

COLLECTION

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Since gold-seeking Spanish explorers first brought horses to Oklahoma over 400 years ago, the horse has played an important part in this state's history and development.

When Oklahoma was home to the Plains Indians, it was the horse that pulled their essential belongings and swept the warriors away on buffalo hunts and into battle.

It was the horse that swiftly carried the eager homesteaders as they staked their claims in the great Oklahoma land runs of the late 1800s.

It was the horse that powered the first plows through Oklahoma's virgin red earth, spurring the state's growth as one of the world's great agricultural forces.

And it was the horse that drew the first wagons loaded with drilling equipment into Oklahoma's vast fields rich with oil and natural gas.

Today, the horse is still an integral part of everyday life in Oklahoma. A multi-million dollar industry of breeding, training and recreation.

More than 200 horse clubs and associations statewide offer endless entertainment opportunities.

And with a total of over 400,000 horses — more per capita than any other state — Oklahoma stands as Horse Capital of the World.