



Operation: Winter Thunder!

PACKING LIST

CSR Operation: Winter Thunder! is designed to be a FUN and SAFE winter camping experience. Each piece of gear on this list is essential to your comfort and safety during your stay. Scouts must arrive with the below listed gear in order to be permitted to camp. Additional clothing or gear is optional, and considerations should be made to ensure that warm, dry clothing is available from your head down to your toes!

REQUIRED PERSONAL ITEMS:

- _____ 1 tent (Sharing is allowed and encouraged!)
- _____ 1 plastic tarp to use as a ground cloth
- _____ Sleeping bag (Cold weather) – bag must be rated to 0 degrees or lower! No exceptions! (30 degree bags are NOT OK)
- _____ 1 closed cell foam sleeping pads (no air mattresses or self-inflating pads!)
- _____ 1 pair of insulated snow boots (no rubber rain boots)
- _____ 1 winter hat – to be used in addition to the one issued at check-in
- _____ 2 pairs of mittens and/or gloves
- _____ 1 winter jacket or shell – waterproof is ideal. Will serve as your wind protection.
- _____ 2 – 3 Wool or Fleece Sweaters or Shirts. No cotton on this trip!
- _____ 2 pair of long underwear tops (CoolMax, UnderArmour, Capilene) NO COTTON
- _____ 2 pair of long underwear bottoms (CoolMax, UnderArmour, Capilene) NO COTTON
- _____ 2 pair of pants (at least 1 pair wool or an insulated snowpant) NO JEANS
- _____ 2 or more pairs of light liner socks (wool or synthetic) NO COTTON
- _____ 2 or more pairs of heavy insulating socks (wool or synthetic) NO COTTON
- _____ 2 Water bottles
- _____ 2 flashlights or headlamps (1 should fit in your pocket)
- _____ Personal hygiene items (toothbrush AND toothpaste, baby wipes)
- _____ Personal Medications
- _____ A watch
- _____ ChapStick or Lip Balm

RECOMMENDED ITEMS:

- _____ Money for Trading Post
- _____ Snow Shovel (if forecasted)
- _____ Battery Powered Lantern
- _____ EXTRA socks!
- _____ Scarf or neck gaiter
- _____ Slippers for use in Dining Hall in the evenings
- _____ Pocket knife
- _____ Sunglasses

Notes:

- Participants will be issued a Winter Thunder **knit cap** and **thermal beverage mug** upon check-in!
- No COTTON shirts, pants, socks or long underwear. ABSOLUTELY NO BLUE JEANS!
- If you wear prescription contact lenses, consider bringing glasses instead.
- Always bring extra items such as hats, gloves or socks if available in case the required ones all get wet!