PACKING SUGGESTIONS

Astronomy Camp for Girl Scout Leaders November 1-3, 2019

TOILETRIES:

Bring soap, toothpaste, personal hygiene items,

DORMITORY:

Bed linens, pillows, and blankets will be provided. No smoking at any time.

ALARMCLOCK

CLOTHING:

Only casual clothes are needed in Tucson. Tucson's daytime temperatures will be ~85 F. However, nights will be MUCH cooler (~40-50s), when we travel Sunday night to Mt. Lemmon at altitude 9100 feet. Since we will be spending significant time outdoors at night please bring a warm jacket and hat for nighttime observing. Comfortable walking shoes will generally be adequate.

HAT, SUNSCREEN, & CHAP STICK:

Tucson offers a sunny, low humidity environment. Sunburn and dry skin are potential problems. Bring a sunblock rated #15 or higher; be prepared to wear a hat outdoors. Hand lotion and vaseline (chap stick) will be very useful.

MEDICINES:

Please fill out the medical form carefully and let our staff know in advance of any particular medicines or food you require.

CAMERA & FILM:

We will use our own cameras for telescope photos. Candid pictures taken during the Camp will be posted afterwards on our Internet site. A simple automatic camera is fine for your own candid souvenir shots.

FLASHLIGHT & BINOCULARS:

Please bring a flashlight for use at night around the telescopes. Binoculars will be available, but you are welcome to bring your own.

SMOKING IS NOT PERMITTED AT ANY TIME!