

# Camp Mishawaka Packing List

## CLOTHING

- 2 Pants or Jeans
- 2 Sweatpants\*
- 3-4 Shorts (including athletic shorts)
- 2-3 Sweatshirts\*
- 8-10 T-Shirts
- 2 Pairs of athletic shoes
- 1-2 Pairs of sandals, preferably closed-toe, with heel strap
- 1 Pair hard-soled shoe if horseback riding
- 8-10 Socks
- 8-10 Underwear
- 2 Pajamas/sleepwear sets
- 1 Rain Jacket/Poncho, optional: rain pants
- 2 Swimsuits
- 1 Jacket (packable down jacket, or warm windbreaker)

Many campers elect to bring one set of nicer clothes for the dance and/or final banquet. Campers who will be at Camp over the 4th of July, bring your red-white-blue stuff!

## OTHER

- MP3 player like: SanDisk Clip Jam or Mighty Vibe with WIRED headphones/earbuds. Please ask if you have a different version MP3 you would like approved
- Laundry Bag\*
- Toiletries
- Water Bottle
- Towels - 2 beach, 2 shower - smaller/thinner is OK, they dry faster than a really plush towel

## BEDDING

Camp provides bedding and linens at no additional charge. If you prefer to provide your own bedding and linens, we suggest the following:

- 3 Wool or warm blankets (twin)
- 2 Sets of sheets (twin), with 2 Pillow cases
- 1 Pillow

## OTHER SUGGESTED ITEMS

Flashlight*	Stationery*
Camera*	eLetter blanks from CampInTouch
Tennis racquet	Fishing equipment
Ball glove	Bug repellent-30% DEET*
Book(s)	Bathrobe/slippers
Hat*	Water shoes/Aqua socks

If camper is 12 or older and plans to go on a trip, please pack a "stuff-able" sleeping bag.



**Returning campers  
should bring their  
Mishawaka Plaques  
back to camp  
each summer!**

\* Items marked with \* are available for purchase at the Camp Store

- **Each article of clothing should be clearly marked with a name tag, Sharpie or laundry pen.**
- Laundry service is provided once a week and is returned the following day.
- We suggest that campers pack in duffel bags when possible, though a small foot-locker or suitcase is also fine.
- Use a luggage tag on any bag/suitcase/footlocker you send. Those flying to MSP should use the RED luggage tag we will send out two weeks prior to camper's travel date.
- **Please do not exceed two checked bags if you are flying.**
- **Shipping a sturdy duffel is also a great idea - just be sure to send it along with time to spare.**
- **As space is often a consideration in the cabin, do not bring needless items.**
- Please make note for the intention of any cash sent with camper (i.e. is it meant for their spending account or is it their travel cash?)

## WHAT NOT TO BRING

Do not pack: **Food, Gum, Candy, or Beverages**

If they arrive with camper, or are sent to camper, they will be tossed.

**Anything with a display screen (Cell phone, tablet, eReader, etc.) will be stored in a secure location, along with wallet, ID, and any cash that arrives with the camper.**

# Wilderness Trip Campers—Additional Packing List

Campers who may be taking an extended Wilderness trip will need a few additional items to help ensure a safe and comfortable trip.

- Hiking shoes or boots
- Campsite shoe or sandal
- Rain suit (jacket and pants)
- Packable sleeping bag (lightweight, check REI for ideas - does not need to cost more than \$100). We do have bags at Camp for those who do not bring their own.
- Clothing made of quick-dry materials (no cotton)
  - 1-2 Short sleeve shirt (no cotton)
  - Long sleeve shirt (no cotton)
  - Sweatshirt or Jacket (no cotton)
  - 1-2 shorts (no cotton)
  - 1 pants (no denim, no cotton)
  - 1-3 Smart wool socks (no cotton)
- Bandana (can buy one at Camp)
- Sunglasses (optional)
- Brimmed hat for shade on face/neck (optional)