Seminole Canyon
STATE PARK AND HISTORIC SITE

BIG BEND COUNTRY
Ancient pictographs, rugged limestone terrain and spectacular canyons lure visitors to Seminole Canyon State Park and Historic Site. Fate Bell Shelter contains Pecos River rock art dated 4,000 years old, considered to be some of North America’s oldest pictographs. Visitors who hike down into the canyon to this enormous rock shelter will be treated to dozens of prehistoric paintings. An impressive rendering of a panther on the wall of another cave can be seen from a scenic overlook.

Guided Tours: Fate Bell Shelter, Wednesday through Sunday at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. ONLY 10 a.m. during June, July and August. Tour sizes are limited and tours are subject to cancellation.

Camping: Campsites with water nearby or water/electricity, and primitive campsites.

Picnicking: Picnic tables with fire rings and grills in day-use area.

Bicycling: 8.7 miles of bicycle trails.

Hiking: 9.3 miles of hiking trails. Canyon closed except for guided tours.

Interpretive Museum: Fascinating exhibits about the area’s ancient Indians and its more recent history.

Texas State Parks Store: Unique gifts, books, etc.

Located in Val Verde County, 45 miles west of Del Rio, off U.S. 90.