

# STOCKADE Weeklong CAMP at HWBC

## GEAR LIST & GENERAL INFORMATION SHEET

**Note:** Campers should report to camp between 2:00 & 4:00 on SUNDAY afternoon. Pick-up is on Saturday at 10:00 AM.

### **CLOTHING GEAR:**

Pants- Shorts- Socks- Underwear- Long Sleeve Shirt, Short Sleeve Shirts- Pajamas- Sweatshirt or Jacket- Poncho/rain gear- Swim trunks -Water shoes (recommended) - Sneakers- Hiking Boots.

**FOR possible CAVING:** One additional long sleeve shirt or sweatshirt- Pants (with no holes in the knees and no sweatpants)- Old sneakers with tread (no slick soles)- Small flashlight with working batteries and extras, preferably a headlamp. Caving clothes will get muddy and will not be usable for other camp activities and they may not be salvaged once home.

### **OTHER GEAR:**

- A completed, camp health form
- Printed Bible- Pencil/Pen- Paper/envelopes- Stamps
- Sleeping Bag & Sheet (for sleeping in hot weather) -Pillow
- Flashlight- Mess Kit (unbreakable cup, bowl, plate, utensils in a zip-lock bag is fine)
- 2 thin bathsize towels- washcloth- toiletries (toothbrush & paste, deodorant, shampoo, soap, etc.) - 1 large, thin beach type towel- Dirty Clothes Bag
- Cap- Sunscreen- Water Bottle (with carrier or clip-on holder) - Day Pack (like a small, old school pack or a hip pack)
- Medicines (to be dispensed by Health Attendant)

### **OPTIONAL GEAR:**

Bug net- Camera- Tee shirt for swimming to prevent sunburn- bug spray- pocket knife- water shoes

**THEME GEAR-** Anything "Roman", Gladiator armor, Roman soldier armor, Senator's Toga.

**Note:** Anything with a strong fragrance will attract bugs, but a strong body odor will offend cabin mates. Please try and find some basic ( preferably biodegradable or fragrance free) toiletries.

We recommend labeling all your child's belongings and securely enclosing a list of those items in your child's luggage for him to refer to when packing up at the end of camp.

**WHAT NOT TO BRING:**

**\*Electronic devices of any kind (including Bible),\* Music, \*Cell Phones (please bring cameras for picture taking), alcohol, tobacco, knives (other than pocket type)**

**THE CAMP STORE**

is open daily for campers. All campers bank their money with the registrar. Any unspent money is returned at check-out. Several snack and souvenir items are available at the camp store.

**Mail is an important part of camp.**

We recommend 2-3 pieces of mail. The first should be sent 2-3 days prior to the first day of camp.

**\*\*\*NOTE\*\*\***

New mail policy: Only one mail item per day per household address will be counted towards daily mail accumulation .

( Camp tradition holds that if a camper or staff receives 3 or more pieces of mail from legitimate, different addresses in one day he must run a lap around the building for each additional piece! Please do not overload your child with mail. It takes a very long time and interferes with the meal schedule. This tradition is just to add a little fun to mail call. Overdoing it is no fun for the boy or those waiting.)

To write to your son at camp, the address is:

**Camper Name  
Hemlock Wilderness Brigade Camp  
General Delivery  
Wardensville, W.VA. 26851**