

# PACKING LIST

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It is a good idea to **label all items** with your first and last name, using permanent maker or name tapes. Staff may use the laundry service provided weekly or use their time off to use the laundromat in town.

Army-style footlockers are required for clothing and should be no larger than 32" (L)  $\times$  18" (W)  $\times$  13.5" (H). If you are an international staff member, please contact the Assistant Director to reserve a trunk/footlocker for you. Additionally, please coordinate any shipping luggage needs with the assistant director.

In accordance with the American Camp Association, we also advise you that pocket knives, fireworks, and matches are prohibited items. Pets are also not allowed.

This packing list was made by a few staff members and is a suggested list to give you an idea of what to bring. Keep in mind comfy clothes for camp and sometimes nice ish clothes for going out.



#### **GENERAL:**

# 2 swimsuits (Waterfront staff required to wear RPC LG uniform when on duty)

2 if you're land sports

4 if you teach on the waterfront

10 pairs of socks (1 wool)

Enough underwear to get through a week

4 bras/sports bras recommended-comfy!

4 shorts (at least 2 pairs with quick-dry fabric)

\*more if you teach land sports

2 jeans

\*navy/denim bottoms worn on opening/closing day

2 flannel/fleece/sweatpants

6 short sleeve athletic shirts/3 tank tops

4 long sleeve shirts

2 sweatshirts

1 warm jacket

1 rain jacket

1 pair of rain pants (optional)

sleepwear

1/2 dress/skirt/nice outfit for banquet

Bring a few "nice" clothes to go out in Minocqua. Minocqua is not all that exciting so shots and a comfy/nice top!

### SHOES:

1 Tevas/Chacos or other secure type sandal \*waterfront staff will want a sturdy waterproof shoe

1 pair athletic tennis shoes

\*land staff may want 2 pairs

1 dress sandal (banquet/time off in town)

1 hiking boots (backpacking counselors)

1 water shoes (canoeing counselors)

#### SUNDAY WHITES:

\*These are worn during Sunday dinner, appreciation services, and camp photo days

2 white shirts

2 white shorts

1 white pants

2 white socks

#### **BEDDING & LINENS:**

# \*international staff should coordinate with Assistant Director to supply bedding/linens

2 laundry bags

3 twin sized blankets (varying warmth)

2 pillow cases

1 pillow & 1 pillow protector

3 flat twin sheets

1 mattress pad

3 beach towels

\*waterfront staff may want a few more

2 hand towels

2 washcloths

1 sleeping bag (camping/outdoor style with stuff sack)



#### TOILETRIES:

toothbrush/toothpaste/dental floss

biodegradable soap, biodegradable shampoo/conditioner

\*soaps will be checked prior to use. Please make an effort to find biodegradable soap to keep our lakes clean (i.e. Dr. Bronners, Everyone Soap, no sodium lauryl/laureth sulfates, no parabens, fragrance-free if possible). Showers are available for staff members but most opt for a soap dip!

hairbrush/comb hairties sun block/sunscreen!! insect repellent/bug spray sanitary supplies waterbottle (may be purchased in camp store)

## OPTIONAL/OTHER:

flashlight/extra batteries

Headlight
sunglasses
writing materials/stationary/stamps
hat (baseball style)
extra pair of eyeglasses or contact lenses
goggles for Lifeguards

Downloaded music (to be used ONLY in the office or time off-wifi can be spotty)
Headphones (to be used ONLY in the office or time off)
Waterproof Watch (NO watches that connect to cellular network i.e. Apple Watches)
Battery operated alarm clock