world-class museum status.

**Prosperity Junction** is a life-sized, turn-of-the-century Western town with 19 authentic buildings. Three new galleries explore early Western culture – The American Cowboy Gallery, The American Rodeo Gallery and The Joe Grandee Museum of the Frontier West. American Indian tribal history, culture and art are examined in The Native American Gallery.

And The Weitzenhoffer Gallery of Fine American Arms offers an elegant presentation of U.S. firearms from the



The nation's largest university-based museum is situated on a 60-acre site at the University of Oklahoma in Norman. Five magnificent new galleries introduce visitors to the state's rich and fascinating natural history - including two of the largest dinosaurs ever found: an Apatosaurus that's more than 92 feet long; and a Pentaceratops, whose massive 10.5-ft. skull is the largest of any animal ever to walk the earth.

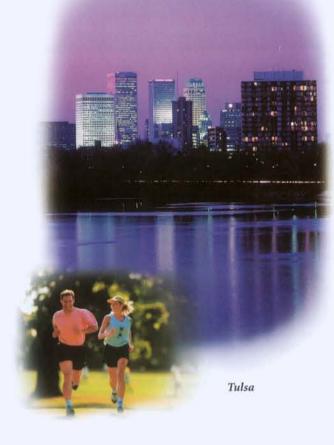


QUARTZ MOUNTAIN RESORT Lying in the southwestern part of the state is this scenic lakeside retreat cradled in the Wichita Mountains. It surrounds Lake Altus-Lugert with cabins, campsites, golf and a variety of recreational options. Within the resort, reconstruction on the lodge devastated

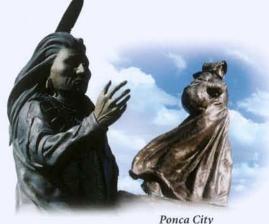
by a 1995 fire is scheduled for completion in early 2001. The new lodge will be a showplace of Southwestern art and design, highlighted by \$2 million of original artwork.



PRICE TOWER Frank Lloyd Wright's tallest skyscraper is located in Bartlesville. Built in 1956, it has undergone an \$8 million renovation – where today it remains "the tree that escaped the crowded forest," as Wright himself once referred to it. One of only a few examples of Frank Lloyd Wright architecture open to the public, it will be one of only two in the world with overnight accommodations.



TULSA'S RIVER PARKS Located along the Arkansas River, they offer everything from running and roller blading to cycling and sightseeing. Adding to the activity is the completion of a new 25-mile bicycle route that traverses the city, allowing cyclists to ride on a continuous off-street trail from SH-97 near downtown Sand Springs to 101st St. South and Memorial Drive.



one of its finest. This extraordinary new 18-hole golf course is open year-round, and is conveniently located halfway between Oklahoma City and Dallas on US-70, 13 miles

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STANDING BEAR PARK A tribute to American Indians. The park's centerpiece is the majestic Standing Bear Statue, a 22-ft. bronze of the Ponca chief.

THE PIONEER WOMAN MUSEUM Also in Ponca City, this is a counterpart to the heroic 17-ft. bronze Pioneer Woman Statue. The expanded museum features exhibits on pioneer women in Oklahoma, from the early frontier to the space age.

CHICKASAW POINTE Oklahoma's newest golf course is

SOUTHERN HILLS COUNTRY CLUB IN TULSA WILL HOST THE 2001 U.S. OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP. ONE OF THE PREMIER EVENTS OF THE UNITED STATES GOLF ASSOCIATION, THE JUNE CHAMPIONSHIP IS EXPECTED TO DRAW THE BEST IN THE SPORT - INCLUDING



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north side. Free coffee. 918-439-3212

coffee. 918-775-9601

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In Tulsa: On I-44, just east of Tulsa, exit 161 East Avenue -

Arriving From The East: Two locations: (1) On US-412, Cherokee

Kansas, OK. Free coffee. 918-868-3427 (2) On I-40, 17 miles

west of the Oklahoma/Arkansas border, near Sallisaw, OK. Free

Arriving From The South: Two locations: (1) On US-69/75,

two miles north of the Oklahoma/Texas border near Colbert,

OK. Free coffee. 580-296-2672 (2) On I-35, three and one-

half miles north of the Oklahoma/Texas border near Thackerville,

Arriving From The Southwest: On I-44, H.E. Bailey Turnpike,

one-half mile north of Walters at the Elmer Graham Concession

Arriving From The West: On I-40, nine miles east of the Oklahoma/

Texas border near Erick, OK. Free coffee. 580-526-3283 In OKC Area: Three locations: (1) In the State Capitol at N.E. 23rd & Lincoln Blvd. 405-521-3356 (2) At I-35 & N.E. 122rd. Free coffee, gift shop. 405-478-4637 (3) I-40/Air Depot exit

Plaza. Free coffee, gift shop. 580-875-2425

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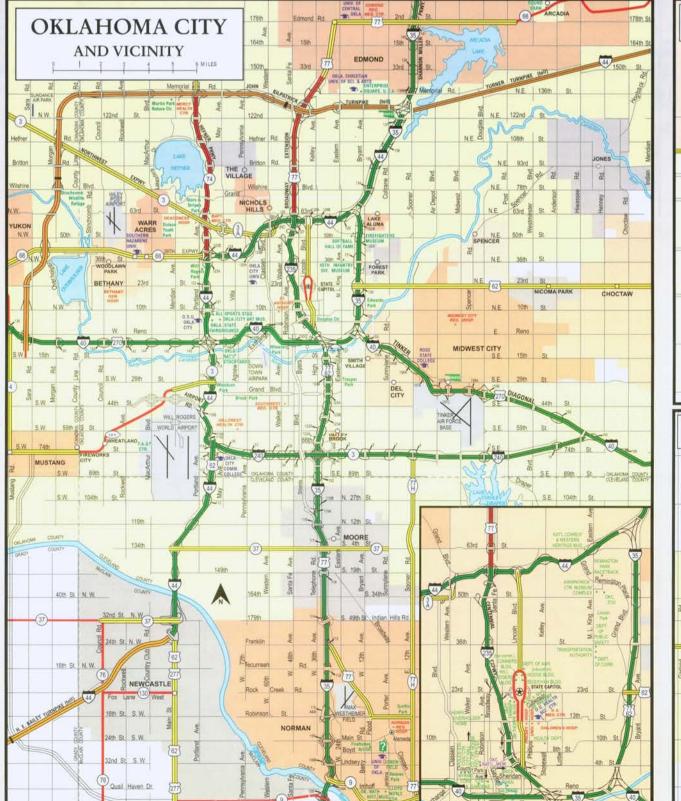
Oklahoma is a strikingly diverse state and one that continues to grow by leaps and bounds. Beyond the new attractions highlighted inside, I invite you to come discover all the exciting treasures Oklahoma has to offer.

What's more, in June 2001, golf fans from across the world will train their eyes on Oklahoma as the U.S. Open Championship comes to our state. The United States Golf Association's most prestigious event will be played at the renowned Southern Hills in Tulsa. Southern Hills is certainly no stranger to the event, having hosted two prior Open Championships. This year's championship will bring out golf's brightest stars, including the amazing Tiger Woods.

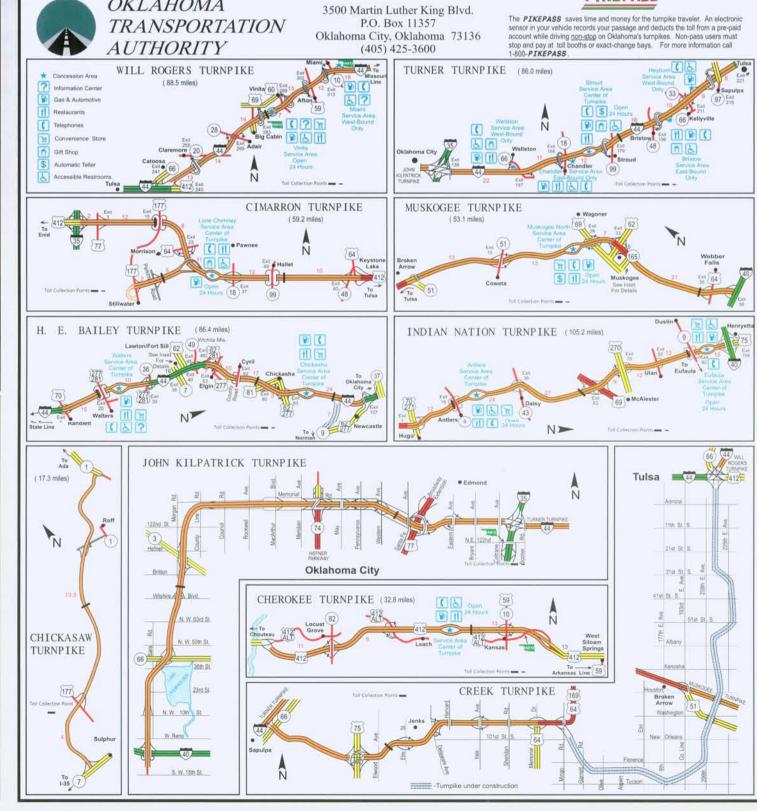
Oklahoma is a great golf state. Better yet, with our mild climate, our 190 golf courses (116 of which are public) can be played nearly

But golf is just the beginning for a state that's packed with activities and adventure. Throughout Oklahoma's historic towns and vibrant cities, you'll find something to suit nearly every taste. Because whether you enjoy arts or recreation or weekend retreats, Oklahoma has it all. I'm proud to welcome you to Oklahoma, a state that just keeps getting better every year!

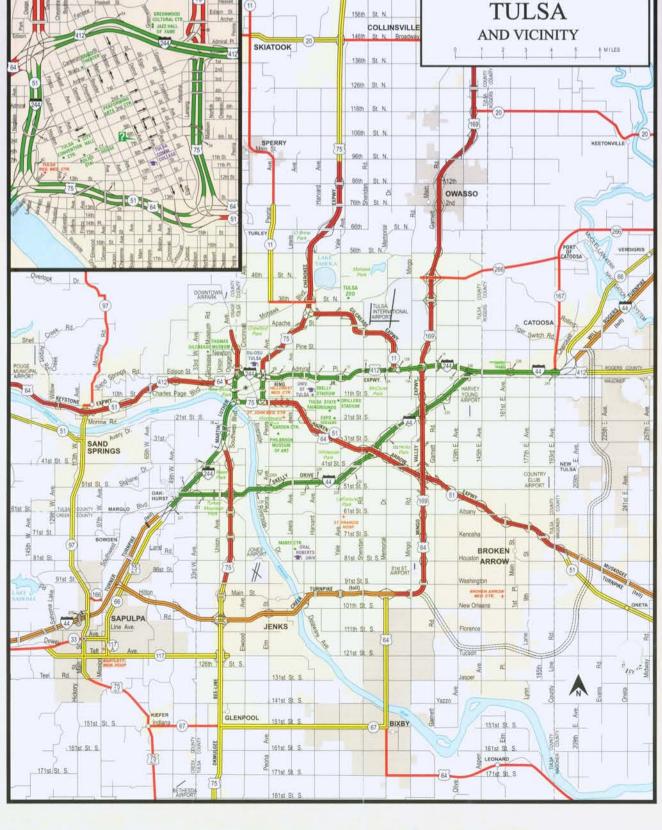












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