

CHAPTER 6

CLOTHING LIST & RELATED INFO

PACKING

The basic list suggests the maximum requirements. **ONE OR TWO LARGE DUFFEL BAGS** must be used in packing your belongings. THEY SHOULD NOT WEIGH MORE THAN 40 lbs. It is impossible for us to carry your child's duffel if it weighs more than this. **IF YOU BRING THREE DUFFEL BAGS WE WILL RETURN ONE TO YOU AS THERE IS NOT ENOUGH ROOM IN CABINS FOR THIS MUCH CLOTHING – IT'S JUST CAMP! NO TRUNKS OR SUITCASES ARE PERMITTED!** Any article of clothing "too good" to be packed in a duffel bag should not be at camp in the first place. One bag should hold all bedding, shoes and miscellaneous equipment. The other should hold all folded clothing. You may also want to pack a small "backpack" with odds & ends that can be carried on the bus. **NO VALUABLES SHOULD BE IN THESE BAGS AS THEY WILL BE TRANSPORTED INTO A LARGE LUGGAGE TRUNK AND YOUR BAGS COULD BE STEPPED ON IN THE PROCESS.**



(Should I bring a duffel bag with wheels? For people traveling by plane it's a nice luxury but it takes up lots of space at camp so if you are from Toronto please use simple duffel bags.)

SOME GREAT TIPS FOR LABELING: Get a stamp- **Sterling Marketing- 416-425-4140** - for clothing you do not care about, it's far easier to just stamp them and for shoes and other items it can be extremely helpful. Also we find stick on nametags great for many sundry items and also for school, etc- check out <http://www.stuckonyou.biz/>

WHY DO I NOT NEED A LAUNDRY BAG?

We supply a laundry bag for each camper (sometimes our youngest campers share bags) for our laundry service. The laundry is returned the next day so if you do wish to supply a laundry bag for the one day when they will be without their bag, that is up to you.

SPECIAL CLOTHING & EQUIPMENT

The following are special clothing and equipment requirements for campers participating in these activities. Remember that we are still a camp, so neither clothing nor equipment needs to be "top of the line". Also keep in mind that clothing items listed here should replace items in the basic list rather than be packed in addition.

- **Baseball:** Baseball glove
- **Canoe Tripping:** Sleeping bag, water shoes (not CROCS), dry sack and life jacket (especially for long trips).
- **Dance:** Dance shoes (ballet slippers, jazz or tap shoes). Dance pants optional.
- **In-Line Hockey:** Roller blades and helmet with full-face shield. We supply pads and sticks.
- **Photography:** An old-style 35 mm adjustable setting camera is optional, but nice to have.
- **Rock/Guitar:** Your favorite acoustic or electric (or bass) is optional. We supply instruments and amps.
- **Tennis:** Tennis shoes (could be second pair of shoes in clothing list) and racquet.
- **Water sports:** Life jackets are optional to bring (but mandatory to wear, so your own may be more comfortable if wearing one regularly).

THE BASICS:

IF there is anything you should remember it is your sleeping bag!

GENERAL CLOTHING			TOILETRY ARTICLES		
	12	t-shirts (short sleeved)		6	towels (for showers and swimming)
	4	long sleeved t-shirts		2	small hand towels
	3	warmer long sleeved sweat shirt		1	toothbrush
	6	pairs of shorts		1	tube of toothpaste
	4	pairs long pants (jeans or sweatpants)		2	bars of soap (biodegradable)
	12	pairs underwear		1	bottle of shampoo
	12	pairs of socks		1	hairbrush (or comb)
	4	Swimsuits		1	soap container
	3/4	pairs pajamas (warm and /light)		1	toiletry case
	3	sun hats		1	large box of tissue
	2	Sneakers/running/cross trainer shoes (if your child for example plays tennis a lot make sure one is specifically for tennis/cross trainer)		1	bottle of sun tan lotion
				1	stick of deodorant
	1	pair rubber boots or hiking boots/water shoes for canoe trips			
	1	Pair of sandals			
	1	lightweight jacket			
	1	warm jacket (or light ski jacket)		1	Small Radio to listen to Camp FM station
	1	rain coat		1	Flashlight and or lantern (if power goes out)
	2	Plain white t-shirts for silk-screening for all camp programs		1	mosquito repellent
				1	letter writing materials (and stamps!)
				1	water bottle
	4	sheets (2 flat, 2 fitted single bed)		1	fun costume (Halloween for second session)
	2	warm blankets, and/or comforter		1	old t-shirt(s) for messy programs, tie-dye etc.
	2	pillowcases		1	musical instrument
	1	sleeping bag (for canoe trips and sleep outs) and themarest thin (optional)		1	shoe bag (to hold sundry items, not shoes)
	1	pillow		1	Blue, yellow, green and red shirt – first month tribal games

DO NOT BRING- IF YOU BRING – WE WILL DONATE IT TO CHARITY

PLEASE NOTE ANY ITEMS THAT ARE NOT ALLOWED IN CAMP WILL BE CONFISCATED, NOT RETURNED AND DONATED TO CHARITY.

- **CELL PHONES, SMARTPHONES and IPHONES-** we spend more unnecessary time reacting to calls- **DO NOT EVEN THINK ABOUT IT PLEASE!**
- **MONEY, Poker chips** ALL MONEY MUST BE KEPT IN OFFICE - no money in camper cabins
- **GAMEBOYS, or** other computer games. They take away from the positive interaction among campers and often get lost and do not return home.
- **WALKIE-TALKIES**, they interfere with our emergency health center walkie-talkie system.
- **PORTABLE SHELVING**
- **WATER**
- **Expensive items** (i.e. Golf Clubs, sunglasses, etc.) We cannot be responsible if they go missing.
- **Furniture, folding chairs** or anything of the like.
- **Electrical appliances** of any type (i.e. hair straighteners, hair dryers, hot pots, etc.)
- **Laptops, Notebook computers, iPads, DVD players, video recorders** or other electronic devices or any device that takes away from the camp experience.
- **Anything that may be a fun trick (smoke bombs, etc)** that will backfire and lead to destruction of property or bring harm to others!
- **Skateboards or other equipment unless specified or you ask first.**
- **DUCT TAPE**
- **WATER GUNS, ETC.**

Any device that can be used to watch video, text, browse or phone will be confiscated and not returned and camper will be put on final warning! If your child would like to have music to listen to in the cabin at camp, we suggest you send your child with a basic MP3 player or 8-track ☺.

DOES MY CHILD NEED ANY MONEY?

Campers do not need money at camp, other than for campers with emergency money at the airport. **If your child brings cash to camp we are not responsible for it being lost or stolen.** This is why we encourage as little money as possible being brought to camp. In the event your child has money at camp, we encourage them to place it in the camp safe. **If your child requires such money, 24 hours notice must be given** for your child to receive such funds and such funds must be used for appropriate camp purposes.

REMEMBER YOUR BASIC FEE COVERS: All sundry items at the tuck shop, (If we do not have it we will drive to get it!) and all prescriptions, laundry, tuck, world games t-shirt, etc.