

NATIONAL COWGIRL MUSEUM AND HALL OF FAME



EXHIBITS

Visit the National Cowgirl Museum and Hall of Fame and discover the world of the cowgirl through interactive exhibits, sweeping film presentations, memorabilia and intriguing stories. Downstairs you will experience *The Spirit of the Cowgirl Theater* and the *Discovery Corral*. Take time to view the “*Lifetiles*,” optical glass-tiled murals in the Rotunda which change as you move. The galleries upstairs include: *Into the Arena*, *Kinship with the Land*, *Claiming the Spotlight* and the *Hall of Fame Honoree Gallery*.

Tough By Nature

May 9-September 9, 2013

The exhibition showcases 65 of Lynda Lanker's drawings, paintings, works on paper, and prints, which document a vanishing way of life that affirmed the role of women in the economy and ecology of the American West.

The Hankaska: The Shirt Wearers

October 14 – January 5

Cathy Smith, 2013 Hall of Fame Honoree, was commissioned in January of 1996 to re-create the material culture of twelve historically important Plains Indian leaders for a private museum in Santa Fe, NM. The collection consists of the regalia, clothing, and accouterments of each personage as determined from historical photographs, paintings, and informants, both living and historically researched.

Match the TEKS to Your Field Trip

Before, during and after your visit to the National Cowgirl Museum and Hall of Fame, check out a new addition to our website at www.cowgirl.net that provides educators with grade-level, content-related activities that correlate with the Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS).

Add a Scavenger Hunt to your Cowgirl Experience

Request a Scavenger Hunt Kit when making your school or group reservation. Kits include *Eye Spy* for Grades K-2 and *Bullseye Bingo* for Grades 3 and up. All kits are grade level appropriate and aligned with the TEKS.

DISTANCE LEARNING

Let us come to you virtually! Topics include: *Meet Annie Oakley*, *O’Keeffe and the Faraway*, *Museum Math*, *Cowgirl Science*, *Charles Goodnight and the Chuck Wagon*, *Life on the Prairie with Sarah Plain and Tall*, *Coming to the US and Finding a Life of Adventure*, *Molly Goodnight and the Preservation of the Bison*, and more! For a Distance Learning program schedule, complete information, costs and registration, go to: www.connect2texas.net or contact Cindi Collins, ccollins@cowgirl.net.

DISCOVERY TRUNK: COWBOYS AND COWGIRLS

The National Cowgirl Museum has traveling trunks available to accommodate any grade-level and serve as wonderful educational tools for enhancing existing curriculum. Fee: \$25 refundable deposit

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Get to know us better and learn how we can help you meet your needs. Call our Education staff to help you plan a customized in-service program for your campus.

FAST FACTS

To book: 817-336-4475

Fee: \$3.50 per student

Group Minimum: 15 students

Maximum: 200 students

Required Chaperones:

Admitted free

PK-K: 1 adult/6 students

Grades 1-12: 1 adult/10 students

Time frame options: Tuesday-Friday 10:00-11:30 a.m.; 12:00-1:30 p.m.; 2:00-3:30 p.m.

Student Group Reservations

Reservations may be made at least ten days in advance of your Museum visit by sending a fax to **817-336-2470**. Both a *Student Group Reservation* and a *Guidelines Form* must be completed and faxed. Please allow five business days for a receipt of confirmation.

Reservation Forms:

www.cowgirl.net/SchoolTours.html



For additional information, contact:

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