



BoggsMountain.org (boggsMountain.net) - fobmtn@gmail.com

Founded: 2002 - Non-profit 501c3. \$1M Liability & D&O Insurance. Membership dues, donations, fundraising (historic cards, coloring books, music events, etc) raise ~\$4-5K/year.

Mission: To enhance the visitor's experience through interpretive and educational programs at Boggs Mountain Demonstration State Forest. Work collaboratively with Forest Management and ALL trail users.

EXAMPLES of projects and activities:

- GPS-ing of trails and funding of trail maps. Continue to update and print maps - approx. \$1,000/yr; does not include volunteer labor for graphics work.
- Trail Maintenance days (1x/month). Would like to continue improving trails, re-routing where permissible to improve sustainability. Received two IMBA (Int'l Mountain Biking Assoc.) grants in 2004 and 2015 to teach volunteers sustainable trail construction.
- Collaborate with outside event organizers (Heart & Sole, Bike Monkey, Lake County High School MTB Team); try to ensure trails are repaired in high-impact areas.
- Established & maintain 1.3-mile Interpretive Trail with over 50 interpretive signs.
- Installed and maintain carsonite trail markers for wayfinding.
- 2007 - large kiosk built by local contractor Bob Berg who volunteered his time; Calpine Community Fund also donated funds for materials.
- 2009 - resurfaced main parking lot to remove potholes.
- 2012 - Eagle Scout project for 2 benches (Interpretive Trail and Mac's Trail); also purchased several fire pits for Calso Camp.
- 2013 - Calpine Community Fund and FOBM funded flush toilet at the main parking lot.
- 2014 - Developed "Sharing Trails" brochure in collaboration with Konocti Regional Trails (KRT), achieving endorsements from hiking, biking and equestrian organizations, as well as BMDSF. Organized multiuse trails etiquette event with KRT.
- 2015 - Collaboration with Lake-Mendo Unit of Backcountry Horsemen of CA to install water trough for at horse camp. Funding from Calpine Community Fund.
- Since inception: guided hikes, birding hikes, kid hikes, "Dogs at Boggs", music, art and nature, guest speaker events. Occasionally, shooting area cleanup.