

# One night winter campout

***Patrol gear is split up among the member of the Patrol to backpack in. Leave room in your pack! Or your Patrol will have to do without it!***

## **Per Patrol**

- One tent per 3 people – no backpacks in the tent
- One ground cloth per tent
- One 5X7 or 6X9 lightweight tarp per Patrol to cover backpacks
- One 10X12 tarp for shelter for the patrol
- 8 ground stakes for the patrol tarp
- 60 ft of rope for the tarp
- One hand axe
- One camp shovel – for fire pit, hot coals, latrine
- One backpacking saw
- One or two backpacking stoves per patrol PLUS FUEL
- One Patrol cook kit per Patrol
- Small amount of dish soap
- One scrubby sponge per Patrol
- One trash bag – carry in, carry out what won't burn
- Food for one, breakfast and one dinner. Lunch is a bag lunch – personal preference – no cans of soda.

## **Personal Gear**

- Backpack
- Straps to hold your sleeping bag on the pack
- Pack cover – can be a garbage bag
- 2 gallon Ziploc bags to pack clothes into
- Winter rated sleeping bag: **a Zero degree sleeping bag (OR extra blankets for lining a 25-30 sleeping bag OR a fleece liner to go into 25-30 degree rated sleeping bag)**
- Stuff sack – to stuff your sleeping bag into so that you can strap it to your backpack. **This is a must!**
- Sleeping clothes – long johns, knit hat or sweats and a hooded sweatshirt
- Foam pad or air mattress (ThermaRest Trail Lite Sleeping Pad)
- Rain gear (not a thin plastic poncho)
- Hiking boots – broken in, not new boots. Blisters will result from new boots. Check Troop exchange for used boots.
- Sneakers to wear in camp.
- Polypropylene sock liners – to wick moisture from your feet to the wool sock
- Wool socks – will keep your feet warm even if they get wet. Wear one set of socks, and pack an extra pair.
- Two pairs of underwear
- One extra pair of pants
- One extra sweatshirt or wool sweater
- Heavy Winter jacket
- One pair of gloves or mittens
- One light pair of gloves or mittens
- Set of long insulated underwear
- Mess kit
- Two 1 quart water bottles or 3 pints of water bottles – **full of water**. Some to drink, some to cook and clean with.
- 20ft of rope
- Pocket knife
- Matches
- Flashlight & batteries – small one.
- Compass
- First Aid kit (personal)
- Small towel
- Toothpaste and toothbrush. Or just a toothbrush and you can share toothpaste with another Troop member.
- Whistle
- Wristwatch
- And the most important item of all – half roll of toilet paper.