

The Official Troop 76 Equipment List

Event: *Harriman State Park 4-29-16*

Clothing

- Class "A" Uniform
- Class "B" Uniform
- Winter Parka
- Warm Jacket
- Light Jacket or Windbreaker
- Sweater or Sweatshirt
- Extra Pants, Shirt, Socks and Underwear
- Long Underwear
- Snow or Ski Pants
- Wool Socks
- Sock Liners
- Cotton Socks
- Gloves, 1 pair
- Work Shirt and Pants for Painting and other Projects
- Hat, Scout
- Hat, Wool
- Rain Gear or Poncho
- Boots, Winter
- Boots, Hiking or Work
- Sneakers
- Bathing Suit

Equipment

- Backpack or Large Duffel Bag
- 20 Degree Sleeping Bag
- Sleeping Pad
- Blanket
- Mess Kit
- Eating Utensils
- Flashlight
- Extra Bulb and Batteries
- Pocket Knife & Totin' Chip Card
- 2,1- Quart Water Bottle or Canteen (filled with water)
- Map(s)
- Compass
- Matches
- Fire starter
- Kindling
- First Aid Kit
- Whistle
- Rope
- Repair Kit
- Bear Bag
- Day Pack
- BSA Handbook
- BSA Fieldbook
- Merit Badge Book(s)

Personal

- PERMISSION SLIP
- HEALTH FORM
- Soap
- Shampoo
- Toothbrush
- Toothpaste
- Small Mirror
- Comb or Hairbrush
- Toilet Paper (10 pcs.)
- Plastic Trash Bags (2)
- Small Towel
- Bandanna
- Bag lunch for SATURDAY
- Insect Repellent
- Coins (for Emergency)
- Emergency Medical Information
- Prescription Medication (give to adult leader)
- Sunglasses
- Sunscreen and/or Bug Spray
- Snacks

Optional

- Hiking Staff
- Camera & Film
- Fishing Rod & Tackle
- Hand Warmers
- Money (\$_____)

DO NOT BRING (will be confiscated and returned to a parent)

- Electronic Devices (Game Boy, Radio, CD or Tape Player, Laptop Computer, Television, etc.)
- Water Guns (Pistol, Pump-action, etc.)
- Sheath Knives (any fixed-blade knife, bowie, etc.)

Notes to Gear List

Backpack – Make sure fits waist and torso. Weight of pack should be between 15-25% of bodyweight.

Boots – Preferably should have ankle support & waterproof.

Clothing – No cotton (incl. jeans). Synthetics (wool, fleece, acrylic). Light jacket with fleece/wool/acrylic layers & synthetic long underwear. Synthetics & wool wick moisture away and keep you warm even when wet. Use layers. Try not to sweat – take layers off if too warm.

Bring some heavy layers that will be comfortable to sleep in, temps may drop below freezing at night.

Sleeping Bag – 20 degree synthetic should be fine.

Sleeping Pad – Closed cell foam or Inflatable.

Rain Gear

Hat & Gloves

Garbage bags – Trash compactor bags make good dry sacks. Small bag for real garbage.

Water Bottles – Platypus, Nalgene, Camelback or recycled Gatorade bottles. Try to pack 2 liters if no too heavy. If weight is an issue 1 liter will suffice. We will be able to filter additional water.

Trail snacks – Nonperishable. Trail mix, power bars, cheese, oranges, apples, etc... for Saturday and mid-morning Sunday.

Mess kit – Hot drink cup and utensils. Bring bowl if making noodles or soup.

First Aid Kit

Toilet Kit – Tooth brush, small toothpaste, sliver soap bar, wash cloth, length of toilet paper, & hand sanitizer.

Map & Compass

Headlamp – With fresh batteries.

Fire Starter & Tinder

Whistle

Trekking poles – Optional.

Money – Bring \$10 in case of lunch stop on way home Sunday.

The Troop will provide tents, stoves, cooking gear, bear bag, and water filters from the QM

Organization of Gear

Smellables- includes all food, snacks, deodorant, toothpaste, etc; should be organized into a bag that can be hung in a bear bag at night. Please try to put all this gear into one or two Ziploc bags marked with your name. At night, we will hang all food/smellables into a bear bag.

Prepare for rain. We're sending this gear list out early. We don't have reliable forecast at this time. If your pack is not waterproof (or does not have a waterproof cover), put all your clothes and things you don't want to get wet into trash bags or large Ziploc bags inside your pack.

Cooking/meal planning. You should plan out all of your meals with your tent buddy in advance. All cooking will be done in teams of two. It's fine to plan out your snacks separately, but breakfast, lunch, dinner should be planned out in advance. Organize your meals into separate bags per day. Bring extra Ziploc bags to place ALL trash into. You must be prepared to carry out your individual trash.