

Weekend Camping Supplies

(These are recommendations only. Supplement this list based on the expected weather conditions)

SPRING / SUMMER / FALL

Backpack, duffel bag, or sports bag for gear
Sleeping bag
Camp pillow (optional)
Sleeping pad beneath sleeping bag (for insulation & comfort)
Water bottle (filled) and carabiner (*both required*)
Flashlight or Headlight
Scout Uniform (Class A worn when traveling to/from camp)
Class B shirts (worn when not wearing class A's)
Clothes (appropriate for OUTDOOR weather, ALL day)
Hiking boots or trail shoes (waterproof recommended)
Jacket
Rain Gear
Scout Handbook
Dishes and cup for eating (or Mess kit)
Mesh bag for air drying and carrying dishes (optional)
Eating utensils (knife, fork, spoon)
Soap and container (or small bottle liquid hand soap)
Hand towel & wash cloth
Hand sanitizer (small bottle)
Pocket knife or multi-tool (ONLY if Totin' Chip earned)
Parachute cord or thick twine (10-20 feet is enough)
Duct tape, small amount (optional)
Personal First Aid kit (band aids, antiseptic, chap stick, scissors, moleskin, tweezers, etc.)
(Troop also carries medical supplies)
Personal care items (toothbrush, toothpaste, deodorant)
Bug spray
Sunscreen
Cap
Toilet paper (small roll)
Camp chair (optional)
Sunglasses (optional)
Compass (optional)
Wristwatch (optional)
Swimwear (if swimming or boating)
Tent light (optional)
Hiking pole (optional)
Gloves (optional) (Spring and Fall)
Extra blanket (optional) (Spring and Fall)
Personal medications (Checked in with the troop to dispense to Scout)

WINTER (*Includes the 3-season supplies on left and those below*)

Winter sleeping bag (or two normal bags with one inside the other.)
Ground insulation (Moving blanket or other additional padding placed under sleeping bag as insulation.)
Insulated, waterproof winter boots
Extra blanket (for under or over you)
Clothes for dressing in layers
Extra clothes (Cotton cannot provide warmth after it gets wet from snow or perspiration.)
Snow pants
Clothes for sleeping in. (Don't wear the same clothes you wore all day. They will be damp and you will get cold)
Stocking cap or ski mask
A different stocking cap for sleeping (It will be dryer than the other)
Wool socks (Two pair per day and another at night)
Liner socks (Two pair per day and another at night)
Heavy gloves or mittens (mittens are warmer than gloves.)
Liner gloves (mittens combined with liner gloves works very well.)
Thermal underwear (Polypropylene or other synthetic is better than cotton)
Plastic shopping bags for use as liners over dry socks in wet boots
Hand warmer packets (shouldn't be needed if dressed in proper layers)
Winter Coat
Fleece sleeping bag liner (optional)