Comanche National Grassland, Timpas Unit

Recreation

- Many developed recreation opportunities.
  1. Picnic areas at Timpas and Vogel Canyon (below).

  2. Ten interpreted heritage, paleontology, and wildlife viewing sites (Iron Springs, Timpas, Sierra Vista, Vogel Canyon (above right), Picket Wire Corrals, Withers Canyon Overlook, the Picket Wire Dinosaur Tracksite, and Rourke Ranch.

  3. Trailheads at Vogel Canyon, Withers Canyon, Iron Springs, Timpas and Sierra Vista access 44 miles of trail. All the trails are non-motorized and open for hiking, horseback riding and mountain biking.

- Guided auto tours into Picket Wire Canyonlands highlight the largest dinosaur tracksite in North America (left), Native American rock art (center), Rourke Ranch National Historic site, and an early 1900s Hispanic church and cemetery (right). In 2006, 627 visitors toured the canyon this way.

- Numerous dispersed recreation opportunities allow visitors a sense of solitude and self-reliance including hiking (left), horseback riding (right), mountain biking, hunting, wildlife viewing, and scenic drives.