

City of Pendleton

Annual Events & History

Events

- Pendleton Roundup/Happy Canyon Show/Teepee Village
- Pendleton Bike Week & Concert (motorcycle rally)
- Underground Tour Comes Alive
- Pendleton Main Street Walking Tours/Bronze Trail
- Cattle Baron's Weekend
- Pendleton Whiskey Music Fest
- Umatilla Indian Pow Wow(s)
- Eastern Oregon Symphony (monthly)
- Historic Pendleton Woolen Mill Walking Tours (daily)
- Home of the 2A State Basketball Championships
- Beaver State Regional Aerobatic Contest (Planes)
- Pendleton Ag Drone Rodeo
- Blue Mountain Nitro Hill Climb (motorcycles)
- Wildhorse Casino: Monthly Concerts and Gaming Tournaments
- First Draft Writers' Series (monthly)
- Rock & Roll Camp
- Octoberfest
- Color Dash (marathon)
- Frisbee Golf Competitions
- Farmer's Market (every Friday)
- Concerts in the Park (weekly in Summer)
- Movies in the Park (weekly in Summer)

History

- Oregon Trail Runs Right Through Town
- WWII Training Ground of Famous Doolittle's Raiders & Home of Triple Nickle's Paratroopers, 1st All Black Smokejumpers
- Hamley's is Oldest Continuously Operated Western Store in US
- Hollywood's Most Famous Stuntman, Yakima Canutt, earned his nickname at the 1914 Pendleton Roundup
- Home of Hank Vaughn, Legendary Badman & Gunfighter
- Sheriff Til Taylor had 2800 Arrests without Using His Gun