

Camp Rancho Alegre

Los Padres Council is committed to keeping the tradition of Rancho Alegre alive for the future of Scouting and community camping. The following list of improvements has been identified to maintain the quality of the outdoor experience for both youth and adults.

MAJOR PROJECTS			
Water well	A second well to meet the water needs of our year-round camp program. Rancho Alegre has over 7,000 visitors on a yearly bases.	\$150,000 Costs include survey, drilling, storage unit, and treatment equipment	Donor will have a plaque placed at Rancho Alegre recognizing gift
Install solar system on main structures and pool area	Solar sources to meet our electrical needs will save on utility costs and will be in line with the environmental emphasis of the Outdoor School	\$30,000 each	Donor will have a plaque placed at Rancho Alegre recognizing gift
Repave main entrance road	Repave road from Highway154 entrance gate after construction has been complete. Needed due to heavy equipment damage usage for construction.	\$1,000,000 Includes costs for curbing and drains	Road way will be named on behalf of the donor and a plaque will be placed at Rancho Alegre recognizing the gift.
Replace climbing wall	Install a climbing wall at the COPE course	\$50,000	Donor will have a plaque placed at by climbing wall recognizing gift
Replace dorms with bathrooms	Dorms would replace burned units that do not have this will meet the needs of Outdoor School and retreat participants	\$500,000 each	Dorm will be named on behalf of the donor, recognition at opening ceremony, plaque placed at each dorm recognizing gift

Procure a replacement tractor	Tractor would allow ranger staff to complete many camp projects and replace a tractor that has significant mechanical problems.	\$35,000	Donor will have a plaque placed at Rancho Alegre recognizing gift
Add a "zipline" element to our COPE program	A professional in this field advised us that this addition would greatly improve the interest in this program for youth.	\$20,000	Donor will have a plaque placed at COPE course recognizing gift
Add a "giant swing" element to our COPE program	A professional in this field advised us that this addition would greatly improve the interest in this program for older Scouts.	\$12,000	Donor will have a plaque placed at COPE course recognizing gift
Install continuous chlorine monitor for water treatment plant	This monitor would be more efficient than our current system and would automatically alert us to developing problems.	\$5,500	Donor will have a plaque placed at Rancho Alegre recognizing gift
Replace water system	This enhancement to our water system would improve our available water for drinking water and fire suppression.	\$250,000	Donor will have a plaque placed at Rancho Alegre recognizing gift
Install and expand "Walk of Eagles" at Rancho Alegre	Project would include the installation of a wall and plaques and continue a long tradition that was begun at Camp French.	\$50,000	Donor will have a plaque placed at "Walk of Eagles" recognizing gift

Convert Comanche Campsite to a handicap-accessible site	Site would allow camp to conform to national BSA requirements.	\$15,000	Donor will have a plaque placed at campsite recognizing gift
Bathrooms in Rancho Alegre campsites	Building of full bathrooms with toilets and showers in order to increase the number of campers and activity that can be hosted at camp.	100,000 each	Facility will be named on behalf of the donor, recognition at grand opening ceremony, recognition on donor wall and annual report as major donor.
Replacement of staff housing	Building of apartment style housing for seasonal staff, outdoor school and summer camp, with living space kitchen and bathrooms	\$250,000 each	Facility will be named on behalf of the donor, recognition at grand opening ceremony, recognition on donor wall and annual report as major donor.
Chapel replacement COMMITTED	Replace chapel and refurbished sitting facility and surrounding area.	\$18,000 SPONSOR COMMITTED	Structure will be named on behalf of the donor, recognition at opening ceremony, plaque placed to recognizing gift
Boat house replacement	Replace boat house at lake and replace water equipment	\$12,000 for the boathouse \$8,000 for equipment such as canoes, life jackets, paddles, etc.	Structure will be named on behalf of the donor, recognition at opening ceremony, plaque placed to recognizing gift
Rifle range	Replace rifle range and equipment	\$30,000 range \$10,000 equipment	Structure will be named on behalf of the donor, recognition at opening ceremony, plaque placed to recognizing gift

Archery range	Replace archery range and equipment	\$30,000 range \$5,000 equipment	Structure will be named on behalf of the donor, recognition at opening ceremony, plaque placed to recognizing gift
Build discovery science center	Replace hall used as classroom with STEAM allocated science center to improve program delivered.	\$500,000	Facility will be named on behalf of the donor, recognition at grand opening ceremony, recognition on donor wall and annual report as major donor.
Replacement of camp vehicles	Replace 2 damaged camp trucks used to for work at Rancho Alegre	\$25,000 each	Trucks will be dedicated to sponsor with auto wraps and donor will receive recognition in annual report.
Replacement of Observatory	Replace structure and equipment, including telescope	\$60,000	Observatory will be dedicated to sponsor with plaque and donor will receive recognition in annual report.
Campsite replacement	Replace structures and equipment at several campsites through Rancho Alegre	\$5,000 per site	Selected campsite will be dedicated to sponsor with plaque and donor will receive recognition in annual report.
Bridge replacement	Replace trail bridges at various areas through Rancho Alegre	\$3,000 per bridge	Selected bridge will be dedicated to sponsor with plaque and donor will receive recognition in annual report.