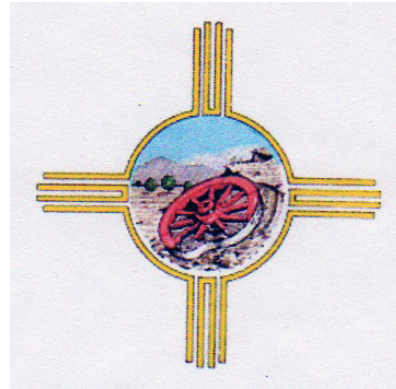


**CORAZÓN de los CAMINOS
HEART OF THE TRAILS CHAPTER
SANTA FE TRAIL ASSOCIATION**



**Meeting: Saturday, April 16, 2015,
11am to ?
Faye Gaines Ranch House
Point of Rocks**

Dear Corazón Members:

Faye Gaines will share her new research on her ranch. Meet at her house and bring a dish to share, drinks, and plates and eating utensils for yourself. We will be having a potluck picnic.

Google gives the following directions to Point of Rocks.

Faye also mentioned that there are now signs along the way.

← from Springer, NM
to Point of Rocks Rd, Springer, NM 87747

50 min (35.8 miles)
via US-412 E/US-56 E
49 min without traffic

Springer, NM

- > Follow US-412 E/US-56 E
26 min (26.8 mi)
- > Take Co Rd C-58 and Co Rd C-54 to Point of Rocks Rd
26 min (9.0 mi)

Point of Rocks Rd
Springer, NM 87747

These directions are for planning purposes only. You may find that construction projects, traffic, weather, or other events may cause conditions to differ from the map results, and you should plan your route accordingly. You must obey all signs or notices regarding your route.

Point of Rocks National Historic District

Colfax County New Mexico



Photo by Michael E. Pitel

The promontory known as Point of Rocks is a narrow rocky-sloped mesa with a spring at its south base. Located on the Gaines Ranch, it affords visitors unspoiled, serene vistas of the Great Plains, SFT ruts, the grave of Isaac Allen (pictured) who died in 1848, and 11 unmarked graves.

Certified Site of the Santa Fe National Historic Trail. Point of Rocks, with its vantage points and year-round spring, was a popular campsite for various Indian buffalo-hunting parties and SFT caravans traveling the Mountain Route. Numerous teepee rings, 11 unmarked graves and sweeping views of SFT ruts can be seen there.

Location Information

- View the Google Map for this site (lat-long decimal degrees, NAD27)
[36.42038 -104.15119](https://www.google.com/maps/place/36.42038,-104.15119)

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- Springer, NM 87747
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IF YOU NEED THE MEMBERSHIP FORM TO RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP, HERE IT IS. (I have also included it as a separate document in the email notice.)



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