

Wildheart Adventure Camp

Items to Bring-2017

Campers must bring the following items and **have each item marked with initials with permanent marker. Bring ONLY these items.** Any excess or unnecessary items will be sent home with parent. Because he will do laundry each weekend only one week of clothes is needed.

Please pack everything into a maximum of (2) large duffle bags or suitcases. The exception is that the sleeping bag and backpack can be separate.

Once the camper arrives at Wildheart, we will assign additional personal gear to each guy for the remainder of camp. Wildheart will provide all backpacking gear that the camper does not already have. The camp will also provide a “cantina” for snacks, so campers can bring spending money to purchase these extra snacks.**

Experience has taught us that we just have to say this: Some specific examples of clothing that are not allowed at Wildheart (again, it’s not that people who wear such are wicked, evil and therefore terrible people; we just set as clear a line as we can in a very broad area): clothing that is vividly marked with logos of companies that have taken a stand on issues in a decidedly anti-Christian way (i.e. Hollister, Abercrombie and Fitch, Tommy Hilfiger, alcohol beverage companies, Tapout, Zoo York, etc.) Unacceptable attire would include attire that either looks sloppy, dirty, or identifying with a specific subculture or group that is anti-Christian in what it promotes. Examples would be ragged, ripped, baggy, gothic, or grunge style clothing, flat-brimmed hats or beanies, studded belts, skinny jeans, etc.

Clothing:

*Note that each camper will receive 5 camp team t-shirts for everyday wear.

3 t-shirts (for the weekends)

1 **Light jacket or Hoodie**/sweatshirt

1 long-sleeved shirt as nights can get down in the low 40’s

6 combination of shorts and pants

(at least 2 pair of *pants*)

1 pair of Khaki’s and 1 collared shirt for church

7 pairs of underwear

8 pairs of socks

Hiking boots (over the ankle)

1 pair of running/athletic shoes

1 pair of water shoes

1 pair shower shoes (flip-flops or slides)

Swimming trunks

Rain jacket or poncho

Cap/hat (optional)

1 pair leather workgloves

General:

Bible (for memorizing we use ESV-English Standard Version, which we can supply)

2 writing pens

Pocketknife or sheath knife

2 bath towels and optional washcloths

Sleeping bag (a backpacking sleeping bag is available for purchase for \$80) *see enrollment form

Sleeping pad

Flash light

Compass (optional)

Daypack backpack (book-bag size for day hikes)

Backpacking pack—large enough for a 3-day trip (we will provide one if you don’t have one)

Pillow

1-2 canteens or water bottles (sealable/leakproof)

Toiletries (toothbrush, toothpaste, razors, soap, shampoo, etc.)

2 cans-Bug repellent

Personal Medication- (to be checked in to staff)

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Things to leave at home:

Jewelry-including piercing jewelry.

Electronics-phones, I-pods, etc.

Illegal substances-drugs, alcohol, tobacco products, etc.

Magazines, books, etc.-(We have a library for recreational reading on the weekends!)

Food-snacks, drinks, candy

**Spending Money? When going on excursions campers may want to purchase a snack along the way, so bring a few bucks along. Money will be checked in and distributed when an opportunity to spend is available.