

Troop 90 2021 Summer Camp Packing Checklist

Required/Strongly Recommended

- **Label everything with your name**
- **Trunk/Foot Locker/Duffle Bag** – to store your gear in. Recommendation: Foot Locker like <https://www.walmart.com/ip/Sterilite-Footlocker-Black/16415912> This fits under your cot. Keeps your gear dry.
- **Water Bottle/ Nalgene2** - one quart size – you must stay hydrated
- **Daypack or old school bag** – to carry your stuff during the day
- **Light Sleeping Bag or Fleece and a Sheet** for hot/cool nights
- **Rain Suit** – it will rain at some point – No Ponchos – suggestion: Frogg Togg Jacket ~\$20
- **Hiking Boots or Trail Shoes** – broken in (new shoes will only cause blisters)
- **Sneakers or comfy shoes** while in camp. **No open toe shoes!!**
- **Water shoes or old sneakers** – **Must be closed toe!**
- **Full BSA Class A summer uniform** (shorts, shirt, belt and socks)- this will be worn every night at dinner and colors. No neckerchiefs and slides.
- **Fleece jacket, sweatshirt or hoodie** – it gets chilly in the mountains at night.
- **Toilet Kit** (soap, toothbrush, comb, washcloth, etc.) (soap in a plastic bag or container)
- **Individual First Aid Kit**
- **Swim/Bath Towels- 2** (one drying – one using) We will have clothes lines set up to dry stuff.
- **Sleeping Clothes**
- **Socks- 9 pairs** –preferably not cotton to prevent blisters
- **Underwear- 7**
- **T-Shirts** –scout like – 7 (if not a Class B – just a plain shirt with nothing offensive on it. No Camo)
- **Shorts-** scout shorts or scout like (green) – 3 or 4 – they do not have to be scout pants – but rather scout like in a green tone. No wild colored shorts or camo.
- **Swim Trunks- 2**
- **Long pants** – at least 1 pair
- **Hat** – to keep the sun off your head and neck
- **Boy Scout Handbook**
- **Flashlight** and extra batteries!!
- **Pillow** if desired
- **Mat/ Foam cushion** – we will be sleeping on cots- optional but nice to have
- **Insect Repellent and Sunscreen** – non aerosol
- **Pen / pencil and paper** – (notebook)
- **Blue Cards** (Troop leaders will bring them to camp)
- **MB Pre- Req Verification Form** – signed by scout, parent and Scoutmaster
- **MB Materials** Identified in Pre Reqs
- **Trading Post Spending Money** (\$25-\$35) for cold drinks, snacks
Merit Badge items, etc.- extra if you are doing shooting sports and/or handicraft
- **Chair** - unless you like sitting on the ground. Name on Chair.
- **Medical Forms** – Parts A/B/C Due June 3rd – no form – no camping

Optional Items

- **Bug Netting** to go over your cot - 'optional' but don't complain about the bugs or spiders. Must fit over cot. Not really necessary this year.
- **Playing cards** or a game for down time in camp.
- **Chaffing Powder/Cream** – chaffing happens
- **Fishing Gear** – Small Tackle Box in Footlocker. No fishing poles. Provided at camp.
- **Sunglasses**

Troop 90 Summer Camp Policies

- Cell phone policy: Allowed for HS Juniors and Seniors only. Not allowed for other scouts. This is our troop policy.
- No charging available at camp if not an adult.
- No Electronics Games/Ipads/Tablets/Laptops at Camp
- No open toe shoes or sandals – no exceptions
- All medication will be administered by an T90 adult leader in camp. All meds must be in original bottle in a zip bag with the scout's name on it – along with the dosage chart attached to the bag. No exceptions.

Troop 90 Summer Camp Recommendations

- Do not walk around all day in a wet bathing suit – change into dry shorts.
- Have all your items tagged with your name and T90 on it. Scouts do and will lose things at camp.
- Be careful with any valuables you bring to camp. Consider whether valuables are needed.
- Pack everything into your trunk or duffle bag. It makes transporting gear a lot easier. Chairs and daypacks can be brought unpacked, but make sure your name and troop number is on it.
- Bring boots and shoes that are broken in. Blisters are not pleasant. Scouts will do an exceptional amount of walking. Expect to hike 35+ miles during the week.

Additional Orion Items

- Bring boots and shoes that are broken in. Blisters are not pleasant. Scouts will do an exceptional amount of walking to and from the program areas.
- There is a service project. Add a long sleeve shirt to your packing list. Painting may be involved.
- Orion participants may hike up to an hour to some locations.