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America 250 Wheel Coming to 2026 OK State Fair

Oklahoma City, OK – Oklahoma State Fair attendees can expect to reach heights never before achieved at the annual event with the debut of the American 250 Wheel this September.

Standing at a staggering 230 feet tall, the America 250 Wheel is the world's largest portable observation wheel. At its apex, riders will enjoy panoramic views of up to 14 miles. For reference, the Sky Eye Wheel present at the previous eight OK State Fairs peaked at 155 feet, making the America 250 Wheel an astounding 48 percent taller.

In salute to our nation's 250th anniversary, the America 250 Wheel features historical information, highlighting the U. S. Constitution and our National Parks. Additionally, each of the 45 gondolas is themed to showcase an American president, providing historical information for riders to discover.

America 250 Wheel Facts & Figures

- Largest portable observation wheel in the world
- 230 feet tall, providing views of 14 miles
- Larger than Navy Pier Wheel (Chicago, IL), Texas Star Wheel (State Fair of Texas)
- Weighs approximately 700,000 pounds
- Takes approximately four days and 400 man hours to assemble and disassemble, each
- 45 gondolas, each seat six riders
- Travels in 11 semis

Special event announcements and general updates for the 2026 Oklahoma State Fair will be released as information becomes available. To stay up to date on all the Fair fun, visit okstatefair.com, like us on [Facebook](#), and follow us on [X](#) and [Instagram](#).

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