

# WHAT TO BRING TO OAKRIDGE CAMP

*Group Leaders: copy this list and give it to your group members. Note that some items are for children/youth camps or adult/family camps. Please modify your group's list as needed. **YOUR PERSONAL ITEMS SHOULD BE LABELED WITH YOUR NAME AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE.***

## WHAT TO BRING:

- Release Forms.** Every minor must have a Minor Release Form signed by their parent/guardian to be on the premises and engage in any activity at Oakridge. Every adult must sign an Adult Release Form to be on the premises and engage in any activity at Oakridge.
- A Positive Attitude.** Everyone should bring a positive attitude to fully enjoy their rest, relaxation, recreation, and refreshment.
- Bedding.** If you're staying in the dorms for summer camp, you'll need to bring sheets, blankets, pillows, or sleeping bags. If you're staying in Oakridge's Upper Lodge then the pillows, blankets, bedspreads, linens, and towels are provided. These items are available for rent in other lodges as needed.
- Personal Toiletries.** Toothpaste, toothbrush, comb/hairbrush, deodorant, shampoo/conditioner, soap, towels, feminine items, etc.
- Clothing.** Remember to bring sufficient changes of undergarments, socks, and clothing for all activities you will be engaging in. Please remember to be mindful of modesty. We suggest bringing a laundry bag for dirty clothes throughout the week!
- Bible and Notebook.** For Christian camps/retreats.
- Money.** For Snack Shack, recreation, and gift shop items.
- Swimsuit.** The Oakridge pool is outdoors and open only in warm weather. Please be modest. We recommend T-shirts worn over suits.
- Other Items.** Flashlight, umbrella, camera, cell phone chargers, etc.
- Insurance Information.** Personal and/or group insurance information.
- Medication.** Have your group leader dispense any necessary medications, or check in with Oakridge staff at check-in (individuals only).
- Sun Protection.** Hat and sunscreen.
- Tennis shoes.** For outside games.
- Special outfits/costumes for theme nights.**

## WHAT NOT TO BRING:

- A Negative Attitude.** Camp should be a positive, encouraging, and fun growth experience. Let's leave all complaining behind!
- Food and Snacks.** Oakridge provides 3 delicious meals a day and a full-service Snack Shack. Outside meals or snacks brought onto the property are discouraged (exceptions made for dietary needs or restrictions).
- Practical Joke Gear.** Water balloons, shaving cream, etc. can cause damage to property and to people's feelings.
- Appliances and Electronics.** No microwaves, refrigerators, or other appliances; personal electronics and gaming systems are discouraged to allow for more interpersonal interaction.
- Pets.** Generally, no pets are allowed. Service animals are an exception.
- Alcohol, Illegal Drugs, Tobacco Products.** Oakridge does not allow any alcohol or illegal drugs. Any adults who choose to smoke, dip, or chew tobacco while at Oakridge may do so outside in designated areas.
- Inappropriate Clothing.** Clothing that is immodest, revealing, too tight, or suggestive of sin or promoting anti-Christian lifestyles are not allowed. No pants with writing across the backside, no low-cut tops, no short-shorts or hot pants, no spaghetti straps.
- Unauthorized Firearms, Knives, or Other Weapons.** All weapons must be disclosed and receive administrative approval prior to check-in. Firearms are generally prohibited except for recreational use.

## OAKRIDGE CAMP LOST AND FOUND POLICY

All lost and found items except socks and underwear will be kept no longer than one month. All valuable items will be turned into the Oakridge Camp office, where they will remain for one month after the end of an event date. Guests can call our office at 405.247.5433 to discuss lost and found items. If lost items are found, guests can work out a way to handle shipping costs and Oakridge will mail out the found items. We encourage guests to label their belongings.