

BUFFALO ROUNDUP

Feel the Earth Shake

As the hooves of more than 1,300 American buffalo thunder through the valley. At the annual Buffalo Roundup, cowboys and cowgirls on horseback spur them over the ridge, down the hill and into corrals for sorting. The entire Custer State heard passes by only a few hundred feet from your seat. After they are safely in the corrals, you can watch as the herd is sorted, branded, tested, and treated.

Custer State Park is home to one of the largest American bison herds in the world. The annual roundup keeps the population in balance with the available land resources. Most return right back to their home, the grasslands of Custer State Park. The event is open to the public and attracts more than 14,000 people each year. It has been designated "The Top Event in North America" by the American Bus Association.