**Winter Camping Personal Packing List**

This list is a general equipment list designed for basic multi-day winter camping trips in +5 to -20 temperatures. Remember to dress in layers so you don’t sweat too much.

**Shelter**

* Shovel (Quinzhee)
* Tarp
* Candle

**Head**

* Wool/Fleece toque
* Belaclava, scarf or neck warmer.

**Upper Body Layers**

* 2 t-shirts/lightweight long sleeve shirt (not cotton)
* 1 medium weight fleece jacket or sweater
* Wind/water proof jacket
* **2 pair** of good winter mitts

**Lower Body Layers**

* Long underwear as needed
* Lightweight walking pant (avoid denim)
* Wind/water resistant ski pants

**Feet**

* One pair of good winter boots.
* Wool socks as needed (more than 1 per day)

**Sleeping**

* Sleeping bag or bags, may want to double up.
* 1 sleeping pad (air mattresses don’t work)

**Travel Gear**

* Large Bag to pack clothes and gear
* Cross country skis, will be provided if you don’t have.

**Miscellaneous**

* 1 quart water bottle (Nalgene with wide brim)
* 1 unbreakable cup, bowl, spoon, fork (no disposables)
* 1 flashlight/headlamp
* 1 small towel
* 1 toilet kit with toilet paper: just the essentials – biodegradable soap, toothbrush and toothpaste, lip balm, antiperspirant
* Plastic garbage bags
* Sunglasses
* Glasses or contacts if needed

**Optional**

* Skates, helmet and stick if wanting to play hockey.
* Playing cards & games
* Knife

**We do not yet have an abundance of supplies, but we will try to provide things like sleeping pads, tarps, candles etc. for those who do not have or have access to this type of equipment. Stoves and pot sets will be provided for cooking.**

You carry what you bring. On top of these items will be a portion of our group supplies

and your portion of food. Please pack a couple days in advance to make sure it is manageable. If you have any questions, please don’t hesitate to ask. Don’t spend money on things that you will only use once.

**Any questions please email Mr. Grubert at** [**mgrubert@retsd.mb.ca**](mailto:mgrubert@retsd.mb.ca) **or Mr. Neuendorff at** [**pneuendorff@retsd.mb.ca**](mailto:pneuendorff@retsd.mb.ca) **or call us at the school 204-338-4611.**

Group # \_\_\_\_\_\_ (Put your name next to the items you are bringing)

Names: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

* Pots and frying pans
* Spatula, pot handle, tongs
* Tarp/Base layer blanket/pad
* Lighter
* Flashlights/headlamps
* Cooler
* Sleeping pads x \_\_\_\_
* Other ?:

\*Personal Gear/Clothing Check Lists (Check each other's lists over)

**\*Food items to Purchase**: Use meal planning chart and take a picture of each.

-Shop together or spit duties and approx. cost up equally. (You can combine in the cooler on Thursday morning)

**Personal Essential Items to DOUBLE CHECK: Please pack in no more than a hockey bag.**

1. Sleeping bag, blanket and pillow or pillowcase
2. Boots, ski pants, toque, mitts, socks, sunglasses (layers!)
3. Dry clothes for sleeping and extra pair of shoes & socks
4. Tin cup (for hot chocolate/coffee), water bottle, plate/bowl, spork
5. Toiletries
6. Skates and helmet (optional)
7. Medications