

Summer Camp Suggested Personal Equipment List

Sleeping Bag with liner or sheet inside

Class A Scout Uniform (shirt, shorts, socks, hat, belt, OA sash if member)

Class B Uniform (Troop T-shirt, Scout T-shirt)

Rain Jacket or Poncho

Warm Jacket (fleece or sweater)

(10) Pair Socks

(7) Underwear

(6) Sets of Clothing

(1) Swimming Suit

(2) Long Pants (jeans or Scout pants) (one for Swimming or Life Saving MB)

(2) Long Sleeve Shirts (one for Swimming or Life Saving MB)

(1) Pair Hiking Shoes

(1) Pair Tennis Shoes

(1) Pair Old Tennis Shoes for boating – no sandals, aqua socks or open toed shoes

(2) Old Towels

Toiletries (Soap, Toothbrush & Toothpaste, Deodorant, Shampoo)

Sunscreen

Bug Spray – try to purchase one with DEET, 15 to 25%.

Spending Money

Flashlight & Extra Batteries

Handkerchief

Scout Handbook

Paper and Writing Items

Canteen, water bottle or Camelback

Personal First Aid Kit

Plate, cup bowl, knife, fork, spoon

Lock for your box and spare key for Scout Master

Other equipment

Small Bible

Merit Badge Pamphlets (Flying Squirrels do not need these)

Folding Pocket Knife (Totin' Chip card req'd, bring card)

Camera

Card Games

Compass

Pillow

Musical Instrument

Spare Rope or Cordage

Extra Shoe Laces

Mosquito netting and string for hanging netting in tent Cardboard or carpet roll for covering springs on cot

Day pack or hip pack

Sleepwear

Swimming goggles

Camp Chair

NO ELECTRONICS – Gameboys, I-Pods, CD players, cell phones, etc

Mosquito Netting:

There are all kinds of mosquito nettings that you can purchase. Remember, the higher the number of holes per square inch the better the protection. No See Um netting usually is the highest with 520 holes per square inch. You can purchase a hanging type or self standing. You can get them without floors or with floors. If you get one without floors make sure to bring something to put under the cot. Remember, the cots sit on pallets so they are open areas below the cot which insects can get into your sleeping area. The price runs from \$10 to \$100 or more. To see different types available, just Google search for camping mosquito netting. They had some hanging types at the Dorsey Road Scout shop. No need to spend a lot unless you plan on doing a lot of camping.

This is the basic netting with no bottom. These run from \$10 to \$50 depending on the density of holes per sq inches.



This one is free standing with a floor. You can get these from \$61 to \$79.



If you have trouble finding these, please e-mail me for online links.

Storage Lockers:

Don't forget to get a plastic foot locker to pack all your cloth and stuff into. They can be purchased at Lowe's or other stores but I have not had any luck doing so. I purchased mine on line from Wal-Mart.

This one is from Wal-Mart. The price is \$29.96 on sale right now and can be shipped to you house for \$12 I think or can be shipped to the new Wal-Mart in Severn at no cost. This item is only available online at

http://www.walmart.com/catalog/product.do?product_id=2476189&findingMethod=rr



This one is from the Container Store. I went to the one in Rockville but they did not have them in stock. They can be ordered online at

<http://www.containerstore.com/browse/Product.jhtml?searchId=14692369&itemIndex=1&CATID=250&PRODID=62806> . These cost \$39.99.



Don't forget to get a lock for the box. Make sure you have a spare key to give to Mr. Halla or Mr. Anderson or another ASM.

I think that's about it. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Dave Anderson, Steve McCoy or me. If we cannot answer your question, we can ask one of the more senior adult leaders.

Thanks,
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