

PRE-CAMP CHECK-OFF LIST

FORMS FOR SCOUTS AND PARENTS:

1. "What I would like to do at Camp Whitsett"
2. Medical Form
3. Youth/Adult Permission Form
4. Merit Badge prerequisite forms
5. White Water Rafting release form
6. Equipment and clothing list
7. Mailing address of camp
8. Driving instructions

The first four forms are to be returned to the Scoutmaster after completion by each Scout attending camp. PLEASE CHECK ALL SIGNATURE LINES.

THINGS TO MAIL TO COUNCIL OFFICE:

(Due in the office 16 days prior to your camping date)

1. Final Camp Fees
2. Local Tour Plan submitted to your local council office

THINGS TO BRING WITH YOU TO CAMP:

1. **Medical form**
2. **Youth/Adult Permission forms** --- (double sided, check all signatures)
3. **Troop Roster** (which can be found online at campwhitsett.org)
4. Merit Badge prerequisite forms (to Merit Badge instructors)
5. White water rafting releases (to give to Rafting company)

Forms are available online at www.campwhitsett.org/summer/forms

UNIFORMS

At Camp the official Scout uniform is the appropriate dress throughout the week. We ask everyone to be in uniform for the evening meal and for evening colors. We encourage Scout shorts and a unit T-shirt (or other scout activity shirt) be worn by everyone during the rest of the day. Leaders also are requested to wear official Scout uniform or activity uniform. Leaders are reminded that all adults should demonstrate a good example to the Scouts by wearing appropriate attire for a Boy Scout camp.

WHAT TO BRING - PERSONAL GEAR

MANDATORY ITEMS

- Medical form signed by physician
- Youth Permission Form
- Merit Badge prerequisite forms
- Notebook, paper, pens
- Stationery, stamps
- Spending Money (\$75-\$100)
- Scout Handbook

CLOTHING ITEMS

- Scout Uniform including scout shirt and shorts/pants, neckerchief (required at evening meal and colors)
- Sweater or jacket (it can get cool)
- Hat or visor
- Jeans
- Shirts (3 min.)
- Shorts (2 pair min.)
- Hiking boots with proper socks
- Tennis shoes with proper socks
- Swim suit and beach towel
- Rain poncho
- 6 pairs of socks
- Underwear for 6 days
- Pajamas

CAMPING GEAR

- Sleeping bag
- Duffel bag or large backpack
- Sleeping pad and pillow
- Mess Kit (for troop fellowship cookout)

TOILET KIT

- Medication (if needed)
- Toiletries, including soap and shampoo, toothpaste and toothbrush, towel/washcloth
- Deodorant
- Shaving gear (if needed)
- Comb & small mirror
- Sunscreen
- Chapstick
- Personal first aid kit
- Handkerchiefs

CAMP NECESSITIES

- Flashlight and batteries
- Compass
- Pocket knife & Totin' Chip
- Canteen or water bottle
- Clothesline/clothespins

OTHER

- Clock/watch
- OA Sash
- Camera/film
- Water shoes for rafting
- Fishing tackle



If taking Lifesaving, Swimming or Canoeing Merit Badge, bring extra clothes for “survival while in the water” - long pants, long-sleeve shirt, socks, shoes.

WHAT TO BRING - UNIT EQUIPMENT LIST

Your campsite will be your home away from home, and each Unit or Patrol will need to set up its area within its campsite. Camp Whitsett will provide each site with the following equipment:

Tents in tented sites*	Picnic Table
Wash Stand	Fire pit and fire tools
Broom and Hose	Latrine and toilet paper

* *Wilderness camping units MUST bring own tents!*

NOTE: Dutch Ovens are available for cobblers.

OPTIONAL EQUIPMENT BROUGHT BY UNIT

Flags - Unit and Patrol	Bear bag or bear can
First aid kit	Gas or liquid fuel stoves and fuel
Games, stunt/skit supplies	Tool kit (pliers, hammer, scissors)
Tablecloths	Repair kit (tape, wire, twine, etc.)
5-gallon buckets (for laundry, etc)	

ADVANCEMENT

Merit Badge pamphlets	Handbooks and guides
Pens/pencils	Paper, notebooks, clipboards
Poster board	Felt-tip pens
Push pins or thumbtacks	Miscellaneous teaching aids
Unit Advancement Records	

SCOUTMASTER NEEDS

Copy of Unit Roster	Leader's Guide for Camp
Notebook paper	Unit insurance information
Handbook	Bear Bag (stuff bag is ideal)

NOTE: This equipment list is meant to serve as a general guide. Use your own discretion in choosing what to take and what to leave.

Items Scouts are Prohibited From Bringing into Camp:

Firearms	Radios and TVs	Illegal substances
Ammunition	Alcohol and tobacco	Fireworks
Footlockers	Large/sheath knives	Switchblades
Jewelry	Pornography	Gang paraphernalia

Pagers and cell phones (which will not work in camp).