

Howdy,...

last week I could experience what Oklahoma is really about,.. bullriding!!! :)

Last Friday we were at a huge bullriding event in town. It was crowded with bullriders from all over the states. My hostmothers friends are Indians and their father performed a traditional opening dance in the Indian costume. We got VIP tickets and hung out with the cowboys backstage!!

There was also free Budweiser, but I could just watch them drinking (21 in America) :P

The rodeo was very exciting, I have never seen anything like that. There was someone singing the national anthem at the beginning (as you may have seen in the movie^^), there was a clown for the changes between the bulls and of course the riders in their fancy cowboy pants *lol*

I told you that the baseball season has already started, but unfortunately it is way not as exciting as basketball. Most of the girls just go and watch it because of the tight uniforms :) I didn't get any of the rules at the seasons beginning but I start to understand it. The baseball games usually take forever. The first one this season, took about three hours and it was freezing cold and very windy. I still don't know why we stayed for the whole game!?

Yesterday there was a speaker at school. The student council had a meeting the whole day and in the last lesson the rest of us went to an assembly in our gym. The speakers name was Tyler, he has speeches in front of 300 000 students per year. Everybody was amazed by his audition. He told us stories about the students he had met in the 19 years of his speaker career, and what they all had to go through. He was so funny, the whole school laughed, really every single person in the gym was banned. But he also talked about very serious contents and the choices we have to make in life. He really made us think!!

I think that`s about it for today,...

Yours,
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