



2017 Report

Fire Lookout Host Accomplishments

Smoke Reports 51

First Reports 5

Smoke Checks 114

Lightning Strikes 396

Total Volunteers hours 22,607

Total # Volunteers 274

Total visitors to lookouts 60,243

Painted inside and outside of 3 lookouts

Took off 1970's paneling in Keller Peak Lookout and brought it back the original tongue and grove

Replaced 3 cracked windows at Keller Peak Lookout

Replaced rotten wood on Taquitz Peak and Keller Peak Lookout

Replaced mattress and flooring at Keller Peak Lookout

Celebrated Keller Peak Lookout 90 years of service

Had help from America Core kids to hike up wood to Tahquitz Peak Lookout

Partnered with Angeles National Forest Fire Lookout Association to staff Johnstone Peak Lookout at the L.A. County Fair

Partnered with Forest Fire Lookout Association-San Diego-Riverside Chapter at Red Mtn. Lookout by radio to keep an eye on the forest that we both see

Removed large boulder in road blocking access to Morton Peak Lookout

Repaired doors on Morton's composting toilet and replaced solar panels that were stolen

Repaired several things at Black Mtn. and Red Mt after break in during winter

We had a write up in Desert Magazine

Goals for 2018

Put Morton Peak on Rental Program by June 1, 2018

Recruit 300 volunteers

Replace Shutters at Red Mtn. Lookout

Replace Strawberry Catwalk beams

Replace flooring at Butler and Morton Peak

Replace Tahquitz Peak steps to lookout and repair other wood issues

Raise \$35,000.

Marking lookouts better