

Pack your bags! The basic list...

WHAT TO BRING: Bible, pen/pencil, sleeping bag, pillow, towels, washcloths, bath mat, hand towels, hand soap and other toiletries; flashlight, sunscreen, bug spray, recreational clothes, school-type clothes for evening services, shoes*, pajamas, light jacket/sweater, modest one-piece swimsuit (no cut-offs or two-piece), and spending money. **NOTE:** *The first aid staff has requested the use of perfume, cologne and body sprays by both campers and chaperones be restricted or limited in consideration of campers with asthma.*

***Flip flops & open-toed sandals** may be worn only to the pool and to services. For ALL other areas and activities, tennis shoes are required. **TWO pairs of tennis shoes will be needed**—one for wet activities; one for dry.

Please mark all personal items with a laundry marker! The camp will not be responsible for any possessions left behind, lost, damaged or stolen. *Leave all valuables at home!* All items left at Pine Creek will be given to charity if not claimed by the end of August.

WHAT NOT TO BRING: CD/tape players, radios, electronic games, i-Pods or mp3 players, skateboards, fireworks, knives, guns, drugs, pagers or cell phones* will not be allowed. These items will be confiscated and not returned until the end of camp.

*Chaperones may bring cell phones but are cautioned to silence them while they are with their kids in order to focus on the needs of their campers.

Additional Stuff to Bring to Camp

Survival tips from a seasoned chaperone...

1. Rope to use as a clothes line to hang wet towels and swimsuits.
2. Clothes pins to keep towels and swimsuits from blowing away.
3. Bath mat or bath towel. (The floor is really slippery when wet.) They can be bought at the Dollar Store or just use an old towel that you can throw away at the end of camp. Otherwise, you will have a trail of water through the room.
4. Hand towel for everyone to dry their hands on. If you don't have one, the campers use whatever towel happens to be hanging there and it could be yours.
5. Hand soap or hand sanitizer if you want them to actually wash their hands.
6. Clothes hangers—to hang clothes for chapel services.
7. Something to entertain the campers during "feet off the floor" time—small games,

- crafts, a book to read to them, a devotion, etc.
8. Anti-itch cream—sometimes the bugs can be really bad.
9. Bug spray—like I said, the bugs can be really bad.
10. Sun screen—some campers will forget theirs.
11. Blue painters tape. It is the only acceptable way to secure decorations/items to the wall, ceiling or doors. Pine Creek will charge a fee for any damage caused by improper tape usage.
12. Clorox wet wipes. You may need to clean up the toilet after a camper uses it—trust me on this one.
13. Permanent marker to put camper names on t-shirts and water bottles. (The camp t-shirts and water bottles all look alike.)
14. Plenty of duct tape to construct your boat for the annual boat race.
15. Roll of paper towels to clean

up spills and messes, or that trail of water made by campers just coming from the pond or pool. Believe me, you don't want to use your own towel!

16. Flashlight—it gets pretty dark at night.
17. Air freshener for the bathroom—you know why!
18. A watch and an alarm clock.
19. Tissues to keep the spread of germs down to a minimum and for the tears of joy brought on by the Holy Spirit.

For Female Chaperones

20. A kitchen timer so that one camper doesn't take the entire shower time. (It has happened!)
21. Hygiene items for the older girls—just in case.

DRESS CODE: No backless dresses or clothing with spaghetti straps will be allowed without a shirt or sweater cover-up. No mid-drift or halter tops. No cut-offs or two-piece swimwear. All shorts and dresses must be no shorter than the extended arms and fingertips.