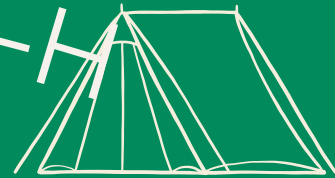




BETSY-JEFF PENN 4-H

SUMMER CAMP

PACKING LIST



ESSENTIALS

- casual, camp/outdoor clothing for the week
 - swimsuit (one piece for Girls & no Speedos or Jammers for Boys)
 - rain gear/poncho
 - jacket (it can get chilly at times)
- **close toed shoes** (Crocs are NOT considered close toed)
 - water shoes/sandals (must have ankle strap) OR extra pair of shoes that can get wet
- water bottle
- pillow
- sleeping bag or twin sized bedding
- **prescription medication (MUST be in its original container)**
- several towels
- toiletries



OPTIONAL

- one set of nice clothes for the dance
- sunscreen (all cabins and activity areas have 30spf available)
- fan (there are multiple fans in each cabins but it can still get hot)
- book
- drawstring bag
- talent show props/equipment (including any music needed)
- musical instrument
- fishing gear





ADVENTURERS & TREKKERS

- sleeping bag
- flashlight
- insect repellent
- plenty of clothes that can get wet & dirty
- backpack to take on camping trip


ITEMS NOT ALLOWED

- cell phones/tablets/smart watches
- expensive jewelry
- radios/ipods/speakers
- video games/devices
- swim tails
- knives or weapons of any kind
- drugs, alcohol, tobacco, or any other illegal substance



Please do not feel that you need to go out and purchase something on this list if you do not own it. This list is just to give you an idea of what your child may need while at camp.

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BETSY-JEFF PENN 4-H




Dear Staff,

Welcome to Betsy-Jeff Penn Summer Staff 2025! I am so very excited to have you on our team and I look forward to the many wonderful things you will do for North Carolina youth this summer. I am including a suggestion of "Things to Pack" for Summer Camp this year. Hopefully, it will make life slightly easier on you as you prepare for an exciting summer with us. Please let me know if you have any questions. We will be training rather intensively all the way until June 16th.



The temperature here at Penn in the summer can range from cool to hot to hotter! We use the pool, Lake Hazel, and sprinklers to try and keep everyone cool in the heat. Lifeguard training can be a little chilly as well so bring some layers.

As you choose your attire for summer camp, please remember that you will be representing the Penn 4-H Center as well as yourselves. Extremely short shorts and scandalous tops are not allowed. One-piece bathing suits are required when campers are on-site. Male staff members should never wear a Speedo or Jammers. The dress code is in effect so that we all set a good example for our very impressionable youth, and I appreciate your willingness to adhere.




It is imperative that you bring the following to camp with you. These items will be required for check-in at camp:

Blank Check or Direct Deposit Form: for direct deposit (NCSU requires this)

ORIGINAL SOCIAL SECURITY CARD

OFFICIAL GOVERNMENT I.D. (driver's license or ID Card)



These forms are of utmost importance...They are necessary to complete hiring paperwork and tax forms. Without these we can't allow you to work!!!!

Thank you so much and please let me know if you have questions!



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Zoe Tate, Summer Camp Director





BETSY-JEFF PENN 4-H

SUMMER CAMP STAFF PACKING




These 3 items are REQUIRED for check-in at camp:


- **Blank Check or Direct Deposit Form: for direct deposit (NCSU requires this)**
- **ORIGINAL SOCIAL SECURITY CARD**
- **OFFICIAL GOVERNMENT I.D. (driver's license or ID Card)**

CLOTHING/ATTIRE


Remember that the clothing you wear represents not only yourself but also the Penn 4-H Center.

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- Shorts: must be appropriate length...if you're not sure, they're probably too short.
 - T-Shirts: Lots of them!!! They should not have any promotion of drugs, alcohol, or violence. Camp provides you with a camp shirt to be worn on Sunday check-in day.
 - Shoes: you can expect for your shoes to get muddy and wet. Having 2-3 pairs of old shoes is wonderful. Closed-toe shoes are **required** everywhere on camp except at the pool and the canoe dock. Also, a pair of shower shoes is probably a wonderful idea.
 - Rain gear and light jacket: It's an excellent idea to bring a rain jacket/poncho. We will continue with outdoor programming unless there is thunder and lightning.
 - Sleepwear: Comfortable and appropriate to be worn around campers.
 - Nice outfits: Some staff enjoy wearing some nicer clothes on their time off and weekends.
 - *Camp does have a washer/dryer facility for your use when you're not working. However, please plan to bring enough clothing to last you for at least 1 week.

PERSONAL ITEMS

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- Toiletries: Shampoo, Soap, Toothbrush and Toothpaste, Deodorant, Towels, feminine products, bug spray (we prefer non-aerosol spray).
 - camp **DOES** supply sunscreen. If you're picky about it, you may want to bring your preferred brand.
 - Bedding: Sheets, blankets, sleeping bag, pillow (beds are twin sized) your preference.
 - Adventure/Trekker staff will be camping out regularly.
 - Medication: **Must be kept in a lockable container**

OTHER



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- Water bottle
 - Flashlight
 - Small fan to clip to your bed (totally optional and there are multiple fans in each cabin but it can get hot and counselors typically like to have a personal fan for themselves)
 - Cell Phone (Campers should NEVER see you using your cell phone)
 - Music:
 - Headphones/earbuds should not be used during work.
 - Speakers can be used occasionally during certain times (appropriate music only of course)
 - Instruments are welcome!
 - Computer: We encourage you to try to keep in contact with the outside world while at camp this summer. We have limited computer access here, but we do have WiFi in the middle of camp. Laptops should NEVER be used with or around any campers or while you are on-duty.
 - backpack
 - sunglasses
 - watch!




BETSY-JEFF PENN 4-H DAY CAMP PACKING LIST



ESSENTIALS

- casual, camp/outdoor clothing for the day
 - extra set of clothes
 - swimsuit (one piece for Girls & no Speedos or Jammers for Boys)
 - **close toed shoes** (Crocs are NOT considered close toed)
 - water shoes/sandals (must have ankle strap) OR extra pair of shoes that can get wet
 - water bottle
 - towel
 - drawstring bag or backpack
 - **prescription medication (MUST be in its original container)**
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OPTIONAL

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| • sunscreen | • bug spray |
| • light jacket (it can get chilly at times) | • hat |
| • rain gear/poncho | • goggles |
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ITEMS NOT ALLOWED

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| • cell phones/tablets/smart watches | • swim tails |
| • expensive jewelry | • knives or weapons of any kind |
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