

# Nights Away General Kit List

## 12<sup>th</sup> Wallasey Scout Group

### IMPORTANT INFORMATION

**IMPORTANT NOTE:** All young people will need to bring their personal equipment and Scouts should pack everything themselves, with Cubs & Beavers helping parents to pack, which ensures the young people know what they have, and where it is!

**This lists and information a guide and:**

- we strongly advise you **consider the weather** at the time of the camp and pack clothing accordingly, not every item on this list will be required! ( <https://www.metoffice.gov.uk/> )
- It is best to pack a rucksack or sports bag that you can carry on your back. *Suitcases are not suitable for camp sites or tents, please ask if you do not have a rucksack as the group has some available for loan.*
- All items should be clearly labelled with the young person's name.

### General Kit & Equipment Tick List

**Note: try and make sure everything fits inside the rucksack/bag - nothing should be attached to the outside!**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Rucksack or Sports Bag                            | <input type="checkbox"/> Uniform (Shirt/Jumper and Neckerchief)                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sleeping Bag (see notes below)                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Warm sweaters, jumpers or sweatshirts                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Foam roll mat / Karrimat                          | <input type="checkbox"/> T-shirts or similar                                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Torch (including spare batteries)                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Spare socks (at least one pair per day +1)             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Polythene bags (keeps things dry & dirty clothes) | <input type="checkbox"/> Spare underclothes (at least one pair per day +1)      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hike boots or walking shoes/wellies (no trainers) | <input type="checkbox"/> Trousers or shorts ( <b>Denim is not recommended</b> ) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Waterproof Coat (and trousers if bad weather)     | <input type="checkbox"/> Scarf, hat and gloves or Sun Hat etc                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Personal washing requirements & towel             | <input type="checkbox"/> WARM Nightwear   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hankies/Tissues and or Baby Wipes                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Teddy or Cuddly Friend                                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Drinks Bottle (for water)                         | <input type="checkbox"/> Any additional items noted on final instructions       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Small personal First Aid Kit (Scouts Only)        | <input type="checkbox"/> Any money needed & detailed on final instructions      |

**Any medication required should be noted with the Camp Leaders and be in a polythene bag with your name on and include details of any medications and medical instructions.**

**Note: all health conditions should have been noted on the Young Members Information Form!**

### General Notes

1. Prepare and pack your kit yourself, or help parents – you need to know what you have and where it is!
2. Make sure everything you need fits inside your rucksack, and that you can carry it yourself
3. You will need to have your uniform with you (Shirt and Necker).
4. Black bin bags are suitable for keeping things dry inside the rucksack and can be used for dirty clothes
5. Please place wash proof name labels or names in all clothing and on all items! (Son/Daughter Name and Group)
6. A small pack of baby wipes will help if your child does not wish to shower (useful for one or two nights only)!
7. **No Mobile Phones at all** – any found will be confiscated and returned to parents at the end of camp!
8. **No electronics, games or similar items** (i.e. radio's or music players) to be brought to camp, there will be plenty to be doing and the Group will not be accountable for any loss or damage!
9. **No penknives & toy weapons of any description!**

### Equipment Notes

Here is some basic information regarding some of the items you may require.

- **Sleeping Bags** - Synthetic filled bags are easier to clean than natural filling. Zips can be a source of cold if no baffle is fitted.
- **Footwear** - Boots give a better ankle support and normally have better soles than shoes. However, if your son/daughter does not have these please let us know!
- **Warm Wear** – If colder weather is forecast, a number of layers is warmer than one thick one and the warmth can be regulated more easily - do not forget your hands and head. So a couple of T-shirts with one sweater would be better than several sweaters!

**If you have any questions or concerns, please see the camp/activity Leader**