



WS21:PACKING LIST

PRETTY NORMAL STUFF YOU NEED:

- Sleeping bag/pillow - Please make sure that you clearly label them.
- Comfy clothes - shorts, t-shirts, etc
- Bring one long sleeve shirt or hoodie in case it gets chilly.
- Bring something to sleep in.
- 2 pairs of shoes - One closed-toed (tennis shoes). One open-toed (sandals). Sometimes students also like to bring flip flops for the shower.
- 2 Towels - one for shower and one for swimming
- Toothbrush/Toothpaste/Deodorant/Soap - make your body smell good!
- Sunscreen - being sunburned is not a recipe for fun
- Bathing Suit - OK....So here's the scoop on suits... Guys- Just bring normal boxer-like suits. Girls- We prefer you wear a one-piece or tankini. If you don't have that, it's ok. You don't have to buy one, but please bring an extra solid-color t-shirt or tank top to wear over your suit.
- Garbage bag for wet/dirty clothes.
- Flashlight - because you never know.
- Bug Spray - It's nice to have.

SPECIAL STUFF YOU NEED:

1. A white t-shirt - this shirt will get "colored" during a color war.
2. Outfit for a Superhero theme night. Keep it simple or go for it and totally get geeked out in Superhero stuff like masks, capes and tights. Up to you.

STUFF YOU NEED TO LEAVE AT HOME:

- **Phones and Electronics.** NO Cell phones, i-pads, tablets, etc. Just don't bring them. We don't allow them at Wildside. Quite simply, students don't need them and they actually distract students from interacting with friends and leaders and hearing from God, so we don't allow them for **any reason**. However, we do allow the adult leaders to bring their phones. So if a student needs to call home they can do so, they just need to ask their leader. We do not allow Workcrew to have phones. We do not allow High School students who are cabin leaders to have phones.
- **Energy Drinks/Pop.** We don't allow students to bring soda or energy drinks. They can purchase sodas one at a time at the snack bar, but we have found that in the past that excessive amounts of pop, candy or energy drinks right before bed creates problems for students getting to sleep. Students are welcome to bring some snacks to share with their cabin, however, the soda and energy drinks need to be left at home.
- **Body Sprays (Axe, Perfumes).** It's good to smell good. So double down on the deodorant and leave the sprays at home.

MEDICATIONS:

- Prescription & Over the Counter Medications - These need to be in their **original bottles** and placed in a zip-lock baggie with student's name on it.
- If your son or daughter has medication that needs to remain on their person, like an asthma inhaler, please let make us aware of this so we can pass this info on to the WildSide nurse.

SPENDING MONEY

- How much spending money do we need? We suggest \$60-70. Here's how we got that number:
- **Snack Bar:** At the snack bar we will serve candy, pop, bottle water, sports drinks, and some other snacks. All food items are \$1-2 each so a \$3 per day allotment for a drink and snack is a good indicator. Also available at the snack bar are camp t-shirts for \$18, sunglasses and string bags for \$5, and make and take crafts for \$1 each.
- **Auction:** This has become one of the highlights of camp each year. We suggest that students bring \$20-25 for this. This is a fantastic way to have fun and also change lives. We will auction off all sorts of items that students can bid on individually or as a group or cabin. Most items are experiences for the whole cabin to have together. It is a lot of fun and students love bidding on some of the crazy stuff we offer. Each year we donate the proceeds of the auction to support and bless a non-profit ministry.
- **TOTALING IT UP:** So we figure \$15 for Candy and Pop, \$18 for a T-shirt, \$20-25 for the auction. This puts us in the \$60-70 range.