



## CAMP TALL TREES 2017- HOGWARTS PACKING LIST

Your daughter will be expected to carry her own bag and will need to be responsible for her own belongings. Do not send valuable items or clothing. Clothing should be suitable for outdoor wear and you should expect it to get dirty and/or damaged. Please mark items with your daughter's name.

The girls will live in cabins. The cabins are very basic and are provided with bunk beds which do NOT have mattresses. Bathrooms and showers are in a separate building. Please be sure to read and follow the instructions below for toiletries.

Camp Tall Trees is being held in a wilderness area. In order to reduce the possibility of problems with animals, NO FOOD is allowed in the cabins. Any food found in cabins will be confiscated, please do not allow your daughter to put candy or other food items in her bag. There will be plenty of food and snacks available.

There will be no opportunities to spend money. PLEASE DO NOT SEND YOUR DAUGHTER WITH CASH.

- Small backpack (The girls will make several trips out and about including rock climbing, kayaking and the creek hike. She must have a small backpack to carry spare clothes and other small items).
  - Water bottle that can be carried.
  - Sun Block.
  - Hat.
- Please bring a WRISTWATCH. Many activities require that you know what time it is.
- Bag or knapsack that your daughter can carry her belongings in:
  - We will be at camp for eight days and seven nights.
    - Long Pants (Minimum 2)
    - Shorts (Minimum 2 )
    - Long Sleeve Shirt (Minimum 2)
    - Short Sleeve Shirt (minimum 3)
    - Underwear and socks (8 pairs)
  - **WINDBREAKER**/Shower proof jacket
  - Warm sweatshirt or sweater, *(It will be chilly in the morning and evening)*
  - Warm Pajamas or Sweat Pants & Sleep Shirt
  - Swimsuit
  - Bath towel *(To be used for Showers)*
  - Beach towel *(To be used for Kayaking)*
  - Wash Rag
  - Flashlight
  - Sleeping Bag
  - An extra blanket.
  - Pillow.
  - Sleeping Mat *(Thermorest, foam mat or similar – there are no mattresses in the cabins!)*
  - Hair Ties.
  - Hairbrush
  - Plastic Bag for dirty laundry.

(When selecting shoes remember they need to be suitable for: climbing wall, kayaking, hiking and other active outdoor activities.) **NO FLIP FLOPS or SANDALS**

- Spare pair of closed toe shoes.
- **Closed Toe water shoes or athletic shoes that can be worn when Kayaking** and that will get wet. (**NO FLIP FLOPS**). Please don't forget this, every year we have girls who forget to bring water shoes and end up with no dry shoes
  
- If your daughter is menstruating, or may do so while at camp, please send appropriate supplies with her.
  
- The following items **MUST BE IN A ZIPLOCK BAG CLEARLY MARKED** with your Daughter's Name:
  - Travel Soap, Deodorant, Shampoo, Conditioner.
  - Tooth Brush & Tooth Paste.
  - Other Toiletries

*(The smell of these items attracts wildlife, including larger mammals. All of these items will be kept in the bathroom block and will not be allowed in the cabins. Please ensure that all items giving off odors are placed in this bag.)*
  
- Optional Items
  - Small cuddly night companion
  - Camera (*This will be your daughter's responsibility so please don't send a valuable camera or consider using a disposable camera*)
  - Journal and pen/pencil.
  - A book that is not valuable.
  - School Robes, Formal Robes, House Scarf, Broomstick, Cauldron etc.

**DO NOT send ELECTRONICS.** There will be plenty to do. Camp is intended to be a wilderness experience without the distractions of everyday life. Cellphones, Ipods, Gameboys and similar items should not be sent. If your daughter does bring any electronics (other than a camera), it will be held in the camp office while she is at camp and returned to you when you pick her up.

Please remember **DO NOT** send **candy or snack food**, there will be plenty to eat, and it attracts all sorts of unwelcome animal visitors.