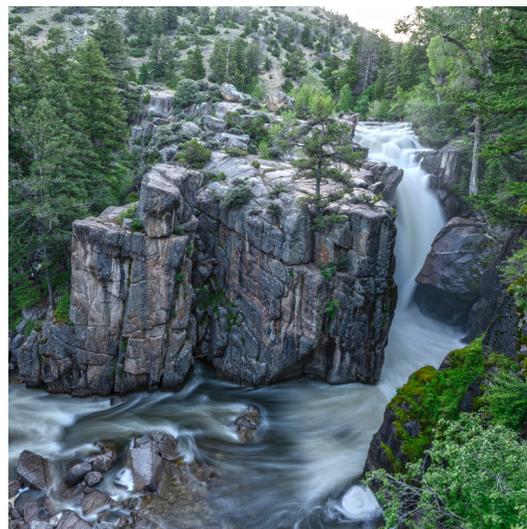




Wandering in Washakie County

DAY TRIPS *North of Worland, WY*

- 1. Medicine Lodge State Archaeological Site.** Located 6 miles northeast of Hyattville, Wyoming, off of Highway 31. This is a sandstone cliff formation that contains petroglyphs and pictographs on its walls depicting bits of life of the early native presence. In 1969, Dr. George Frison discovered about 60 separate layers of culture in the sediment beneath the cliffs. A visitor center is located at the site, open from May 1st to October 31st.
- 2. Elk Wildlife Habitat Site.** Located Northeast of Hyattville, just past the turn off for Medicine Lodge Archaeological Site is Cold Springs Road- go 4.5 miles to the entrance of habitat site.
- 3. Greybull Museum.** Located at 325 Greybull Avenue, Greybull, Wyoming. This museum exhibits historical pieces from the area's western and pioneer history.
- 4. Museum of Flight and Aerial Firefighting.** Located just behind the Rest Area northwest of Greybull, WY off of Highway 14-16-20. This museum showcases former military planes that were decommissioned and put into private service as aerial firefighters. The museum is open from mid-May through mid-October.
- 5. Shell Creek Falls.** Located in beautiful Shell Canyon on Highway 14, 21 miles southwest of Burgess Junction. The interpretive site informs about the natural wonder of the power of water. Shell falls drops at the rate of 3,600 gallons per second. The canyon is named after the many shell fossils found in the sedimentary rock of the canyon walls.
- 6. Red Gulch Dinosaur Tracksite.** Located south of Shell, on the Red Gulch/Alkali National Back Country Byway. The fossil dinosaur footprints are preserved in limestone and were discovered in 1997 by geologist Erik P. Kvale. Many marine fossils can also be found in this area.
- 7. Devil's Kitchen (formerly Shell Dome).** Located east of Greybull off of Big Horn County L33. This spectacularly scenic area of "bad lands" consists of colorful outcrops of sandstone, shale and claystone spread out over 115 acres.
- 8. Medicine Wheel.** Located east of Lovell, take Highway 14A to Forest Service Road 12. This wheel is believed to have been built about 300-800 years ago by the Plains Indians. It is open only in the summer months. There is a half-mile gravel road hike from the parking area to the medicine wheel.
- 9. Pryor Mountain Wild Horse Range.** Located northeast of Lovell. Interpretive center is located at the junction of Highways 310 and 14A. This area's band of wild horses are a small, tough breed deriving from horses from Spain and Portugal. A visit to the Wild Mustang Center before driving out to the horse range is very informative.



Shell Creek Falls