

BASIC KLONDIKE ADVENTURE GEAR LIST

- **Basic First Aid Kit**

- This should include bandages, sterile gauze, antibiotic ointment, an emergency blanket, tweezers, etc.
- Look for survival kits that include these elements to save money, or make your own for your individual needs. Most survival kits will be a good choice.
- Keep your survival gear in a separate, smaller bag towards the top of your larger pack for quick access.



- **Emergency blanket**

- Build a winter shelter, wrap up in to reflect body heat, etc.
- Face your winter shelter towards the fire for added warmth.

- **Survival poncho**

- **Compass and up-to-date Map**

- **Signal mirror**

- **100 ft. of lightweight rope**

- For building shelters, traversing ravines, tying gear in trees, etc.

- **1-2 Climbing-rated Carabiners**

- To slide packs/equipment over a gorge; lower yourself down a ledge, etc.

- **Folding shovel**

- At least one per patrol.

- **Wood Hatchet**

- **Folding Saw**

- **Backpack** with 2500 - 3000 in³ of space

- **Primary and Secondary Hydration systems**

- Such as CamelBak bladders and water bottles.

- **3-Season Tent**

- The rain fly must go all the way to the ground.

- **Sleeping Bag:**

- Rated for at least 0°F

- **Fleece bag liners or wool blankets**

- Will add insulation and lower temperature rating.

- **Sleeping Pad**

- Choose one with closed cell foam to provide essential insulation between you and the ground.

- **Headlamp and/or Flashlight:**

- A headlamp will keep your hands free and focus light on what you are looking at.

- **Hiking Gaiters:**

- Protects the weak link between boot and cuff from snow penetration and wet feet.

- **Survival Guide:**

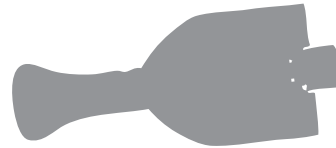
- You need to BE PREPARED and know how to use your gear. Your gear becomes useless weight if you do not know how to use it.

- **Snow Shoes**

- Will keep you on top of the snow and not buried 6 ft. deep.
- These are optional, but are a great tool to help keep you dry and conserve energy.

- **Cooking Equipment**

- Propane or white gas cook stove per patrol
- 10" Cast iron camp oven or other cooking pot per patrol
- Fry pan and/or skillet per patrol



Ask your Scoutmaster for more specialized equipment for the specific adventures that lie ahead!

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