Trail Highlights: The Fourche Mountain Trail (formerly Mill Creek Equestrian Trail) offers breathtaking views of Fourche Mountain and Buck Knob. Beautiful streams, and several spectacular views of the Ouachita Mountains are among the trail sites.

While this trail network provides horseback riding opportunities, it also offers day hiking, mountain biking, ORV and motorcycle riding.

For More Information:
Mena Ranger District
1603 Hwy. 71 N.
Mena, AR 71953
(479) 394-2382
(North of Mena on State Hwy. 71 N.)

or

Poteau Ranger District
P.O. Box 2255
Waldron, AR 72958
(479) 637-4174
(Junction of U.S. Hwy. 71 & State Hwy. 248)

Length and travel time: Varies (See map for mileage.)

Directions: From Y City, take Highway 270 east for 5.2 miles.

Surface type: Unsurfaced and road surfaces.

Difficulty level: Easy to most difficult.

Recommended season: Spring, summer, and fall.

Water: Treat water from lakes and streams before drinking.

History: The Forest, with the assistance of the Arkansas Trail Riders Association, built this trail in 1990.

Trail marking: Yellow Rectangles with numbered junctions.

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* Only hiking is permitted on all of the Ouachita National Recreation Trail. Mountain Biking is allowed between Hwy. 27 and Hwy. 71

To F.S. Road 7172

USGS 7.5 minute Quadrangle: Y-City and Buck Knob