

Common Camp Out Checklist

- ➡ Registration form
- ➡ Mark name on all items clearly (jackets, hats, gloves, frisbees, water guns all look alike)
- ➡ Magic Markers
- ➡ Personal medications
- ➡ Bandages, first aid kit (antibiotic ointment such as Bacitracin)
- ➡ Insect repellent
- ➡ Insect sting relief medication
- ➡ Face cloths, face towels, soap, toothbrushes/paste, combs, brushes, collapsible plastic cups to rinse mouth, etc.
- ➡ Toiletry/shaving kit (very few Big Braves bother to shave)
- ➡ Kleenex and hand wipes (e.g. Wet Ones)
- ➡ Sleeping bag and pillow for both Big Brave and child (cabins have plywood or spring bunks with a thin mattress, no pillow)
- ➡ Pajamas for those who want/use them
- ➡ Change of clothes (and possible second change for children)
- ➡ Extra socks and shoes
- ➡ Swimming suits, towels, shower caps, hair dryer (if we get a pool)
- ➡ **As dictated by weather:**
 - Hats, jacket or coat (we will be outside a great deal of the time, including
 - ➡ Saturday night around the Council fire, so bring appropriate clothing to keep you warm and dry)
 - ➡ Hand warmers
 - ➡ Gloves
 - ➡ Umbrella and/or ponchos
 - ➡ Junk food (cookies, crackers, candy, etc.) - remember, "No Mom rules" -- so we get to eat what we want!
 - ➡ Drinks (water, pop, etc.) for washing down the junk food
 - ➡ Your "Algonquin Federation Handbook" (Indian Program guide) to study if there is time to work for a bead
 - ➡ Face paint for Haylushka,
 - ➡ Crayons, Markers, etc. for the Patch contest (full size paper plates for practice?)
 - ➡ Playing cards, small games, etc. for the kids to play during free time (and in bad weather)
 - ➡ Paper towels
 - ➡ Large plastic garbage sacks to help clean up the sleeping area before leaving and also to store clean items if it's muddy out
 - ➡ Carpet squares for the doorway and by the bunks (it can get muddy)

- ➡ Flashlights (for both) and extra batteries
- ➡ Camera (disposable?)
- ➡ Spare bags (nothing ever packs as neatly as it did back home)
- ➡ Silver duct tape (it's a guy thing)
- ➡ Cell phone, pager
- ➡ Cash
- ➡ Tribal kindling/firewood
- ➡ Ear plugs (the snoring some women put up with is amazing!)
- ➡ **Chiefs**
- ➡ Headdress
- ➡ Backup crayons, markers, pencils, paper plates for campout patch competition
- ➡ Ensure tribal banners and other tribal property arrive
- ➡ Ensure trophies and ceremonial log arrive
- ➡ **For Winter Camp Out**
- ➡ Hats, mittens/gloves
- ➡ Shovel in your trunk (in case we get snowed in and for snow sculptures)
- ➡ Sledding stuff
- ➡ Snow boots
- ➡ **Added items for Spring Tent Out**
- ➡ Tent (use seam sealer and spray with waterproof/UV-block)
- ➡ Personal note: There's never enough room, a 6-person or larger tent holds two sleeping bags plus gear (coolers, food boxes, etc.) well
- ➡ Tent stakes/tie downs
- ➡ Small mallet and means to pull tent pegs from ground
- ➡ Ropes, bungee cords
- ➡ Plastic Tarp/ground cloth (to keep moisture below tent bottom, or cover it if it leaks)
- ➡ Air mattress or sleeping rolls/mats
- ➡ Lounge chairs
- ➡ Lantern, with spare batteries or fuel, funnel, and spare mantels
- ➡ Fishing rods, hooks, bait
- ➡ Horseback riding gear (shoes or boots with heels)
- ➡ FOOD! (REAL food, not just junk food--we're on our own)
- ➡ Condiments: salt, pepper, spices
- ➡ Hint: Some braves think cold food (muffins) make a great/quick breakfast
- ➡ Cooler, ice, beverages, can/bottle opener
- ➡ Tea kettle/coffee pot
- ➡ Camp stove and fuel or grill and charcoal and lighter fluid
- ➡ Matches or log-lighter
- ➡ Cooking utensils, spatula, serving utensils

- ➡ Dish soap, scrubber, sponge, dish towels, bucket
- ➡ Disposable cups, plates, utensils
- ➡ Plastic storage bags/containers
- ➡ More plastic garbage bags with ties
- ➡ Super-Soaker squirt guns for the kids
- ➡ **Other thoughts**
- ➡ TV/VCR combo, extension cord, movies suitable for the kids
- ➡ Extension cord and fan if it's going to be very hot (even in a tent)