PACKING SUGGESTIONS

Astronomy Camp for Girl Scout Leaders May 13-15, 2016

TOILETRIES:

Bring towel, 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 \sim 85 F. However, nights will be MUCH cooler (\sim 50s), especially our final night on Mt. Lemmon at altitude 9100 feet. Since we will be spending significant time outdoors at night please bring a <u>warm jacket</u> 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!