

2011 Nebraska Attraction Attendance

City	Attraction	Total Attendance	% of Total Attendance from Out of State Visitors	Summer Attendance (Memorial Day-Labor Day)	% of Summer Attendance from Out of State Visitors
Omaha	Omaha's Henry Doorly Zoo	1,380,259			
Ashland	Eugene T. Mahoney State Park	968,600			
Fremont	Fremont Lakes State Recreation Area	870,750			
Ponca	Ponca State Park	778,313			
Louisville	Platte River State Park	675,606			
Ogallala	Lake McConaughy and Lake Ogallala State Recreation Areas	646,802			
Republican City	Harlan County Lake	624,252		393,783	
Louisville	Louisville Lakes State Recreation Area	533,400			
Burwell	Calamus Reservoir State Recreation Area	532,500			
Omaha	Wehrspann Lake at Chalco Hills Recreation Area	480,960	11	318,540	15
Raymond	Branched Oak State Recreation Area	443,550			
Lincoln	Pawnee State Recreation Area	299,925			
Chadron	Chadron State Park	280,200			
Omaha	Omaha Children's Museum	268,954	23	107,471	27
Venice	Two Rivers State Recreation Area	263,347			
Omaha	Orpheum Theater	257,422	18	47,679	22
Crawford	Fort Robinson State Park	257,194			
Crofton	Lewis and Clark Lake State Recreation Area	255,679			
Omaha	Lauritzen Gardens - Omaha's Botanical Center and Kenefick Park	175,549	30	76,949	30
Pierce	Willow Creek State Recreation Area	173,000			
North Platte	Lake Maloney State Recreation Area	168,150			
Lincoln	Lincoln Children's Zoo	162,484		81,068	
Omaha	The Durham Museum	162,000		38,000	
Hickman	Wagon Train State Recreation Area	150,277			
Enders	Enders Reservoir State Recreation Area	132,555			
Denton	Conestoga State Recreation Area	128,358			
Kearney	Fort Kearny State Recreation Area	121,410			
Shubert	Indian Cave State Park	114,850			

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Niobrara	Niobrara State Park	114,391			
Omaha	Joslyn Art Museum	114,254	5	27,819	9
Omaha	Holland Performing Arts Center	113,611	10	9,404	11
Minatare	Lake Minatare State Recreation Area	111,250			
Columbus	Columbus Racetrack	110,000			
Nebraska City	Arbor Lodge State Historical Park and Arboretum	110,000			
Hickman	Stagecoach State Recreation Area	103,671			
Valentine	Merritt Reservoir State Recreation Area	94,000			
Lincoln	Pioneers Park and Nature Center	89,642	5	50,000	7
Trenton	Swanson Reservoir State Recreation Area	86,193			
Alliance	Carhenge	85,000	75	75,000	
Omaha	Strategic Air & Space Museum	82,806		39,698	
Omaha	Omaha Community Playhouse	81,701	11	16,771	11
Gering	Highway 92 Raceway Park	81,000	8	200	8
Lincoln	University of Nebraska State Museum of Natural History and Mueller Planetarium	76,671	18	21,028	23
Sprague	Bluestem State Recreation Area	73,164			
Ashland	Lee G. Simmons Conservation Park and Wildlife Safari	70,977			
Grand Island	Stuhr Museum of the Prairie Pioneer	70,153	55	25,414	
Eagle	Eagle Raceway - America's Home Track	69,000	15	55,800	15
Beatrice	Beatrice Speedway	65,000	12		
Loup City	Sherman Reservoir State Recreation Area	63,325			
Hastings	Aquacourt Family Water Park	62,000	5	62,000	5
Papillion	Papio Bay Aquatic Center	60,231		60,231	
Hastings	Hastings Museum/Lied Super Screen Theatre/J.M. McDonald Planetarium	59,987	15	20,206	22
Chadron	Museum of the Fur Trade	59,437	75		
Kearney	Fort Kearny State Historical Park	58,675			
Lexington	Johnson Lake State Recreation Area	57,973			
McCook	Red Willow State Recreation Area	57,960			
Cambridge	Medicine Creek State Recreation Area	54,965			
Ogallala	Front Street and Cowboy Museum	53,958	15	23,292	
Grand Island	Mormon Island State Recreation Area	50,800			
Gibbon	Windmill State Recreation Area	48,650			
Columbus	Pawnee Plunge Water Park	48,000			

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Crofton	Lewis and Clark Visitor Center	44,935	50	34,500	60
Kearney	KidZone - Kearney Area Children's Museum	41,542	3	12,178	4
Roca	Roca Berry Farm	40,000	1	3,000	5
Papillion	Papio Fun Park	39,500			
Fremont	Splash Station	37,500	10	37,500	10
Valentine	Smith Falls State Park	37,412			
Nebraska City	Arbor Day Farm	36,000	45	7,992	56
North Platte	Bailey Railroad Yard and Golden Spike Tower and Visitor Center	35,527	51	15,772	69
Fairbury	Rock Creek Station State Historical Park and State Recreation Area	34,251			
Sutherland	Sutherland State Recreation Area	33,450			
Bridgeport	Bridgeport State Recreation Area	32,614			
Tekamah	Summit Lake State Recreation Area	32,000			
Gretna	Aksarben Aquarium Outdoor Education Center	30,000	3	10,000	10
Kimball	Oliver Reservoir State Recreation Area	29,269			
Fort Calhoun	Fort Atkinson State Historical Park	29,040			
Scottsbluff	The Midwest Theater	28,135		6,476	
Gering	Wildcat Hills State Recreation Area	28,127			
Omaha	Omaha Visitor Center	24,436	80	14,901	80
Gretna	Holy Family Shrine	23,686	25	8,962	25
Beatrice	Beatrice Big Blue Water Park	23,485			
Anselmo	Victoria Springs State Recreation Area	22,250			
Gothenburg	Pony Express Station	21,908	95	16,136	95
Kramer	Olive Creek State Recreation Area	21,509			
Kearney	Museum of Nebraska Art	21,411	17	4,536	3
North Platte	Buffalo Bill Ranch State Historical Park and State Recreation Area	21,324			
Papillion	Sumtur Amphitheater at Walnut Creek	20,950			
McCool Junction	Junction Motor Speedway	20,000	30	20,000	30
North Platte	Lincoln County Raceway	20,000	1	18,000	
Omaha	Artists' Cooperative Gallery Ltd.	19,140	25	6,300	26
Pawnee City	SchillingBridge Winery & Microbrewery	18,000			
Omaha	Bemis Center for Contemporary Arts	17,181			
Bennington	Pooley's Pumpkin Patch	17,000	10		

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Lincoln	International Quilt Study Center & Museum	15,396	30	5,500	35
Lewellen	Ash Hollow State Historical Park	13,375			
Lincoln	Lincoln Community Playhouse	13,000	5		
North Platte	North Platte Area Children's Museum	12,551	25	5,029	25
Manley	Lofte Community Theatre	12,500	2		
Norfolk	Poppy's Pumpkin Patch	12,500			
Lincoln	Spring Creek Prairie Audubon Center	12,000		2,000	
Crawford	Nebraska State Historical Society's Fort Robinson Museum	11,595		10,118	
Columbus	U.S. 30 Speedway	11,500	25	11,500	25
Burwell	Fort Hartsuff State Historical Park	11,153			
York	Recharge Lake	10,198	1	351	1
Nebraska City	Missouri River Basin Lewis & Clark Interpretive Trail & Visitor Center	10,000	50	4,700	50
Kearney	Merryman Performing Arts Center	8,614	2	1,800	3
Fremont	Louis E. May Historical Museum	8,500	4	5,000	4
Glenvil	Country Harvest Pumpkin Patch LLC	8,000			
Holdrege	The Tassel - Phelps County Center for the Performing Arts	8,000	10	1,000	10
Nehawka	Slattery Vintage Estates Vineyard & Tasting Room	8,000	30	6,000	25
Holdrege	Nebraska Prairie Museum	7,835	17	2,568	7
Omaha	Prairie View Lake and Recreation Area	7,590	5		
Kearney	Trails and Rails Museum	7,589	9	3,353	15
Lexington	Heartland Museum of Military Vehicles	7,500	71	4,191	70
Hastings	Motorsport Park Hastings (MPH)	7,400	70	5,600	80
Bellevue	Historic Sites of Bellevue	7,370			
Ashland	Willow Point Gallery and Museum	7,156	14	4,219	23
Scribner	Dead Timber State Recreation Area	7,050			
Lincoln	JK's Pumpkin Patch	6,200	25		
Wahoo	Saunders County Historical Society Museum	6,108	6	1,491	12
Halsey	Nebraska National Forest (Bessey Ranger District)	5,500	1	5,000	1
Columbus	Andrew Jackson Higgins National Memorial	5,410	65	4,000	62
Elm Creek	Chevyland U.S.A. Auto Museum	5,276	85	5,000	85
Lewellen	The Most Unlikely Place	5,000	35	2,500	50
Norfolk	Off Road Ranch ATV and Motocross Course	5,000	25	5,000	25
Fort Calhoun	Washington County Historical Museum & Frahm House	4,978	5	1,250	5
Beatrice	Gage County Historical Museum	4,923	9	2,140	12

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Gering	North Platte Valley Museum and Western History Archive	4,843		1,513	
Wellfleet	Dancing Leaf Earth Lodge and Cultural Learning Center	4,800	50	3,500	50
Kearney	Frank House	4,124	4	1,340	7
Ravenna	Cedar Hills Vineyard, LLC	4,000	10	2,500	15
Omaha	Blue Barn Theatre	3,940		945	
Avoca	Bloom Where You're Planted Farm and Pumpkin Patch	3,750	10		
Lincoln	Nebraska State Historical Society Headquarters	3,741	17	1,142	25
Lincoln	Hyde Memorial Observatory	3,308		1,199	
York	Yorkshire Playhouse	3,200	5	800	5
Ashland	Cooper Studio & Gallery	3,000	30		
Neligh	TK Drive-In	3,000	5	50	5
Omaha	Nebraska Jewish Historical Society and Riekes Museum	3,000	20	150	10
Raymond	WindCrest Winery	3,000	15		
Plattsmouth	Cass County Historical Society Museum	2,800	5	850	10
Nebraska City	Wildwood Historic Center Period House, Barn Art Gallery and Gift Emporium	2,750		925	
Norfolk	Elkhorn Valley Museum and Research Center	2,628	3	1,303	3
Gering	Wildlife World Wyobraska Natural History Museum	2,598		1,239	
Columbus	Quincentenary Belltower	2,510	65	1,750	58
Lincoln	Governor's Mansion	2,500	10	700	15
Columbus	Platte County Historical Society Museum	2,460	4	820	3
Ogallala	Mansion on the Hill	2,354	27	1,825	30
David City	Bone Creek Museum of Agrarian Art	2,350	11	1,750	14
Gothenburg	Gothenburg Historical Museum	2,282	50	1,651	50
Grant	Meadowlark Gallery	2,250		700	
Niobrara	Kreycik Riverview Elk Ranch	2,111	40	2,111	40
Hartington	Nissen Wine	2,100	30	1,200	45
Omaha	Malcolm X Birthsite	2,100	12	1,600	12
Grand Island	Prairie Winds Art Center	2,000	10	450	10
Harrisburg	Banner County Museum	2,000	5	1,000	3
Petersburg	Rae Valley Heritage Association	2,000	1		
Madison	Madison County Historical Society Museum	1,994	22	583	42
Kearney	Classic Car Collection	1,923	15		
Merriman	Arthur Bowring Sandhills Ranch State Historical Park	1,885			
Falls City	Richardson County Museum	1,834	25	1,200	25

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Lincoln	American Historical Society of Germans from Russia	1,625	75	623	75
Henderson	Heritage Park	1,600	15	1,600	15
Fremont	Nebraska Railroad Museum and Fremont & Elkhorn Valley Railroad	1,500	20	1,500	20
North Platte	20th Century Veterans' Memorial	1,380	50	1,021	50
Red Cloud	Webster County Historical Museum	1,372		527	
Morrill	WindHarvest Farms	1,300	30	700	30
Genoa	Genoa Indian School Interpretive Center	1,265	16	950	20
Lincoln	Robert Hillestad Textiles Gallery	1,230	5	152	12
Lincoln	National Museum of Roller Skating	1,200	33	614	31
Ogallala	Bald Eagle Viewing Center	1,176	26		
Cozad	100th Meridian Museum	1,112	10	827	10
Cambridge	Cambridge Museum	1,001	10	458	5
Friend	Pour House Tasting Room	1,000	5		
Johnstown	Niobrara Valley Preserve-The Nature Conservancy	1,000	50	1,000	50
Nenzel	Samuel R. McKelvie National Forest	1,000	1	800	1
Roca	WunderRosa Winery	1,000	50	60	50
Neligh	Pierson Wildlife Museum Learning Center	902	10	473	5
Nebraska City	Civil War Veterans Museum	900	40	800	40
Elmwood	Bess Streeter Aldrich House and Museum	845	30	480	30
Creighton	Creighton Historical Center	836	7	411	8
Nebraska City	Kimmel Harding Nelson Center for the Arts	830	5	200	5
Schuyler	Schuyler/Colfax County Museum and Genealogy Society	790	3	600	3
Grant	Perkins County Historical Society	726	12	415	9
Seward	Bartels Museum and Marxhausen Gallery of Art	700	10		
Odell	Old West Trails Center	684	19	260	22
Lincoln	Fairview, the Bryan Museum	650		280	
Clarkson	Clarkson Historical Society Museum	600	25	100	0
David City	Thorpe Opera House	600	2	20	2
St. Paul	Howard County Historical Village	600	10	600	10
Alliance	The Sandhills Drive-In	589			
Albion	Boone County Historical Society Museum	530	4	302	
Belvidere	Thayer County Museum	518	25	210	45
Fairmont	Fillmore County Museum	501	41	293	10
Neligh	Antelope County Pioneer Jail Museum	501	10	170	24

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Brownville	1860 Carson House	500	10	500	10
Ainsworth	Sellors Barton Museum	471	28	471	28
Broken Bow	Custer County Historical Museum	450	75	350	80
Strang	Strang Museum	450	5	450	5
Comstock	Dowse Riverview Homestead & Dowse Sod House	400	20	300	
Genoa	Genoa Historical Museum	379	66	269	52
Oshkosh	Historical Society of Garden County	357	45	357	45
Minden	Kearney County Historical Museum	320	20	320	20
Fremont	Fremont Historic Visitors Center	294	50	168	70
Clay Center	Clay County Museum	290	12	200	10
Orleans	Harlan County Museum	290	20		
Lodgepole	Lodgepole Depot Museum	283	30	237	30
Atkinson	Sturdevant-McKee Museum	280	2	98	2
Greenwood	Greenwood Historical Society Depot Museum	265	25	20	5
Allen	Dixon County Museum	260	30	240	30
Milligan	Cesky Bratri Cemetery and Pioneer Chapel	243		89	
Pender	Veterans Memorial Park	226	50	142	59
Arapahoe	Furnas-Gosper Museum	219		175	
Ashton	Polish Heritage Center, Inc.	215	7	199	7
Ogallala	South Fork Vineyard	209	33	164	36
Brownville	Brownville Historical Society Museum at Bailey House	200	10	200	10
Beaver City	Research Room of the Furnas County Genealogical Society	168	50	35	50
Butte	Butte Community Historical Center and Museum	150	15	150	15
Chappell	Sudman-Neumann Heritage House	145	23	53	13
Long Pine	Long Pine Heritage Society and Heritage House Museum	135	21	132	21
Atkinson	Atkinson Mill Race Park	124	37	85	55
Ainsworth	Coleman House Museum	123	1	32	1
Elkhorn	Elkhorn Historical Society Museum	109	5	60	5
Sidney	Ricky & Lucy's Country Greenhouse	107	1	62	1
Fairmont	Fairmont State Airfield	106	50	68	20
Hyannis	Grant County Museum	100		25	
Lynch	Old Baldy - The Tower	100	50	100	50
Pilger	Pilger Museum	100	5	40	2
Central City	Wright Morris Boyhood Home	90	10	64	10
Curtis	Hansen Memorial Museum	58	9	35	4

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Kimball	MEAN Wind Farm	39	25	10	
David City	Butler County Museum	34	1		