

What to Bring: Reference: 2017 Boy Scout Handbook

- ☐ Completed BSA Health Form, Parts A & B (downloadable from www.scouting.org)
- ☐ Current year Youth Protection Training certificate of completion

Overnight gear, outdoor essentials, and appropriate clothing are the heart of camping equipment. Carry a light load of only what you need to keep yourself safe and make a good camp; leave all unnecessary items at home. Preferably bring lightweight backpacking tents —however, if you are a BALOO participant, wall or larger recreation types are acceptable as that will generally be what you would be using on a Pack family campout.

PERSONAL OVERNIGHT CAMPING GEAR - * is basic, rest is optional

- ☐ *Boy Scout Handbook*
(current edition) *BS*
Leaders only

OUTDOOR ESSENTIALS

- ☐ Pocketknife
- ☐ First-aid kit
- ☐ Extra clothing
- ☐ Rain gear
- ☐ *Water bottle filled with potable water
- ☐ *Flashlight/Lantern
- Matches and fire starters
- ☐ *Sun protection
- ☐ *Compass
- ☐ *Clothing appropriate for the season
- ☐ Backpack
- ☐ *Tent (see note above)
- ☐ Rain cover for backpack
- ☐ *Sleeping bag, or two or three blankets
- ☐ *Sleeping pad
- ☐ *Ground cloth

EATING KIT

- ☐ *Spoon
- ☐ *Plate
- ☐ Bowl
- ☐ *Cup

CLEANUP KIT

- ☐ *Soap (biodegradable)
- ☐ *Toothbrush ☐ *Toothpaste
- ☐ Dental floss
- ☐ *Comb and/or brush
- ☐ *Washcloth
- ☐ *Towel

PERSONAL

- ☐ Watch
- ☐ Camera
- ☐ *Notebook or paper
- ☐ *Pencil or pen
- ☐ *Sunglasses
- ☐ Small musical instrument
- ☐ Gloves
- ☐ *Bug Repellent

REPAIR KIT

- Thread
- Needles
- Safety pins

Optional: BSA Fieldbook
Songbooks
Pillow
Cooking gear-basic
CS Handbooks