



 CHOCTAW

COUNTRY

HURRY UP AND SLOW DOWN IN SOUTHEASTERN OKLAHOMA



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(HELLO)

IT IS WITH GREAT PRIDE THAT I WELCOME YOU TO CHOCTAW COUNTRY!

During the spring and summer months, there's no shortage of things to do: fishing, swimming, boating, water skiing, off-roading, you name it. You can come for the thrill-of-a-lifetime with activities filled with excitement – or simply set-up camp somewhere, do some fishing, and enjoy a gorgeous hike at your own pace. Yes, spring and summer are a great time to visit.

Then, when the air starts to cool down and the leaves begin to change, I find myself getting excited. In Choctaw Country, there are so many wonderful things to look forward to during the fall and winter seasons! Take a brisk (or long) hike through the stunning fall foliage, find some of the greatest hunting and fishing spots for miles around, or treat yourself during perfect camping temperatures to a spectacular view of the stars.

Whether you are looking for a peaceful retreat or a weekend adventure, our community members are here to welcome you with open arms and true southern hospitality. At every turn, you will find history, nature, excitement and, most importantly, culture. So come experience the Choctaw Nation and see for yourselves!

YAKOKE (THANK YOU)



Chief Gary Patton
Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma

A photograph of Choctaw dancers in traditional regalia. A male dancer on the left wears a red shirt with a white and red geometric patterned collar and a black hat with a red and white band. He is holding a colorful ribbon. A female dancer in the center wears a red long-sleeved top with a white ruffled collar and a white skirt with a red geometric patterned waistband. She is also holding a ribbon. Another dancer is partially visible on the right. The background is a clear blue sky and a stone wall.

Choctaw Nation Annual Powwow

If you've never been to a powwow, this is the one to attend. The Choctaw Powwow is one of the nation's largest, with more than 50 tribes from across the country participating. Join us for a celebration of Native American and First Nations tribes through stickball, dancing, music, food and more.

DURANT, OK



Choctaw Landing

HOCHATOWN, OK

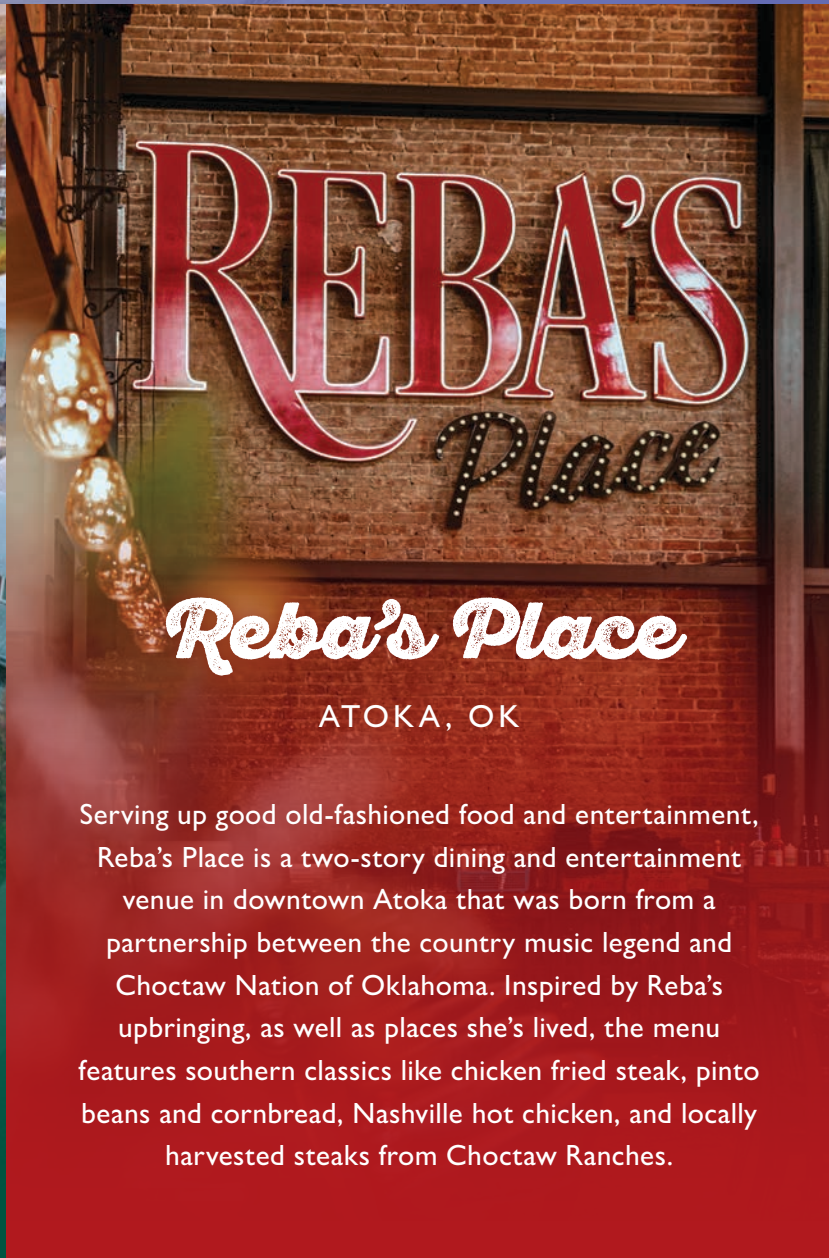
In the densely wooded landscape of Hochatown lies Choctaw Landing—a one-of-a-kind resort where luxury and nature convene. The resort offers a 100-room hotel, fully operational casino and fuel stop with its own unique mercantile. Soon, you'll be catching a show at the outdoor amphitheater, regaling stories of the day's adventures with your friends in the beer garden, diving into amazing food from the finest restaurants in the area or spending quality time with the kids in the family-friendly game zone—all in one exclusive resort destination.



Carlton Landing

CARLTON LANDING, OK

Carlton Landing is a lakeside haven on Lake Eufaula for families in search of making new memories on a magical getaway. There are no hotels here—only bungalows and cottages equipped with southern charm and large front porches that encourage a revival of wistful simplicity. With plenty of great food, pools, beaches, playgrounds, nature trails, and kayak, boat and bike rentals, relaxation is a pursuit that comes as easily as breathing.



REBA'S Place

Reba's Place

ATOKA, OK

Serving up good old-fashioned food and entertainment, Reba's Place is a two-story dining and entertainment venue in downtown Atoka that was born from a partnership between the country music legend and Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma. Inspired by Reba's upbringing, as well as places she's lived, the menu features southern classics like chicken fried steak, pinto beans and cornbread, Nashville hot chicken, and locally harvested steaks from Choctaw Ranches.

Choctaw Casinos & Resorts

DURANT, GRANT, AND POCOLA, OK

Whether you're a casual spinner of slots or an ace at the tables, there's a game with your name on it at any Choctaw Casino. The fun doesn't stop there—activities and attractions abound for all ages with bowling, arcade games, movies at The District, and a diverse selection of eateries at all our establishments. Visit our resort properties in Grant, Durant, and Pocola for even more thrills, like tropical pools, fine dining options, live entertainment, pampering at The Spa, and a luxurious guest room to call your own at the end of the day.



Choctaw Casino & Resort RV Park

DURANT, OK

Choctaw Casino & Resort is any RVer's hot spot. It offers just what you need for camping, adventure and experience.

PARK AMENITIES

- 50/30 Amp Service
- Full Hook-Ups
- Pull-Through Sites
- Heated Saltwater Pool
- Bathrooms/Hot Showers
- Kitchen (Offered to Large Groups)
- Free Wi-Fi
- Golf Courses (Nearby)
- Shuttle Bus
- Game Room
- Meeting Room
- Laundry Facilities
- K9 Dog Park
- LP Gas
- Fire Pit
- Playground



Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma Capitol Museum

TUSKAHOMA, OK

In 1884, the Choctaw Capitol Building was established as home to the Choctaw government and served as the Council House until Oklahoma achieved statehood in 1907. Today, this stately brick building still stands in Tuskahoma, serving as a testament to the accomplishments of the Choctaw people. The museum features exhibits on important aspects of Choctaw history and culture, including the Trail of Tears and Choctaw Code Talkers. The surrounding grounds sprawl across five immaculately kept acres—the perfect location for stickball tournaments, weddings, social dancing and the annual Choctaw Labor Day Festival.

Choctaw Hunting Lodge

BLANCO, OK

For as long as our stories have been told, the Choctaw people have held a relationship of respect and gratitude with the earth as we have harvested her resources for survival. Today, the legacy of that relationship lives on at Choctaw Hunting Lodge—44,000 acres of remote, Native-owned wildland and home to some of the largest whitetail deer in the area. Featuring a 12,000-square-foot accommodations facility, the lodge is perfect for groups of all sizes looking to experience the ultimate hunting adventure in a luxurious setting.

Hunts Available

- ◆ NATIVE DEER
- ◆ HOG
- ◆ RAM
- ◆ MANAGEMENT DEER
- ◆ TURKEY
- ◆ EXOTIC
(Aoudad, Axis, Bison and Fallow)
- ◆ PRESERVE DEER

To learn more or to book a hunt with us visit choctawhuntinglodge.com.

Fishing Trails

Some of the best fishing in the U.S. can be found right here in Choctaw Country. Reel in some muskie, saugeye and red-ear sunfish at Lake Carlton, or beat your personal best at Broken Bow Lake with the biggest largemouth you've ever seen. The Mountain Fork River offers walleye, spotted bass and brown trout. No matter the type of fish you're after, you'll find some great honey holes in Southeastern Oklahoma.

	Blue Catfish	Brown Trout	Channel Catfish	Crappie	Largemouth Bass	Rainbow Trout	Saugeye	Smallmouth Bass	Sunfish	Walleye	White Bass
Atoka Lake, Atoka	■		■	■	■			■	■	■	■
Broken Bow Lake, Broken Bow		■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Cedar Lake, Hodgen					■						
Clayton Lake, Clayton			■	■	■				■		
Glover River, Broken Bow			■		■			■	■		
Hugo Lake, Hugo	■		■	■	■			■		■	■
Lake Carl Albert, Talihina	■		■	■				■			
Lake Carlton, Wilburton			■	■	■	■		■	■		
Lake Eufaula, Eufaula	■		■	■	■				■		■
Lake John Wells, Stigler	■		■	■	■			■			
Lake Texoma, Kingston	■		■	■	■			■	■		■
Lake Wister, Wister			■	■	■				■		■
McGee Creek State Park, Atoka			■	■	■		■		■		
Mountain Fork River, Broken Bow		■			■	■		■		■	
Nanah Waiya, Tuskahoma					■					■	
Pine Creek Lake, Valliant			■	■	■						■
Raymond Gary State Park, Hugo				■	■			■		■	■
Robert S. Kerr Lake, Stigler	■		■	■	■					■	
Sardis Lake, Clayton	■			■	■						■

Alligator gar may be caught by use of rod and reel, trotline, and throwline. Alligator gar taken by bow and arrow, gigs, spears, or spearguns cannot be released. Alligator gar caught and placed on a stringer cannot be released (a practice called culling). Harvest must be reported within 24 hours via E-Check at wildlifedepartment.com. The attempt to take or harvest alligator gar is prohibited statewide May 1-31.

It is unlawful to take or possess more than 25 nongame bait fish in rivers or streams, except for shad, of which 200 may be taken or possessed.

Daily limit is 1 for any fish species of special concern in category I or II, which includes alligator gar, black buffalo, shovelnose sturgeon (see Title 800:25-19-6). Such harvest must be reported to the Wildlife Department. In rivers and streams: black bass (largemouth, smallmouth, and spotted): six combined per day, only one of which may be a smallmouth bass. Largemouth and smallmouth bass must be 14 inches or longer. No size limit on spotted bass.



Motorcycle Riding Trails

Southeastern Oklahoma has you covered! Load up your friends, take a tour and sample the goods. With unique wineries all across Choctaw Country, you're sure to find new favorites at every turn.





State Parks

- 1 – McGee Creek State Park
- 2 – Raymond Gary State Park
- 3 – Beavers Bend State Park
- 4 – Talimena State Park
- 5 – Wister State Park
- 6 – Robbers Cave State Park
- 7 – Arrowhead State Park




Points of Interest


- 1 – Choctaw Cultural Center
- 2 – Amish Country
- 3 – Reba's Place
- 4 – Circus City USA
- 5 – Original Fort Towson
- 6 – Hochatown
- 7 – Capital Museum
- 8 – Talimena Scenic Byway
- 9 – World's Tallest Hill
- 10 – Viking Runestone
- 11 – Spiro Mounds



Choctaw Travel Plazas



Choctaw Casinos



Choctaw Country Markets

Durant Trail

Durant is home to our flagship casino-resort property, featuring every casino game you can imagine in a AAA Four-Diamond hotel. The Choctaw Cultural Center lies just across the highway, offering a uniquely immersive cultural experience. Other notable sites along the way include the Atoka County Museum & Confederate Cemetery, the beautiful McGee Creek State Park and Angie's Circus City Diner in Hugo.

Hochatown Trail

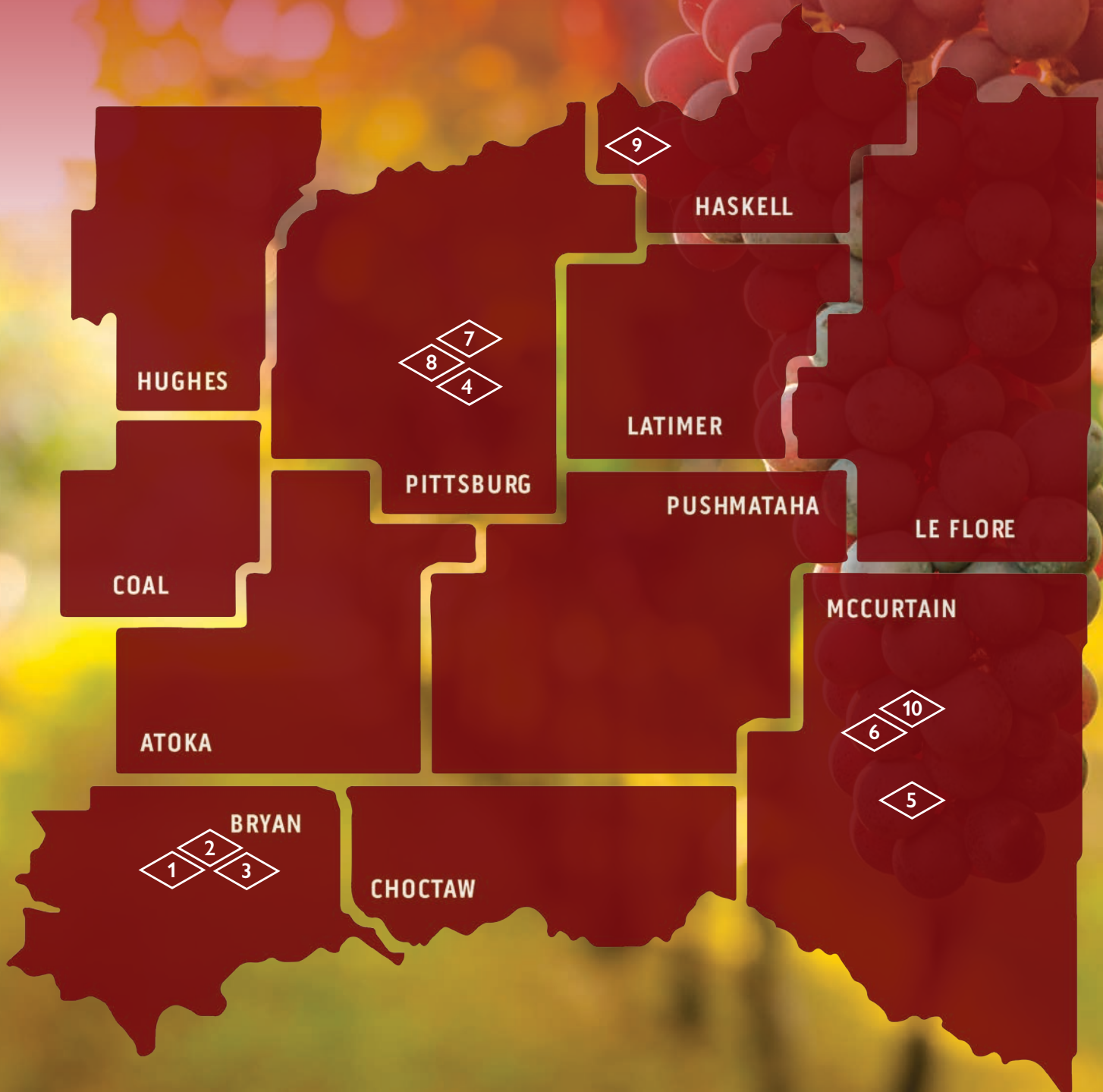
Beavers Bend State Park is the perfect place to touch down once your trip comes to a close, with so many places to camp, plus numerous wineries and breweries. Talimena State Park is known as the best place to view fall foliage in Southeastern Oklahoma. Plus, be sure to check out the Choctaw Nation Museum in Tuskahoma.

Carlton Landing Trail

From community events and pop-up shops to boat rentals and home-like accommodations, this picturesque lakeside resort town is a dream vacation spot for families of all sizes. Stopping by the Viking-inscribed stone at Heavener Runestone Park is a must, and Robbers Cave State Park offers even more to explore, with hiking trails, mini golf, campsites and more.

Winery Trails

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Crystal Creek Winery

41 Swinney Rd, Mead, OK 73449
(580) 980-1006 | crystalcreekwinery@yahoo.com
crystalcreekwinery.net

2

Blue River Valley Winery

3565 Sawmill Rd, Caddo, OK 74729
(580) 775-4213 | bluerivervalleywinery@gmail.com
bluerivervalleywinery.com

3

Rock House Vineyard Winery

326 Katy Avenue, Durant, OK 74701
(580) 745-5746 | rockhousevineyard@gmail.com
rockhousevineyard.com

4

Urban Wine Works

115 E Choctaw Ave, McAlester, OK 74501
(405) 525-9463 | urbanwineworks@yahoo.com
facebook.com/UrbanWineWorks

5

Fish Tales Winery & Vineyard

17 Oak Leaf Ln, Broken Bow, OK 74728
(580) 494-6115 | fishtaleslinda@icloud.com
fishtaleswine.com

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Girls Gone Wine

10216 US-259, Broken Bow, OK 74728
(580) 306-9463 | winegirls@thegirlsgonewine.com
thegirlsgonewine.com

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Country Aire Estates Winery

22 Country Aire Ave, McAlester, OK 74501
(918) 318-9463 | countryairewines@yahoo.com
savorthecountryaire.com

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Whispering Meadows Vineyard & Winery

34 E Choctaw Ave, McAlester, OK 74501
(918) 423-9463 | info@whisperingmeadowswine.com
whisperingmeadowswine.com

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On the Lamb Winery

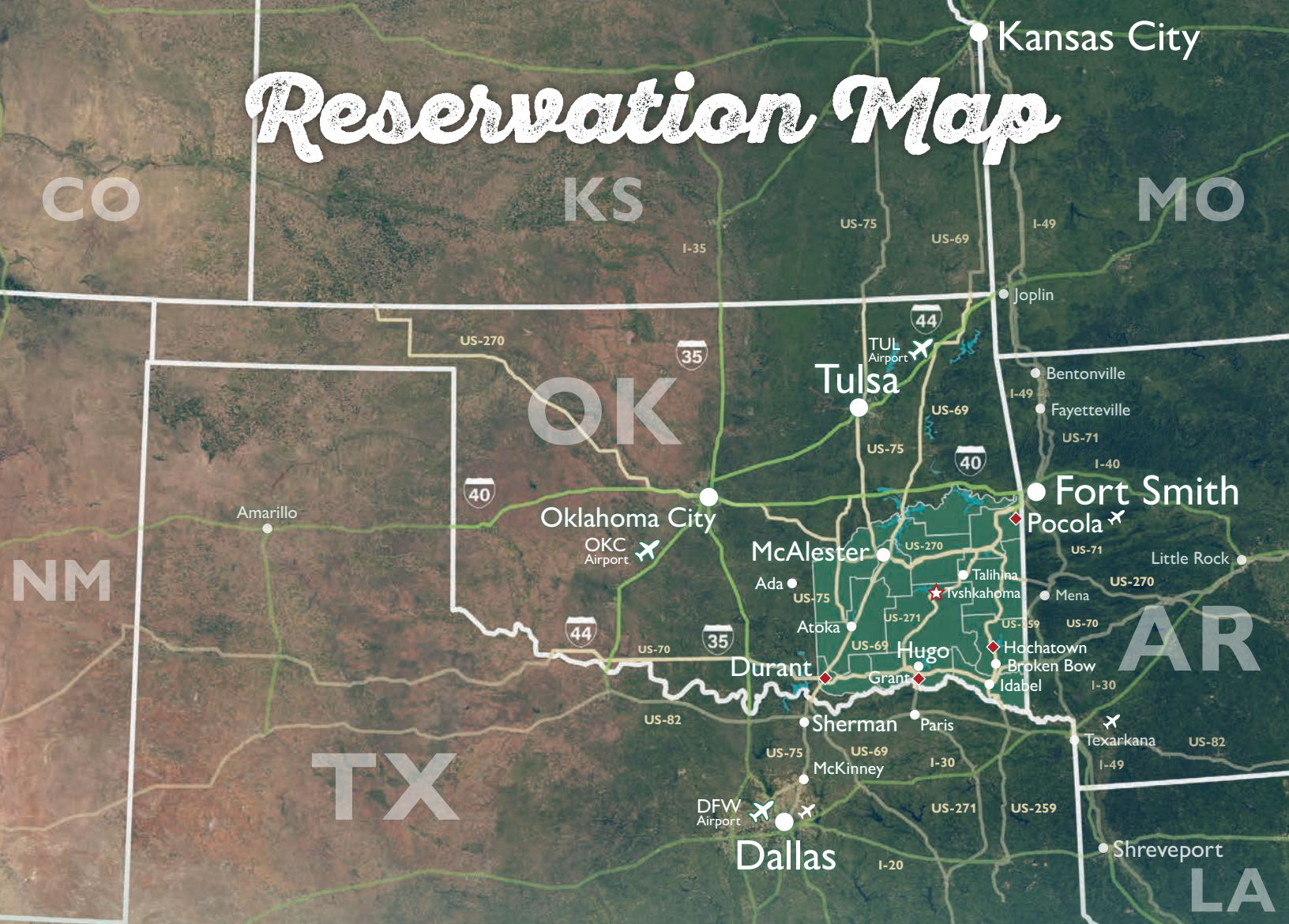
180 N BK 700 Rd, Stigler, OK 74462
(918) 448-0491 | onthelambwinery@gmail.com
onthelambwinery.com

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Knotted Rope Winery

83 North Lukfata Trail Rd, Ste B, Broken Bow, OK 74728
julie.mcdaniel@knottedropewinery.com
visitmccurtaincounty.com/directory/knotted-rope-winery

Reservation Map



Fun Facts:

- Choctaw Country covers almost 11,000 square miles in Southeastern Oklahoma.
- Choctaw Country has over 80 different campsites, 50 different RV sites, and over 4000 Airbnb/Vrbo/cabin rentals available throughout our region.
- Durant, OK is just over one hour from the DFW International Airport.
- Choctaw Country is home to eight of Oklahoma's most beautiful state parks.

◆ — CHOCTAW CASINO RESORT
★ — CHOCTAW NATION CAPITOL

- ◆ FAYETTEVILLE, AR - 70 miles away
- ◆ DALLAS, TX - 95 miles away
- ◆ TULSA, OK - 95 miles away
- ◆ FT WORTH, TX - 120 miles away
- ◆ OKLAHOMA CITY, OK - 130 miles away
- ◆ SHREVEPORT, LA - 145 miles away
- ◆ LITTLE ROCK, AR - 170 miles away
- ◆ AUSTIN, TX - 290 miles away
- ◆ MEMPHIS, TN - 295 miles away
- ◆ KANSAS, MO - 310 miles away
- ◆ HOUSTON, TX - 330 miles away
- ◆ AMARILLO TX - 350 miles away



Choctaw Cultural Center

The Choctaw Cultural Center is more than a museum, it's an adventure. Become an intrepid explorer on a scavenger hunt that takes you through our immersive exhibits; learn how to prepare traditional Choctaw foods and crafts through our hands-on workshops; or just take a quiet moment to listen to our storytellers in the Luksi Activity Center. Whether you're young or young at heart, the possibilities for fun and learning are endless!

UNITING GENERATIONS THROUGH CULTURE.

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