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7. NATIONAL COWGIRL MUSEUM AND HALL OF FAME

The museum includes interactive exhibits, rare photographs

Annie Oakley to Toy Story's Jessie the Cowgirl.

and fascinating artifacts telling stories of famous cowgirls from

FORT WORTH

1. FORT WORTH WATER GARDENS

An oasis among the skyscrapers of downtown, the Water Gardens features a "mountain" to climb, amphitheater, and three pools to explore.

2. FORT WORTH ZOO AND SAFARI SPLASH

The zoo is home to 7,000 animals and was ranked #5 in the nation by USA Travel Guide. During summer months, kids can visit the animal-themed playground with plenty of water features to stay cool.

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3. BOTANIC GARDENS – FAMILY DISCOVER DAY

Spend some time in the 22 specialized gardens while learning about 2,500 species of plants. Family Discover Day takes place each month in the vegetable garden.

4. BUREAU OF ENGRAVING AND PRINTING TOUR: MONEY FACTORY

Take a free guided tour of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing's Western Currency Facility to learn about the process through interactive exhibits and a short film.

5. TRINITY TRAILS

Botanic

Gardens

Walk, jog, bike, or horseback ride on the 70-mile-long Trinity Trails that follow the Trinity River through many popular spots around the city.

6. FORT WORTH MUSEUM OF SCIENCE AND HISTORY

Three museums in one, families will enjoy five permanent exhibits. Crawl around a massive sandbox for fossils in the Dino Lab exhibit or explore light and color in the Designer Studio. Watch a show at the Omni Theater (an IMAX dome) or catch a star party at the Noble Planetarium.

The world's only twice-daily cattle drive takes place at 11:30 a.m. and 4 p.m. on Exchange Avenue. 9. COW CAMP

Fort Worth

Water

8. FORT WORTH HERD

Gardens 9. COW CAMP Memorial Day through Labor Day, adults and children experience hands-on activities such as roping, saddling, cattle drive demonstrations and chuck wagon stories from the Fort Worth Herd.

10. STOCKYARDS CHAMPIONSHIP RODEO

Museum

of Science

& History

The world's only year-round rodeo takes place every Friday and Saturday night at 8 p.m. in the Cowtown Coliseum and features bull riding, barrel racing and calf roping. Kids can join in on the fun during the calf scramble.

11. PAWNEE BILL'S WILD WEST SHOW

A reenactment of Buffalo Bill's Wild West Show that once frequented Cowtown Coliseum. The show includes trick roping, riding and shooting, with the occasional singing cowboy.

12. SUNDANCE SQUARE SPLASH PAD

Kids can enjoy playing in the plaza fountains between 2-6 p.m. on weekdays or 1-6 p.m. on the weekends. Bathing suits not allowed.

