

# **Packing List for Island Camp**

Island campers should bring a range of clothes for warm days and cool nights. The Island campers are outside most of the time, so adequate clothing is important for cold U.P. days (check forecast for the week). All belongings should be marked with your child's name. This includes luggage, towels, and all personal items. You may want to include a check list of your child's belongings to aid them in collecting all items at the end of the week.

Our Island program is designed to encourage campers to participate in the experience of the community and adventure with the basic essentials. Please do not pack electronic devices, watches, snacks / food / candy, mirrors, cosmetics, or pop-culture reading material. Cell phones, money, and the above items will be checked in the first night and returned at the end of the week.

### **Recommended Packing List:**

- Required medications (medications must be in original containers this include over-the-counter drugs as well.)
- 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
- Sunscreen and Insect Repellent (non-aerosol)
- Raingear
- 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
- \$20-\$50 for camp clothing or merchandise and/or money for mission project donation, if desired (All money is banked in the camp store; any amount left is returned at the end of the week to the camper.)

### Items not to bring to the Island

The island is a unique experience of living off the grid for a week, and we try to live by the basics, which is rare in today's world. Please do not pack the following:

- Snacks / Food / Candy (to keep critters out of your living spaces)
- Any items with peanut or nut ingredients (for allergy safety)
- Electronics
- Watches
- Mirrors or Cosmetics
- Pop-Culture Reading Material (magazines, news sources)
- Knives, weapons, sharp objects, lighters, or matches
- Alcohol or illegal drugs
- Personal sports equipment
- Any clothing, stickers, or imagery that can be divisive, political, negative, etc. – We strive to keep the focus of camp Christcentered and limit visual messages that are difficult to unpack for young people who are together for a temporary community.

Any such belongings, along with any money, will be collected by the staff at the beginning of the week and locked away until the end of the week when they will be returned to the camper.

### Sending camper mail or email:

You may write to your camper by mail or email. If sending a package, please do not include any prohibited items or food of any kind.

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