

Equipment List and Information for AMC Hut Trip

The Hut trip is designed so the minimum amount of equipment is needed.

\$ 10 for gas and tolls if your parent is not driving. Give it to whoever you are riding up with. We do not try to coordinate travel or arrival time. We will meet at the hut. Try to carpool.

Wear WATERPROOF – Hiking Boots - Keep in mind we have gotten as much as a foot of snow on these trips and there is often snow on the shaded trails. Micro Spikes are suggested.

Back Pack – with a hip belt; duck back pack cover or trash bag to cover pack in rain. No Duffle Bags

Sleeping Bag. (The hut MIGHT NOT supply blankets at this time of year)

Warm Jacket - Winter Hat and Gloves

Fleece Sweatshirt or Wool sweater

Raingear – rain coat and pants (good for wind even if no rain)

Complete change of clothes (pack in Ziplock): stay away from cotton – should be polypro & fleece for hiking

Long pants

2 T-shirts

Long sleeve shirt

2 sets of Socks - Wool outer layer and sock liners

Underwear

Shorts

Thermal underwear

Something to sleep in

Sneakers, moccasins or cros for IN the Hut.

Flashlight or Head Lamp With new batteries in it

Small 1st Aid kit – mostly Band-Aids & Moleskin- remember any medications you may need.

Toilet paper

Toothbrush and paste

2 Water bottles (full) (1 quart each)

Personal Snacks/GORP (raisins, peanuts, M&Ms and whatever)

Sunglasses/Tiny Sunscreen

INSECT REPELLENT IT COULD BE BLACKFLY & Mosquito SEASON!!

EAR PLUGS (if you don't like to hear snoring) & BREATHE RIGHT STRIPS (if you snore)

Optional: Camera – Whistle - Pack of Cards – Book - Compass-Day Pack - Hiking Poles

Don't forget that the huts sell T-shirts, everybody seems to want them, as well as snacks (cash or credit card).

Dinners Saturday & Sunday and Breakfast Sunday & Monday are included with the cost of the weekend.

The Scouts will be doing the cooking, serving & cleaning family style. IF YOU CANNOT COME, YOU MUST SEND YOUR FOOD WITH SOMEONE ELSE!! Pick up food at Monday's troop meeting.

YOU NEED TO BRING YOUR OWN LUNCHES, KEEP THEM SIMPLE (NO COOKING) - YOU WILL MOST LIKELY BE HIKING AT LUNCH TIME. ALSO REMEMBER - EVERYTHING WE CARRY IN WE MUST CARRY OUT - THIS INCLUDES TRASH, so bring a trash bag and some extra gallon ziplocks.

There are no showers or wash facilities at the huts, if you wish, bring a couple of baby wipes in a Ziplock to freshen up. You do not need to bring extra items not on this list.