

DAILY DIVERSIONS

STATE FAIR

Friday, Sept. 2
30th Anniversary of Rock N' Roll

Saturday, Sept. 3
The Dirty Dancing Concert Tour

Sunday, Sept. 4
Jay Leno

Monday, Sept. 5
The Everly Brothers and EmmyLou Harris

Wednesday, Sept. 7
Roger Whittaker

All concerts at Bob Devaney Sports Center
7:30 p.m.
All seats reserved for \$12, \$11, \$9 and \$7.

Friday, Sept. 2
Sneak-A-Peek
Ride all the rides on Murphy's Blue Grass Carnival from 6 p.m. until midnight, \$8 per person.

Saturday, Sept. 3
Veteran's Day
Gate admission is \$1 for all veterans and members of auxiliary organizations with identification.

Tuesday Sept. 6
Admission \$1 plus a can of food.

Wednesday, Sept. 7
Fair admissions for persons 62 and over will be \$1 with identification.

SITES

Sheldon Art Gallery 12th & R St.
Exhibits: "European Selection" ends Tuesday
"Sheldon Sampler"
"American Photography"
"Recent Acquisitions"

Mueller Planetarium Morrill Hall
Friday and Saturday at 7:30 p.m.
Sunday at 3:30 p.m.
Laser Country
\$3.50 adults, \$2.00 children

Richards Hall
Reception for "Nebraska/Texas Exhibit"
Thursday 5-7 p.m.
Exhibit: Sept. 2 - Sept. 22

University Place Art Center/Wesleyan Laboratory Gallery
2601 North 48th St.

Exhibit by Fatima Campos
Brazilian artist & fashion designer
Sunday thru Friday
Reception 2-4 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 4

Burkholder Project 719 P St.
Exhibit: "3-D and Bas Relief" by Susan Brasch, Nancy Childs Chapin and Alice Szabat.
Sept. 1-8

Coffee House 1324 P St.
Exhibits by David Westra, Bill Manhart, Brad Krieger, Dan Reigert, Blayde Keel and Mike Kula.

Joslyn Art Museum 2200 Dodge St., Omaha
Exhibits: "Henri Cartier-Bresson: Photographer"
"Images of Tranquility"
Sept. 1-18

Antiquarium 1215 Harney St., Omaha
The Bill Farmer Gallery
Exhibit: "The Juried Show for the Associated Artists of Omaha"
The Middle Gallery
Exhibit by Bill Farmer
The PreGallery
Pottery exhibit by Karen Nichols
Sept. 1 thru Sept. 18

Artists' Cooperative Gallery 405 South 11th St., Omaha
Reception for Dale Shenefeldt, Margie Schimenti and Gary Townswick.
Saturday 7-10 p.m.
Exhibit of artists Sept. 1-30

STAGE

Kimball Hall
Thursday, 8 p.m.
Performance by Professor of Organ, Quentin Faulkner

Kimball Hall
Wednesday, 8 p.m.
The World on Stage
The Earth Players and the Market Theatre Company present: BOPHA!
Tickets \$13 & \$9—UNL Students half off.
Pre-performance talk 7:30 in Westbrook Music Building, room 119.

BANDS

Duffy's Tavern 1412 O St.
Fri.: Celtic Dew
Wed.: New Brass Guns

Chesterfield's 245 N. 14th St.
Fri.-Sat.: Charlie Burton

Zoo Bar 136 N. 14th St.
Thurs.-Fri.: Magic Slim and the Teardrops
Sat.: Lou Ann Barton
Mon.-Wed.: Magic Slim and the Teardrops

Mingles 9th & P St.
Thurs.: Bootleg
Fri.: Head East
Sat.: Bootleg

Royal Grove 340 West Cornhusker
Thurs.: C. Wayne Owens, Tight Fit
Fri.-Sat.: Tight Fit
Mon.-Wed.: Scarlet Page

Julio's 132 South 13th Street
Thurs.: The Gulizia Brothers

Mountains Bar & Grill 311 S. 11th St.
Fri.-Sat.: Cheatin Snakes

Celebration Gold's Galleria 1033 O St.
Thurs.: High Heel & the Sneakers
Wed.: Shades & Danger

Ranch Bowl 1600 South 72nd St.
Thurs.-Sat.: On the Fritz
Sun.: On the Fritz, Tight Fit
Mon.-Wed.: Tight Fit

Howard Street Tavern 1112 Howard St.
Thurs.-Sat.: Topsy Alligator
Sun.: Jail Breakers
Mon.: Blue Monday and The Blue Crew featuring John Lawdon
Tues.: B and the Hot Notes
Wed.: Wild IQs

Fat Jack's Council Bluffs
Thurs.: Loud
Fri.-Sat.: Lillian Axe, Loud
Mon.-Wed.: Intimate Acts

Grand Emporium Kansas City, MO
Thurs.: Kansas City Blues Society Jam Session
Fri.-Sat.: Little Charlie and the Nightcats
Mon.: Yard Apes, Poet Crow, Freshmen Senators
Tues.: Little Hatch's Channel 20 Video Party
Wed.: Andrew Tosh and the Tosh Band

Lone Star Kansas City, MO
Thurs.-Sat.: Fiance
Mon.: Picture This
Tues.: True Stories, Zulu Time
Wed.: Charlie and the Sting Rays

Red Rock Denver, CO
Mon.: Stevie Ray Vaughn and the Fabulous Thunderbirds

Fiddlers Green Denver, CO
Sun.: Moody Blues with Glass Tiger

CINEMA

Sheldon Theatre 12th & R St.
"Wings of Desire"
Thurs.-Fri.: 7:00 & 9:30
Sat.: 12:30, 2:50
Sun.: 2:15, 4:35

Cooper 54th & O Street
"Diehard"(R)
4:45, 7:15, 9:45

Douglas 1300 P Street
"Hot to Trot" (PG)
5:15, 7:15, 9:15
"Tucker" (PG)
5:10, 7:20, 9:30
"Betrayed" (R)
5:10, 7:30, 9:50

East Park 3 East Park Plaza Mall
Thurs.: "The Big Blue" (PG)
5:10, 7:20, 9:30
Thurs.: "Mac & Me" (PG)
5:20
Thurs.: "Clean and Sober"
7:20, 9:40
Thurs.-Wed.: "Cocktail" (R)
5:00, 7:15, 9:15
starting Friday: "Bull Durham" (R)
5:20, 7:30, 9:40
Starting Friday: "Big"
5:20, 7:20, 9:20

Joyo 6102 Havelock
Thursday: "Funny Farm" (PG)
7:30
Friday-Wednesday: "Licensed to Drive" (PG-13)
7:30

84th & O Drive-in
"Nightmare on Elm Street IV" (R)
"Colors"
Dusk

State 1415 O Street
"Hero and the Terror" (R)
5:30, 7:30, 9:30

Stuart Theatre 13th & P
"A Fish Called Wanda" (R)
1:20, 3:20, 5:20, 7:30, 9:40

Plaza 4 12th & P
"Young Guns" (R)
5:30, 7:30, 9:30
Sat.-Mon.: 5:45, 7:45, 9:45
"Cocktail" (R)
5:20, 7:20, 9:20
Weekend Matinees: 1:20, 3:20
"Who Framed Roger Rabbit" (PG)
5:00, 7:00, 9:00
Weekend Matinees: 1:00, 3:00
"Stealing Home" (R)
5:45, 7:45, 9:45
Weekend Matinees: 1:45, 3:45

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Before the move, the station was located on the Upper 96 Ranch on the original route. Although the pony express only lasted 18 months, we ran into several monuments along our trip.

The Station housed original artifacts from the bygone days. There were such relics as medicine bottles, posters, books, and a mochilla - the saddle the riders carried the mail in. The mini-museum was interesting to browse through and caught the attention of a lot of out-of-state tourists who had escaped the interstate for a diversion of some sort.

Sitorius said that the blacksmith shop that was located next to the station on the ranch is still intact. She said that it is not open for tours.

1:15 p.m. CST The Fort

Our next stop was Fort Kearney, the first stop on the Oregon Trail. Fort Kearney consists of a stockade and a museum. The artifacts in the museum were found by local farmers and are still being found today.

One of the guides said that a caretaker found a 5 cent settlers token when he was mowing the grass a couple weeks ago.

All in all, Fort Kearney was an outline of what existed there in the past. The fort was reconstructed in 1962. Inside the barrier are posts marking the layout of the interior of the fort.

There's not much to look at inside the fort, but if you have a good imagination, you can see the past.

4 p.m. CST There's No Place Like Home

We pulled into Lincoln hours earlier than we expected. Exhausted, dirty and hungry, we went to our respective homes.

To answer the question that inspired our journey, Nebraska is not dull. It's a diverse state with a diverse history. At one point you can see where prehistoric man lived, at another you can see the steps the state is taking into the future. In one instance, it's the Great Plains and in another, it's where the land meets the "ocean."

Now that I've been exposed to the other side of Nebraska, my curiosity has blossomed. Nebraska has more to offer than people realize. Take advantage of it, because there's no place like home.