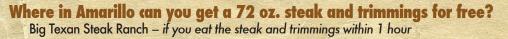
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# Trivia



What is the name of the largest canyon in Texas, second in size only to the Grand Canyon located only 20 minutes southwest of Amarillo? Palo Duro Canyon State Park (meaning hard wood)

What does the word "Amarillo" mean? "Yellow" in Spanish (due to the yellow subsoil and wild flowers)

What is the name of the musical epic, performed in the **Pioneer Amphitheatre in Palo Duro Canyon State Park each summer?** "TEXAS"



What is the name of the largest history museum in Texas, sometimes referred to as the "Smithsonian of Texas"? Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum

What is the name of the amusement park in Amarillo – considered the largest between Dallas & Denver? Wonderland Amusement Park

## What is unique about Wonderland Park?

Recently voted as having the best double-loop steel roller coaster in the country, and Park of the Year. Wonderland turned 60 in 2011 and has always been owned by the same family.

What Amarillo headquartered association has more than 280,000 members worldwide and registered more than 5 million horses since 1940? American Quarter Horse Association

## **Amarillo Climate/Weather**

Amarillo enjoys a mild climate with four distinct seasons.

Summer temperatures are moderate due to our high altitude (3,676 ft.), with nights 25 to 30 degrees cooler than daytime highs. Humidity is wonderfully low and the breeze is constant. In the winter, our typically sunny skies raise average daily maximum temperatures to about 50 degrees, even in December, January and February.

#### **Amarillo Annual Averages**

- Average Annual Temperature 57.2 degrees
- Average Annual Rainfall 20 inches
- Average Annual Wind Speed 13.6 mph
- Average Annual Humidity 56%
- Average Sunny Days 261

