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“Texas’ best kept secret” is how one former governor described the spectacular geologic wonders and panorama of colors you will witness here. Visitors can enjoy the park’s scenery by simply traveling along the paved 16 miles of roadway through the canyon or renting a horse for an up-close look. During the summer, “Texas,” an outdoor drama, is performed in an open-air theater nestled at the foot of a high cliff.



**Camping:** Backpacking, equestrian sites, tent sites and RV sites with water and electricity.



**Cabins:** CCC-built rental cabins.



**Picnicking:** Picnic tables in a variety of locations.



**Trails:** 35 miles of hiking and biking trails. Equestrian trails available.



**Old West Stables:** Guided horseback rides.



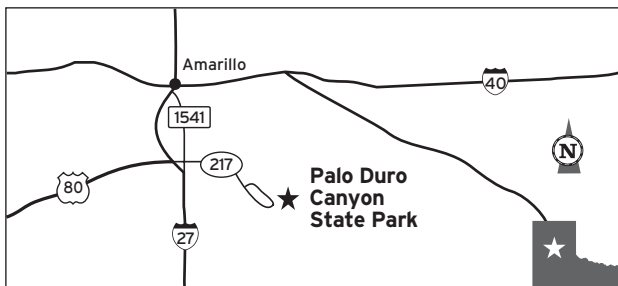
**Interpretive Center:** Exhibits about the history, geology and wildlife of the Canyon. Park Museum store.



**Nature Observation:** Birdwatching, “textbook” geology.



**Palo Duro Trading Post Restaurant and Park Store:** Souvenirs, camping supplies, firewood, ice, restaurant and catering.



Located in Armstrong and Randall counties, 12 miles east of Canyon on Texas 217. From Amarillo, south on FM 1541, then eight miles east on Texas 217.

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