



PIKED ANTLER PROJECT'S

Kids' Pack List & Location

Thank you for signing up for Adventure Survival Summer Camp (ASSC). Class starts at 8 AM and runs until 4:30 PM Monday through Wednesday. Thursday is an overnight. Students will stay from 8 AM on Thursday until the next day, Friday at 4:30 PM. Please arrive 10 minutes early as we have a lot to cover and want to get things started. The location is 426 Water Wheel Cove, Clyde, NC 28721.

We are training for survival, not comfy camping. Over night classes, the students will have time in the morning to assess and fit their gear into a 5 gallon bucket that we have on site, not including their actual pack/bag nor clothes and shoes they're wearing. Whatever gear that can fit into the bucket is what the students will take with them into the field.

REQUIRED ITEMS

- Any medications that MAY be needed. Ex: prescribed EpiPen, ADD/ADHD Medicine, etc.
- Belt
- Tick Spray
- Full Tang or Fixed Blade Knife; and a kydex or self locking/hard plastic sheath is strongly recommended. Soft material cases with buttons, tabs, velcro are discouraged but accepted. (no folding pocket knives, as they break easily.) A good starter knife could be a "MoraKniv Companion which can be found on Amazon for under \$20 at <https://amzn.to/49gA3DX>)
- Rain Gear (Rain Proof top and bottoms, or a poncho are good choices. Ponchos are quite versatile and we recommend this poncho which can be found at <https://amzn.to/3uFuDmL> for adult sizes. For youth sizes try <https://amzn.to/3l0kNim>)
- Folding saw/camping saw with a blade no longer than 10 inches. A good starter saw could be a Corona or Silky Folding saw. For the money, Silky is a higher quality and a cost investment which can be found at this link. For smaller children try the Silky PocketBoy <https://a.co/d/3x1C6jl> and for a regular sized version, try the Silky GomBoy at <https://amzn.to/3UJSoVA>
- Boots (Opened toed shoes are not permitted.)
- Backpack or hiking pack (this needs to be "about" the size of a standard school backpack)
- Thick/strong pants with belt loops (i.e. no sweatpants, yoga pants, etc.)

- Nalgene, plastic or metal water bottle (a basic Large Mouth nalgene can be found at <https://amzn.to/3l4xite> but if you're committing to getting your kids involved with the outdoors, we strongly recommend the Grayl, with a great reputation and a built-in water filter <https://amzn.to/3SZ7ntl>)

*****OVERNIGHT REQUIRED ITEMS*****

- Headlamp with charged batteries <https://amzn.to/49VRvh1>
- Mummy camping sleeping bag, or wool blanket (this really needs to be small enough to fit in their pack along with their other gear.) For Fall and Winter classes, a "Zero degree" sleeping bag is highly recommended. A 20 degree sleeping bag may suffice.
- Eno/Travel Hammock with a rain fly/cover (if you don't have a rain fly, a small tarp, 8 x 8 feet up to 10 x 10 feet will suffice.)

SUGGESTED ITEMS THAT ARE NOT REQUIRED

- Personal Hygiene (toothbrush, deodorant, feminine products, etc.)
- Change of clothes (shorts, underwear, socks)
- Bug Spray
- Hat
- Work Gloves

SCHEDULE & LOCATION

SCHEDULE:

1-Day Class/Saturdays: Class begins at **8 AM**. We need the students to be present and ready to go at 8 AM. Please have your kid(s) at the school site by 7:45 AM each day. We have lots to cover and I know that both the students and instructors want as much time in the woods as possible. So please be on time.

2-Day Class/Saturday and Sunday (for the teen camps only): 8 AM Saturday through Sunday at 4:30 PM.

For these 2 days, the only thing that changes in scheduling is that there is no pick up on Saturday, nor a drop off on Sunday. Please drop your kid(s) off as usual on Saturday at 8 AM. They will stay overnight Saturday and need to be picked up Sunday at 4:30 PM.

LOCATION(S): **426 Water Wheel Cove, Clyde, NC 28721**

We will E-mail, text or call you when the selected location is official. They are both in Clyde, NC, although the Rose Hill address is in the Fines Creek Area near "Little Panther Creek."