

# What to Bring

# HOW TO REGISTER ONLINE

We ask all group members to register online. Here's how!

- 1) Go to www.bigcreekmissions.com/serve
- 2) Create an account (then choose your group name)
- 3) Create your profile ... tell us about yourself!
- 4) Click "Sign Up" for the dates of this mission trip!

#### HOW SHOULD WE DRESS?

We have a simple dress code to help us minister in this community with integrity and promote safety. Expect these to be enforced!

- $\circ$  Check the weather before you come: pack for the weather.
- Long Pants: may be required for some projects. Bring a pair or two for safety reasons (yard cleanup, construction)
- Closed FOOT shoes: (athletic shoes / boots) Shoes protect the feet – flip flops and crocs don't. Don't bring new shoes – your shoes will get dirty!
- Keep your clothing modest with no negative, offensive, or political messages
- **No cutoffs / tank tops** we ask everyone to simply wear normal t-shirts throughout the week.
- Swimwear: should be conservative and appropriate: \*Guys: no speedos. Yeah, no.
  \*Girls: conservative 1 or 2 piece or tankini

**Extra clothing:** All participants should pack clothing for a variety of ministries. You should be prepared to work in construction, children's, or community ministries. Laundry is not available.

# CLOTHING

- □ You'll need the following clothes:
  - □ 2-3 pairs pants for outside work (everyone!)
  - □ Shorts (seasonal) (appropriate length please)
  - □ Shirts & hoodies (the building can be sorta cool)
  - □ Tennis shoes (closed foot)
  - □ Socks & undergarments
  - □ Bible
  - □ Sleepwear & leisure clothing
  - □ Shower shoes (cheap flipflops)

### **BATHROOM STUFF**

□ All toiletries

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- o Towel & Washcloth
- o Soap, Toothbrush & Tooth Paste
- o Deodorant
- o Glasses? Contact Solution & Case?
- Sunscreen and bug repellent?
- □ Hairbrush? Glasses? Mirror? Bible!!!
- □ Laundry bag for dirty clothes

# TOOL LIST

Construction pros may bring their own tools - however, they are not necessary. We have a decent assortment of Ryobi tools at Big Creek for almost all projects. Contact your group leader for specifics on your project.

## **OTHER STUFF**

- □ BIBLE & pen
- □ Bedding
  - Twin size fitted sheet is REQUIRED!
  - o Blanket / sleeping bag
  - o Pillow
- Medicines,
- □ Water Bottle
- Optional Items
  - Dramamine (non drowsy) for the curvy roads (if you easily get car sick)
  - Ear plugs (snorers may be in your room!)
  - Recreation stuff for free-time (Frisbee, football)
  - Water-flavoring packets
  - o 5 plastic grocery bags for your lunches
  - Extra Snacks for lunches and free time.
  - Coffee Drinkers: We have a Keurig AND regular brewer. Bring your favorite cups, creamer, or grounds! We provide basic coffee and creamer
  - A kitchen garbage bag with "odor neutralizers" for dirty clothes!! I Your roommates will thank you

## MONEY

- □ **Coffee Shop:** Our coffee shop is a few miles down the road. Plan to stop and check it out!
- □ **The Store** At our mission center, we have water bottles, t-shirts, and other items for purchase Cost: \$3.00 \$20.00
- □ **Offering** You may have an opportunity to give to a ministry or family in need during the week.

# WHAT NOT TO BRING

- practical joke items, fireworks, weapons
- expensive electronics / anything you don't want broken or lost
- energy drinks, alcohol, or tobacco products

# **EMERGENCY INFO**

Big Creek has a phone available for students to call home at any time (as available, free of charge)

**Our Emergency Number** is: 606-653-0513 x 1. Leave a message and it goes straight to the director's phone.

Physical Address: 90 Bullskin Rd, Bear Branch KY 41714