

The Philmont Expedition

Packing for the Trip

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- **What to Wear in Transit**
 - Uniforms
- **What to Lugg...**
 - Backpack
 - Travel Bag



What to Wear

Official BSA “Class A” Uniform

- Shirt & Shorts only (need BSA Socks!)
- No neckerchief - No “regalia”

Unofficial NCAC “Class B” T-Shirt

- Wear underneath Class A

Boots!

Custom Crew Gear from ToTT

- Hat = not a bad idea (ID in airport)



What to Lugg...

Backpack

- Needs Protection from Baggage Apes!
- Duffle Bag (stows flat in PSR crew lockers) OR
- Heavy Duty Trash Bags
 - Seal with Crew Color-coded Duct Tape

Travel Bag (~20 L Day Pack)

- Travel stuff – phone, charger, meds, shave kit
 - So you don't have to dig into your Backpack once out west
- Can be a “Camelbak” - use on Trail
 - Remove Hydration Bladder & stow in Backpack



What **NOT** to Lugg...

(in your carry-on)

Knives!

Fuel or Stoves

Matches/Lighters

Check TSA Regs...



Storage @ Philmont

Crew Lockers while on Trail

- Two issued for 12-person crew
- Duffle bags, Scout Uniforms, anything non-Trail

Secure storage for valuables (CHQ)

- Individual envelopes for wallets, credit cards, etc.
- Take \$20-30 cash on Trail (root beer, shotgun shells)
- “Trail bucks” for purchases in Backcountry



Have a GREAT Trek!
From your friendly HAC

