

Camp Cache Contents List - Camp Shawano

Item	Suggested Activity	Coordinating Items Not to be removed from camp; return to Camp Cache	To Make It Even More Fun...
The Knot Bible	Learn to tie knots.	Lengths of Rope	Bring paracord or clothesline lengths for girls to take home!
The Practical Astronomer	Go star gazing! and learn about the night sky.	Star Wheel, Lunar Scope	Bring printed star wheels and brads for girls to make and keep their own star wheels - https://skyandtelescope.org/astronomy-resources/make-a-star-wheel/
Peterson Guide to Mammals	Learn about the range, habitats and behaviors of North American Animals.	Animal Bingo (printable from camp page); binoculars	Bring plaster to make casts of any prints you may find at camp.
Audubon North American Wildflowers	Learn about North American Wildflowers.	Magnifying glasses	Bring sketchbooks or cameras to capture images; Leave No Trace - do not pick.
National Geographic Birds of North America	Learn about birds, and go bird watching.	Binoculars	Bring log or journal to record what birds you see and how many; also camera for taking pictures.
Instant Guide to Insects	Learn about insects.	Nets, Magnifying glasses	Bring log or journal to record what insects you see.
Outdoor Survival Guide	Learn about and try some fun survival techniques.		Gather sticks and make an improvised shelter; just remember to spread the sticks back out or place in a woodpile near a firepit to follow Leave No Trace principles.
Tree Finder and Winter Tree Finder	Learn about Trees and Shrubs.	Binoculars, Magnifying glasses	Bring sketchbooks and pencils or cameras to capture images; Leave No Trace - do not pick.
Minerals and Gemstones	Learn about Minerals and Gemstones.	Magnifying glasses	Bring sketchbooks and pencils or cameras to capture images; Leave No Trace - do not pick.
Guide to Semaphore	Learn about semaphore flags and their uses, and then learn how to use semaphore flags.	Semaphore flags	Write secret messages to send and decode.
Water Macro Invertebrate Guide	Learn about invertebrates that live in our creeks and streams.	Nets for safe catch, observation, and release of invertebrates; Magnifying glasses	Bring log or journal to record what macroinvertebrates you see and how many.
Water Filtration Sawyer Squeeze	Learn to use a real Sawyer Squeeze to filter water like you would while back country camping.		Discuss alternate sterilization methods such as boiling and tablets.
Triangle Bandage First Aid Guide	Learn how to use triangle bandages to stabilize a break or sprain.	Triangle bandages	Bring your own triangle bandages for each girl or material to make them.

Story Stones	Play a fun game thinking up silly campfire stories.		Bring your own stones and markers for girls to make their own sets.
Morse Code Guide	Learn to send messages with signals.	Walkie-Talkies	Write your own code to send coded messages.
Lunar Scope	See Above.	Guide books	
Magnifying Glasses (2)	See Above.	Guide books	
Binoculars	See Above.	Guide books	
Nets (2)	See Above.	Guide books	
practice only)	See Above.	Guide books	
Semaphore Flags (4)	See Above.	Guide books	
Star Wheel	See Above.	Guide books	
Lengths of knot tying rope	See Above.	Guide books	
Walkie-Talkies (2)		Morse Code guide	Bring batteries!
Animal Bingo Cards - laminated (6)	Take a nature walk and try to complete your card; girls can always share.	Guide books of mammals, birds, and reptiles/amphibians	Bring dry erase markers to make filling out your cards easier.