

## **Packing List for Family Camp**

Family Camp is designed to encourage families to participate in community with each other. Please keep the use of electronic devices at a minimum during the camp week. Cell phone service is poor at camp - Please feel free to use that as a way to disconnect and relax.

## **Recommended Packing List:**

- Required medications
- Pillow and bedding (sleeping bag or sheets/blanket)
- Warm jacket or sweater
- Personal items & toiletries
- Several changes of clothing, including clothing for all situations (pack clothes for cold, buggy weather)
- Swimsuit (modest in design) and towel
- Walking/running shoes (close-toed)
- Water shoes, sandals (flip-flops are not adequate)
- Bible, paper, and pencil (if necessary, a Bible can be provided for the week)
- Flashlight with batteries
- Raingear
- Sunscreen and Insect Repellent (non-aerosol)
- Water bottle (also available for purchase in the canteen). Please label with your camper's name.

## **Optional Items:**

- Hat
- Camera
- Fishing pole / tackle no MI fishing license necessary for those 16 and under, and are available in town for those 16+
- Bicycles (optional)
- \$20-\$50 for camp clothing or merchandise and/or money for mission project donation, if desired
- \$20-\$50 for mission project, canteen snacks, crafts, and ski boat activities (we charge \$4 per tube or banana boat ride) Note: Family campers can have a tab in the canteen for children with limits placed on spending, if desired.
- Optional for adults (though not necessary): something a little nicer to wear for our special adult dinner where kids eat separately and adults are served nice dinner at a slower pace.

## Items not to bring to the camp

- Any foods with peanut or nut ingredients (for allergy safety)
- Unnecessary electronics
- Knives, weapons, sharp objects, lighters, or matches
- Alcohol or illegal drugs
- Any clothing, stickers, or imagery that can be divisive, political, negative, etc. We strive to keep
  the focus of camp Christ-centered and limit visual messages that are difficult to unpack for young
  people who are together for a temporary community.