

Camp Combe YMCA

Adventure Bound Packing List

Early Expedition

Please follow this list as closely as possible; being properly equipped for this trip is important to your camper's health, safety, and enjoyment. Please refer to the included *Notes about Specialized Equipment for Trippers* for additional details about items marked with an asterisk (*) or call our office (845-526-0808) for assistance.

- ✓ Pack gear in duffel bags, stuff sacks, or backpacks (no suitcases!).
- ✓ Campers must have all of the required items prior to arrival at Camp.
- ✓ Remember to pack as efficiently as possible, everything will be loaded into tight spaces.
- ✓ **Mark all personal gear clearly with your camper's name.**

Clothing

- **Raincoat** – quick drying (no cotton)
- **Shirts** – 2 short-sleeved, 1 long-sleeved
- **Shorts** – 2 pair, quick dry is best
- **Pajamas**- (sweatpants, long sleeve shirt, etc)
- **Swimsuit** – 1
- **Socks** – 1-2 Pair cotton/wicking
- **Underwear** – 2Pair
- **Wet Shoes-OPTIONAL** – Water booties, sport sandals with ankle strap, or sneakers for off-site swimming
- **Dry Shoes** – Sneakers with tread
- **Summer Hat** – Ball cap or wide brimmed for sun

Gear

- **Day Pack** – Small backpack for carrying daily items and water during the day
- **Sleeping Pad**– Ensolite style foam pad or Thermarest style with patch kit
- **Sleeping Bag**– (Synthetic insulation) with waterproof stuff sack or garbage bag-line stuff sack
- **Flashlight or Headlamp** – With extra batteries and bulb
- **Sunglasses** – With retainer cord!
- **Water Bottle or Hydration Bag System*** – 2 (32-oz) bottles or 1 bag + 1 bottle
- **Towel** – 1 ('pack' towel or regular)
- **Toiletries** – toothbrush, toothpaste, deodorant, etc.

- **Eating Utensils (No Knives)** – Metal teaspoon, tablespoon, fork, or spork
- **Travel Mug** – For drinking hot cocoa/tea
- **Bowl** – Durable plastic or lexan; 8-10" in diameter and 2" deep
- **Sunscreen** – SPF 15+, full bottle
- **Insect Repellent** – non-aerosol; avoid 100% DEET

Optional Items

- **Camera and Film** – A disposable with flash or a waterproof disposable allow for great pictures throughout the trip; be sure to put your name on each camera!
- **Bandanna**
- **Hackysack**
- **Playing Cards**
- **Books or Magazines** with appropriate content
- **Journal or Notebook with Pen**
- **Dry Bags**

Prohibited Items

- **Electronics** – Portable music players, video games, walkie talkies, laptop computers, hairdryers, etc. **Please, no cell phones.**
- **Firearms, Hatchets or Knives**
- **Lighters, Matches, Fireworks**
- **Jewelry** or other valuables
- **Alcohol, Tobacco, or Illegal Drugs**

The YMCA is not responsible for the theft of or damage to personal equipment.

Please LABEL ALL your equipment and clothing and LEAVE ALL valuables not necessary to the trip at home.