CHANNEL ISLANDS SERVICE TRIP

Packing List

Please use this list to help you properly prepare for your outing. Any questions concerning the trip itinerary or your equipment needs can be discussed with your trip leader(s) when s/he contacts you approximately one week prior to the trip. If you have any questions or concerns prior to contact with the trip leader(s) call UCSB Adventure Programs at (805) 893-3737.

The items listed below as "REQUIRED" are necessary for your enjoyment and comfort. Do not substitute or exclude any "REQUIRED" items for your trip. Most of the equipment can be found in your own kitchen and closet. Please label your gear so it is easier to keep track. You can rent gear from our program if you need something on the required list (please visit http://recreation.sa.ucsb.edu/adventure-programs/outdoor-gear-rentals for more information).

You can expect the weather on the island to be warm/hot in the daytimes and cool/cold in the evenings. Therefore, layering your clothing will be essential for you to enjoy this adventure. Please make sure that all items are packed in plastic or water proof bags in the event of rain.

REQUIRED EQUIPMENT

- Backpack
- Sleeping Bag (should be rated to keep you warm to a temperature of 30°F)
- Small 1-2 Person Tent (backpacking one night and ferry service requires minimum weight standards)
- Plastic Ground Sheet/Tarp (to keep your tent/gear clean)
- Ground Pad (sleeping pad (Foam or Inflatable) that will insulate you from the cold ground)
- Headlamp/Flashlight (with new batteries)
- Lunches (5)
- Pocket Knife
- 1 Cup, 1 Bowl, 1Plate, Fork and Spoon
- Personal Hygiene Items (toothbrush, etc.)
- Hand Sanitizer
- Toilet Paper (in a plastic bag)
- Menstrual Supplies (see recommendations on trip expectations)
- $ to Buy Road Meals, Snacks, Souvenirs, etc.
- 2 Water Bottles (one Nalgene/Hydroflask/etc and one Camelback works well, 2 Nalgene/Hydroflask/etc are fine.)
- Sunscreen (minimum rating of 30 SPF)
- Special First Aid Supplies According to Your Specific Needs
REQUIRED CLOTHING

While we are on our trips our levels of exertion change and so does the temperature. For this reason we suggest you use a layering system with your clothing. Start with a light layer. Then add more layers as it gets colder. The layers vary from 0 to 4 or 5 with the last layer being a waterproof layer which also keeps the wind out. You must always be prepared for rain or bad weather.

___1 Waterproof Rain Jacket/Suit or Poncho
___2 Pair of Footwear, (1 good for hiking/gardening, 1 for relaxing at camp)
___3-4 Sets of Socks (1 liner pair and 1 heavy pair = 1 set)
___3-4 Pairs of Underwear
___2-3 Shirts (1 short sleeve and 1 long sleeve at least)
___1 Pair of Long Pants (preferably wool or synthetic material)
___1 Pair of Shorts
___1 Warm Non-Cotton Jacket or Vest, Medium Weight Jacket or Heavy Sweater
___1 Windbreaker (could also be your rain jacket if waterproof)
___1 Warm Hat/ Beanie (for cold evenings)
___1 Base Layer Set (tops and bottoms, capilene or polypropylene)
___Gloves or Mittens (if your hands get cold at night)
___Sunglasses
___Brimmed hat or visor
___Swimsuit

RECOMMENDED GEAR

___Biodegradable Soap (Ivory or Dr. Bronner’s, etc.)
___Lip Balm with SPF
___Small Camping Chair (Crazy Creek/ Thermarest)
___Mosquito repellent
___Towel
___Day pack
___Camera (throw away waterproof ones work well)

Maps, compass, stove, cookware, fuel, water jugs and first aid kits will be provided by the group leaders and the Field station.

Please Note: You will be responsible for all your personal items, electronics, etc. Although we try to ensure safety of all personal equipment from damage or loss, UCSB Adventure Programs and/or our staff will not be liable should an incident occur.

No Drugs or Alcohol: University regulations and program policies do not allow alcohol or drugs on this trip. Thank you for your cooperation.

Refund Policy: Once an offering is full, you will be offered a refund (less $20 service charge) only if someone pays for your spot. If the offering is NOT full:
• 30 or more days before the course date- Full refund less $20 processing fee.
• 29 to 8 days before the course date- 50% refund less $20 processing fee.
• Less than 8 days before the course date- no refunds available.