

2026 Grey Wolf NYLT Packing List

Week 1 at Camp Horace Johnson; Weeks 2-5 at Andersen Scout Camp

While at Grey Wolf NYLT you will be camping and cooking as part of a patrol. This checklist will help you make sure you have everything you need. Write your name on ALL of your gear.

We provide patrol cooking gear, a propane stove, and a dining fly. You are responsible for using this equipment appropriately.

Items you will need to bring:

- Full Scout Field Uniform (“Class A”) - please arrive at Grey Wolf NYLT in your full uniform.
- Extra Scout socks. Socks may be any type (knee high, crew, ankle length) if they are official Scouting America uniform socks.

You will be provided with three Grey Wolf NYLT t-shirts, a neckerchief, and a hat when you check in. During Grey Wolf NYLT, we either wear the Field Uniform or the Activity Uniform. The Activity Uniform consists of official Scout pants, Scout socks, Scout belt (or belt from a BSA high adventure or jamboree experience), and a Grey Wolf NYLT t-shirt. You will not need additional clothing for daytime wear.

- Personal Tent - Tents must be at least 30 square feet and less than 100 square feet. All participants will sleep in their own tents
No hammocks are allowed.
- Backpacking Tent - For overnight Patrol campout (Overnight site is approx. one-mile from the main site).
- Sleeping bag
- Sleeping pad
- Ground cloth or tarp
- Rain suit or rain poncho
- Underwear & socks
- Water bottle
- Flashlight (with extra batteries)
- Personal eating utensils (cup, plate, bowl, knife, fork, and spoon)
- Insect repellent (non-aerosol only)
- Sunscreen (non-aerosol only)
- Watch
- Light Jacket or Sweatshirt
- Sleeping clothes
- Swimwear
We do not swim at Grey Wolf NYLT, but you need swimwear for outdoor showers (weeks 2-5) and lake bathing (week1).
- Shower shoes (week 2-5)
- 2 pair Closed-toe shoes required (Boots or shoes suitable for hiking)
- Small Day-backpack
- Pen for taking notes (you will be provided with a notebook with course information)
- Towel and toiletries (soap, shampoo, washcloth, toothbrush and toothpaste, comb, or hairbrush. No aerosol cans permitted.
- Small pocketknife is permitted. NO large knives or sheath knives are allowed.
- Small Personal First Aid Kit (no Medications)
- Swimmer Qualification Record (week 1 only)
- Camp chair (portable)

Optional Items

- Scout Handbook and/or Field book
- Small pillow
- Faith testament (we will have an interfaith service during camp, with materials provided)
- Musical Instrument (please do not bring anything fragile or expensive)
- Plastic bin or tote to keep your gear dry
- Alarm Clock
- Cot

The following items are not allowed at Grey Wolf NYLT camp:

- Electronic games
- Alcohol, drugs, pornography, fireworks
- Tobacco or vaping products
- Glass containers or aerosol cans
- Shooting sports equipment or ammo
- Pets

A note about medications:

At Grey Wolf NYLT, we collect, safely store, and dispense all medications, both prescription and over the counter. This includes vitamins and supplements. If you are taking medications, please fill out the information on the online registration form and bring just the amount of medication you will need for your time at Grey Wolf NYLT **in the original container**. We will collect the medicines at check-in and dispense them at set times as needed. **DO NOT** pack them with your gear. Rescue medications, such as inhalers or Epi pens, may be self-carried, and must be listed on the health form.

We will have common over the counter medicines to treat headaches, diarrhea, upset stomach and aches and pains, so that you do not need to bring these medications.

If you have questions about medication or other medical concerns, please contact the Grey Wolf NYLT Health and Safety Coordinator at healthandsafety@greywolfbsa.org

Together, Scouts and Parents are Required to read this Behavior Policy

Grey Wolf NYLT Behavior Policy

Grey Wolf NYLT works hard to deliver an experience of “Scouting at its best” to all participants. We want Grey Wolf NYLT to be a positive experience for everyone involved, and a time that we live intensely the Scout Oath and Law. Because there are a lot of Scouts who don’t know one another and because the Grey Wolf NYLT experience can at times be stressful, it is important that we all do what we can to think of others, and that includes our standards of behavior. The standards of behavior at Grey Wolf NYLT are based on the Scout Oath and Law; it is the intent of this document to provide some details about the expectations we have for behavior of all who are attending Grey Wolf NYLT.

Grey Wolf NYLT is a leadership training course set in a fun camping experience environment. Much of the training depends upon the participants being engaged and active in the events. In the case of minor infractions of the rules, the Scout will be asked by a staff member to change their behavior. If the Scout refuses to do so, they will be referred to the Senior Patrol Leader and Scoutmaster to complete a “Counseling Contract” which will outline the infraction, the behavior change needed to continue to attend Grey Wolf NYLT, and will be signed by all parties. Parents will be notified as part of the progressive behavior management process. Further incidents after a Scout completes a counseling contract will result in dismissal from the course.

There are some cases in which dismissal from the course is immediate. These are outlined in detail in the information below.

Grey Wolf NYLT Behavior Standards

Most participants at Grey Wolf NYLT have a great time and experience no behavior issues. A clear and mutually agreed upon behavior policy and setting appropriate expectations is one thing that helps to make this happen.

While at Grey Wolf NYLT, all Scouts agree to:

- ✓ Treat all staff members and fellow participants in a courteous, respectful manner. Verbal and physical abuse, or hazing is not tolerated.
- ✓ Respect the privacy of others.
- ✓ Scouts will be always be in field or activity uniforms, except when in their tents or the showers.
- ✓ Follow the Guide to Safe Scouting, and use proper care when handling axes, saws, and knives.
- ✓ Follow instructions and guidelines for the proper operation of stoves and fires.
- ✓ Participants at Grey Wolf NYLT are members of a patrol, and their participation and responsibility in helping in the daily duties of a patrol are important. These include duty roster items assigned by the patrol leader, as well as participation in the leadership training activities administered by staff members.
- ✓ While at Grey Wolf NYLT we are guests of the Scout Camp the program is held at. Respect for the property, plants and wildlife is required. Actions such as carving in picnic tables, on trees, buildings or other inappropriate items is prohibited. Marking or defacing camp property and equipment is prohibited. Participants are expected to keep buildings, latrines, and other common areas neat and orderly. Littering and feeding of wildlife are not allowed. Food is to be handled as instructed by staff members. No food of any kind is to be kept in tents. Garbage is to be removed from campsites after every meal.

Electronic devices (including cell phones) are highly discouraged at Grey Wolf NYLT. They are not needed and are only a distraction from the course. Viewing or posting inappropriate material to the Internet (i.e. Facebook, SnapChat, etc.) is prohibited. This behavior will result in immediate dismissal. Phones and other devices utilized inappropriately will be confiscated and held by the Scoutmaster until they can be given to Law Enforcement or a parent or guardian.

The following acts and behavior are contrary to the Scout Oath & Law and may result in immediate dismissal from Grey Wolf NYLT:

- Threatening another person with a knife or other weapon, or by physical aggression.
- Entering prohibited areas of camp, crossing camp property boundaries and adjacent roadways.
- Entering the river and the area on the river side of the fence, the bluffs between upper and lower camp at Andersen Scout Camp or entering the Lake at Camp Horace Johnson without appropriate supervision.
- Willfully damaging camp property.
- Taking inappropriate photographs of themselves or others.
- The possession of illegal substances, including tobacco, vaping, alcohol, drugs, firearms (including archery equipment), pornography or fireworks.
- Willful disobedience of any reasonable request by a staff member will result in disciplinary action. If a participant feels that a staff member is acting inappropriately, they are to report the behavior to the Scoutmaster immediately.