

*****Packing List*****

What to bring to Hope Valley Camp

The best thing to remember about camp is that it is **outside!** Days are generally warm or even hot, but evenings and early mornings are cool. We spend lots of time in the woods, so legs and feet need proper protection. You will need to be prepared for a variety of outdoor activities. The following is a list of suggested clothing and other articles to bring. You may want to use it as a checklist as you pack. Then tape the checklist to the inside of your suitcase so you bring everything home!

Please make sure your name is on all of your belongings!

Basics:

- jeans/pants (3 or more pair!)
- shorts
- sweatshirts
- shirts
- pajamas
- underwear
- socks (at least 4 pairs)
- Jacket & raincoat
- sneakers (extra pair for creeking)
- bathing suit & swim towel
- flip-flops or sandals (for the shower or the water slide only)
- bedroll (sleeping bag or sheets and blankets and a pillow)

Bathroom:

- towels/washcloths
- toothbrush and toothpaste
- Toiletries (in a bucket or small tote bag)
- plastic/metal cup

Accessories:

- Bible, notebook
- Camera (extra film or batteries)
- Flashlight
- pens, pencils
- envelopes/postcards addressed to home (stamps, too)
- bug spray

If there's room:

- *fishing pole and tackle
- *binoculars

**optional items (Don't make a special purchase)*

Bug spray and flashlights will be available in the camp store for a reasonable price in case your camper forgets theirs.

What NOT to bring:

1. cell phones/ipods/other electronic devices – all such items will be held by the director until the end of the week!
2. gum/candy/food (it attracts critters into the cabins) – the meals are terrific and you can buy snacks at the camp store!

Important Items to Bring to Camp

1. **COMPLETED** health form (including physician's signature, parent's signature and immunization record)
2. Completed camper release form [attached] - - - - ->
3. Completed parent questionnaire
4. Prescription medication (in original containers, marked for nurse)
5. Spending money (to be kept on account at camp store)