

# What to Bring to Camp

The following is for a 2 week session. Mini campers and 4 week campers should pack accordingly:

- \_\_\_ Sturdy trunk (max 17" h)
- \_\_\_ Twin mattress pad
- \_\_\_ 1 pillow
- \_\_\_ 2 pillowcases
- \_\_\_ 2 blankets
- \_\_\_ 2 sets of twin sheets
- \_\_\_ 5 towels
- \_\_\_ 1 swim towel (optional)
- \_\_\_ 5 washcloths
- \_\_\_ Bathrobe
- \_\_\_ 2 laundry bags
- \_\_\_ 14 shorts
- \_\_\_ 14 shirts
- \_\_\_ Underclothes
- \_\_\_ Socks
- \_\_\_ Rain jacket with hood
- \_\_\_ 2 swimsuits
- \_\_\_ Sweatshirt or light jacket
- \_\_\_ 3 pajamas
- \_\_\_ 2 pairs of athletic shoes
- \_\_\_ Water shoes (with backs)
- \_\_\_ Rain boots/shoes
- \_\_\_ Flip-flops for showering
- \_\_\_ Toiletries
- \_\_\_ Shower caddy
- \_\_\_ Film camera (not digital)
- \_\_\_ Stationary and stamps
- \_\_\_ Water bottle
- \_\_\_ Bible
- \_\_\_ Sleeping bag
- \_\_\_ Flashlight
- \_\_\_ Shoe bag with pockets (optional)
- \_\_\_ 1 white short\*
- \_\_\_ 1 navy short\* (available at camp store)
- \_\_\_ 1 white shirt\*
- \_\_\_ 1 outfit for dance night\*
- \_\_\_ 2 riding pants or jeans for horseback
- \_\_\_ Hard-soled shoes **with heels** for horseback
- \_\_\_ Club outfit (available at camp store)\*\*\*
- \_\_\_ 4 Masks or Buffs

## THINGS NOT ALLOWED AT CAMP:

Cell Phone	Aerosol Spray
iTouch	Shoes without backs
iPad/Tablet	Digital cameras
Laptop	Large box fan
Smart watches	Camper personal vehicles
Electronic games	Personal sports equipment
Google Glasses	Items that access internet

**We suggest you leave any valuables at home as we cannot be responsible for items if misplaced.**

## SPECIAL OCCASION CLOTHING

**Sunday** – One all-white outfit. T-Shirt and shorts are fine. (This does not apply to opening days or to Mini A and Mini C Campers.)

**Flag Raising** – One pair of navy shorts and a white shirt. Each cabin will have the opportunity to lead morning flag raising. Navy shorts from club outfit are acceptable.

**Talent Night**- Bring any special costumes, props, instruments, music etc. if you plan to enter. All talent nights will be screened by an Admin. Make sure it is appropriate so your camper does not have to change their act at the last minute.

**1<sup>st</sup> Session** – Color Wars: Bring White T-Shirt (separate than shirt for Sunday)

**2<sup>nd</sup> Session** – 4<sup>th</sup> of July: Bring your red, white and blue!

**3<sup>rd</sup> Session**- Christmas in July: Show your holiday spirit with red and green.

**4<sup>th</sup> Session** – Skyline VMA's (Video Music Awards): Bring any creative, fun costumes or dress up items to walk the red carpet!

### **\*\*If your child plans to take horseback riding:**

For the protection of your child, riding boots or hard-soled shoes with a defined heel are **REQUIRED** for participation in horseback riding classes. A heel, which prevents the shoe or boot from sliding too deeply into the stirrup, can prevent the foot from becoming dangerously wedged. Shoes or boots which have firm, hard coverings offer better protection than soft bodied shoes. Please do not put us in the position of having to refuse your child the pleasure of riding because of lack of proper shoes.

### **\*\*\* A Note about Club Outfits**

Every camper will need one club outfit which is available at the T-Shirt Corral. The outfit includes a uniform t-shirt of your club color and navy shorts. Since first year campers do not know what club they are in until later on opening day, we suggest stopping by during check-in to pick up your shorts and get fitted for your shirt. Later that evening all first year campers will come back by to get their t-shirt in their correct club color.

## PACKING TIPS AND IDEAS

1. Mark all items clearly with your camper's name.
2. Use a footlocker or trunk to pack your camper's clothes in.
3. Keep valuable clothes including favorite shorts, shirts, or jeans at home. At camp clothes often get dirty, worn, and sometimes misplaced.
4. For everyday footwear, send sturdy shoes with backs. Athletic shoes, or other sturdy lace up shoes, with socks best protect against twisted ankles, stumped toes, and blisters. Exception: campers will need flip flops for shower time and water shoes for swimming.
5. The temperature can be chilly most summer mornings and some evenings. We suggest a sweatshirt or light jacket is packed, just in case!
6. A small plastic shower caddy is helpful in storing and carrying shower toiletries.
7. Large, 2-gallon zip lock bags are great for organizing a day's outfit in advance (shirt, shorts, underwear, and socks). This is especially helpful for the younger campers!
8. First year campers to bring at least one red, blue, and green t-shirt for club activities. Once they are in a club, additional items are available for purchase at the T-Shirt Corral.
9. A hanging shoe bag is optional and extremely helpful to campers. They hang them on the side of their bunks for easy access to smaller items like their stationary, hair brush, sunscreen, etc. It saves time searching through trunks and keeps the cabin areas tidy.
10. Laundry service is provided for our 2-week campers mid-session. No need to fret if your camper tends to dirty more clothes than most!