**What to Bring**

**Personal Tool Kit (for Youth and Adult Crew Leaders):**

* Impact resistant OSHA approved safety googles/glasses – **Mandatory**
* Work gloves – **Mandatory**
* 16 oz. water bottle– **Mandatory**. Your water bottle must be brought to your work site.
* Sunscreen and insect repellant– to save you from a sunburn and a nasty bite.
* Disposable drop cloth
* Rubber gloves – Playtex
* Ear plugs
* 2 screw drivers (1 standard, 1 Philips)
* Hammer (16 oz. minimum)
* 1 set disposable paint brushes
* Measuring tape
* Pencil
* Tool belt or apron (optional)
* Tool/Canvas bag to hold everything

**Clothing (for Youth and Adult Crew Leaders):** Personal items include your clothes and the necessary things to live away from home for a week. You will need work clothes as well as something comfortable to wear for evening program. Please keep in mind that space is limited both in your vans traveling to and from WorkCamp (group items must also be transported) and in the sleeping rooms. Bring clothes that can get messed up and pack only what is necessary.

* **Work boots are mandatory** - Work boots must have a hard bottomed sole. Steel toe is optional but can save your feet. Available at Wal-Mart for around $35.
* **16 oz. Water Bottle is mandatory -** keep with you to stay hydrated on work site and home base.
* **One pair of lightweight cotton work pants -** for working with insulation and clearing brush. The same pair can be worn all 4 work days!
* **Two pair of shorts -** wear each pair twice.
* **Four clean work shirts (one for each workday) -** T-shirts but no sleeveless shirts.
* **One long sleeve cotton shirt -** for working with insulation and clearing brush.
* **Hat** – to help keep you cool.
* **Evening program clothes -** sensible for sitting comfortably on the floor with modesty in mind. These clothes can be worn more than once since you will be wearing only a few hours each night.
* **Bathing Suit and Towel for pool -**T-shirt must be worn over swimsuit at all times by both guys & girls.
* **Tennis Shoes -** Wear for team building activities.
* **Sweatshirt** - if it gets cool in the evening, or you find the air conditioning cool.
* **Sleepwear -** shorts & T-shirts for sleeping and walking to the bathrooms. Nothing see- through, short or immodest. No tanks or sleeveless T’s. Guys must wear shirts at all times.
* **Sleeping Bag or sheets and pillow** - we are sleeping onbunk beds.
* **Towel & Toiletries -** Bring a large towel & shower items.
* **Shower Bag or Caddy -** Used to carry clean clothes, towel, toiletries to shower.
* **Flip Flops -** For shower and pool area.
* **Personal tool kit -** Personal work tools will be put in your crew van on Sunday. Label them: your tools will get mixed up with others. Kit should include:

**Impact resistant OSHA approved Safety Glasses and Work Gloves** (required), Rubber gloves, Hammer, 2 Screw drivers (1 Standard, 1 Phillips), Paint Brushes (disposable), Tape Measure, Pencil, Sunscreen, Ear Plugs, Insect Repellant, Tool Belt (optional) and Canvas/Tool Bag to hold everything.

* **WorkCamp T-shirt -** Provided. Please wear to WorkCamp.
* You are invited to bring your **Bible and Rosary.**

**What NOT to Bring to WorkCamp:**

* Anything of significant value that you cannot stand to lose
* Cell phones**,** MP3 Player/ipods**,** video game devices
* T-shirts with inappropriate messages or pictures
* Shorts/Sweat pants with messages on the seat
* Spaghetti strap tees/tank tops/sleeveless tees
* Short shorts
* No Cigarettes, Alcohol, or Illegal Drugs

**How to Pack:**

* **Duffel -** All personal items should be carried in a large duffel, mark it with your name.
* **Shower Bag -** Your bag is used to take clean clothes/toiletries to the shower each day. **Note-** Be sure to bring everything you need … soap, towels, clean clothes, etc. You can brush your teeth in other sinks or later after showers are over.

**Some additional Tips:**

* Liquid soap is better. Place in zip lock bag with shampoo and other liquids.
* Bring a couple of plastic grocery bags to put wet things in
* Hand sanitizer works well at a site with little water. Keep it in your tool kit.
* Mark your belongs clearly
* Bring drying racks for wet swimsuits/towels/T-shirts
* Box fans are helpful to keep sleeping rooms cool and help dry wet clothes.

**Remember:**

* Abstain from using derogatory language about the body
* Underwear is meant to be kept under your clothes and not to be seen
* The three B’s must remain covered at all times (breast, belly, bottom)
* No inappropriate body language
* Shorts must extend down to the end of your fingertips at your side
* Full clothing must be worn in the hallways at all times!
* Tank tops are not allowed… not even for sleeping - sleep in shorts & T-shirts