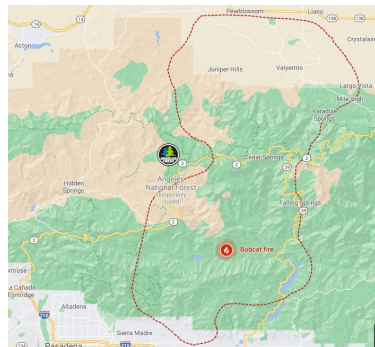


## BOBCAT FIRE UPDATE



The Bobcat fire threatens the buildings of the camp at Angeles Crest Christian Camp as of today. The portion of our property named Singing Pines is in the most immediate danger and despite the faithful service of firefighters, the fire still creeps toward our buildings and our recreation elements and threatens to destroy our beloved camp.

**And if that was not enough...** When the Bobcat fire was first a threat, firefighters evacuated the visitors and residents of Angeles Crest. Soon after, the power went out, leaving thousands of dollars worth of food to spoil in our freezers and refrigeration units at the camp.

### To make matters worse...

Drawn to the camp by the smell of rotting food, the threat of fire, and the lack of water in the area, a brown bear busted through one of the doors of the Dining Hall, destroying the door.

**But God...** It would be easy to get discouraged and feel defeated. But God has blessed us with things to do and ways to serve.



### What can we do?

**WE CAN PRAY.** We can pray for God to spare the camp from the fire so that thousands can hear of His goodness and love in the years to come.

**WE CAN HELP.** The firefighters are using parts of our property for lodging and water from the pool to help combat this raging fire.

**WE CAN ASK FOR HELP.** Outside of asking God for His provision, we can also ask for your financial support at this time to bridge us to summer next year. Without much income since the onset of COVID, and now the closure due to the Bobcat fire, we see no immediate end in sight. We are financially anemic and need generous folks to join us in the fight to save camp.



**HELP US FIGHT TO SAVE CAMP.**

Use enclosed card or [www.AngelesCrest.com/donate](http://www.AngelesCrest.com/donate).

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The Boisvert family told us: "We had the most wonderful time at Angeles Crest Camp with our family."



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In a recent article by CNBC, 62% of camps closed this year due to the COVID-19 pandemic. We feel so thankful that, through the generosity of others and some loans, we have been able to stay open and continue ministry, albeit quite different than in years past.

In observance of the mandates from the Governor's office, we closed our campus to large groups, but we have opened our doors as a Family Campground. This allows families to schedule a getaway in the beautiful Pines of the Angeles National Forest.

The response to opening as a Family Campground has been tremendous!! We've had 78 family groups, with a total of 482 people who have already attended the Family Campground and/or are scheduled to attend this fall. Even in the midst of the pandemic, Angeles Crest has found a way to minister to the children, youth and adults in Southern California. Here is what one family had to say about attending the family campground at Angeles Crest...



-Brenda Lindquist

*"Our family had an amazing time at the camp! The food was great and the staff were very helpful and nice! This is just what we needed to do to stay sane during this unprecedented time of Covid-19."*

*The kids enjoyed themselves so much with all of the fun activities! They especially loved the pool, zipline, and rec room. Thank you so much for the great experience and the wonderful family memories that were made!*



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We want to say a **BIG THANK YOU** to our incredible summer staff.

They were hired and ready to serve this summer when COVID hit and we had to tell them we wouldn't be able to hire them this summer.

Some of them asked if they could still come up for a couple weeks to volunteer which we were happy to oblige.

**Funny thing is they never left!**

These incredible summer staff spent their whole summer volunteering. They loaded a large trailer about 7 times with scrap wood, junk and metal. They cleaned up areas in camp that needed attention plus they also helped us run our weekend family camps. They were such a blessing to us and to our family camp guests for that last couple of months.

Big round of applause to: Robert (Grizz) Vargas, Savanah (Rodeo) Petry, Mia (Sharky) Garcia, Sena (Sunshine) Kott, Carson (Slim) Daily, & Garrett (Focus) Shaw



Over the summer, we received a gift from Randy Mayer, owner of Mayer Litho Printers, a printing business in Anaheim, that specializes in printing for non-profit organizations.

When I called to thank Randy for his financial gift, he said to me, "Hi Dave, what a coincidence, we were just praying for you and the ministry of Angeles Crest."

Randy has been a faithful mentor, friend, and supporter of the Angeles Crest ministry for many years.

Over the years, Randy and his son Dave have printed most of the promotional materials for the camp. We thank Randy, Linda, and Dave Mayer for all the support they give through their work, through their finances, and through their prayers. Thank you for "lifting our arms" during this challenging time.

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**"We LOVE the ministry of Angeles Crest."**

- Danny and Norma Siler

Danny and Norma Siler have been supporting Angeles Crest for many years with their generous financial donations. Danny has been involved with camp since attending in his college years. While at camp, he met some amazing Christians that eventually became life-long friends.



It was his life-changing experience at camp that is the motivation for giving to Angeles Crest. For many years, they participated in "Project Nehemiah" volunteer work weekends. On those weekends, you could find them painting cabins, trimming overgrown oak trees, or helping to install number signs on our camper cabins.

We want to say a big "thank you" to the Silers for their tireless support of the camp and their overwhelming financial generosity which has been a key factor in "UPHOLDING" the arms of the Angeles Crest ministry.