What to Bring to Camp

You'll want to be prepared for your week at camp. The following lists should be a good beginning. Feel free to add to the list, and check with your troop as to what equipment may be provided.

- Completed and signed BSA Health and Medical Form (Any other form will NOT be accepted).
- Medications labeled with easy to read directions for the Medical Officer
- Scouts BSA uniform: shorts, shirt, socks.
- Scouts BSA Handbook
- Flashlight
- Appropriate hat (Scouts BSA or troop hat preferred)
- Appropriate summer clothing: i.e. t-shirt & shorts (Scouts BSA or Troop shirts preferred)
- Notebook and pencils
- Personal gear (towel, soap, toothbrush/paste, comb)
- Raincoat or poncho
- Sleeping bag or blankets
- Sneakers and/or hiking shoes
- Shower shoes or aqua-socks
- Spending money for the Trading Post
- Sweatshirt or light jacket
- Swim trunks
- Underwear and socks
- Bug spray (non-aerosol)
- Sun screen
- Merit Badge Books for merit badges for which you are registered.
- Small lock box for important items
- Troop and patrol flags

Optional - you might want to bring:

- Camera and film
- Clothes hangers
- Clothes line or rope
- Clothes pins
- Compass
- Individual first aid kit
- Musical instrument
- Pocket knife
- Sewing kit
- Watch

Please do NOT bring:

- Cell phones (talk with your Troop leaders about troop policy regarding cell phone use at camp)
- ipods, mp3 players, or gaming systems
- Expensive jewelry or clothing
- Fireworks
- Gasoline fueled stoves or lanterns
- Guns or weapons of any kind
- Sheath or switchblade knives