

Packing List

The Bruce Tour

Please note, we transfer all luggage between the nightly stops. During the day, you will have a daypack to fill with items you need. You can have extra socks, layers, rain gear, etc. Any additional items or clothes for future days will be available when you arrive at your next destination.

WHAT WE PROVIDE:

- Day hiking packs
- Hiking poles
- Navigation app
- Accommodations for two nights at Inns
- Wilderness glamping: bell canvas tents, real beds, memory foam mattresses, warm blankets, pillows, linens, bath towels, moist towelettes, tent lights/lanterns, mirrors, chairs.

WHAT YOU NEED TO PACK:

- Your own face mask(s) and hand sanitizer for traveling
- Hiking shoes/boots (with spare change of socks)
- Wet shoes, if you want to venture into water spots along the trail
- Camp footwear: an additional pair of comfortable footwear is ideal after spending a day in your hiking boots. Shoes like runners, sandals, crocks, etc. are great
- Bug repellent
- Sunglasses & sunscreen
- Personal items: toothbrush, toothpaste, biodegradable soap/shampoo, washcloth, feminine hygiene products, hairbrush, etc.
- Medications
- **Foot care products (moleskin, bandaids, etc): we can't stress how important this is!**
- Bathing suit
- Small towel
- Small flashlight or headlamp, ideally with spare batteries. Headlamps are preferable as they allow for hands free operation
- 2 water bottles or water bladders (i.e. camelbak, platypus, etc.)
- Camera
- Beverages: We supply a wide range of teas and coffee as well as juices. You are welcome to bring along soda pops or alcoholic beverages. Please note however that **we do expect our guests to consume alcoholic beverages responsibly and strictly enforce a no alcohol on the water policy.** If you need assistance with recommendations for local vineyards and craft breweries, or if you want to place an order to have it ready on arrival, please do not hesitate to reach out.
- Book or journal
- Binoculars
- Pocket knife
- Gratuity for your guides, at your own discretion

CLOTHING RECOMMENDATIONS:

- Layering is the best way to regulate body temperature and maintain warmth.
 - Avoid cotton for hiking. Generally, cotton is not a great fabric when it gets wet and takes a long time to dry.
 - 1st layer: moisture wicking material (lycra, nylon, polyester, etc.)
 - 2nd layer: synthetics, fleece, wool, etc.
- Rain jacket & rain pants for the unexpected nasty weather
- Hats: sun hat (baseball or full-brimmed hat and warm wool/fleece hat for evenings or cooler days)
- Light windproof jacket (optional)
- Long-sleeved non-cotton shirt, (synthetic/wool), we recommend bringing 2
- Long pants: 2 pairs of a quick-drying, synthetic fabric pants (1 for hiking, 1 warmer for camp)
- Athletic style pants (running or yoga) are generally appropriate. Jeans are NOT recommended for hiking.
- Sweater: a warm wool or fleece sweater
- T-shirts: 2-3
- Shorts: 1 quick dry nylon
- Good socks: 4 to 6 pairs (1-2 warmer pair for around camp) you will want to bring a few extra for swapping out during the hike to keep feet dry
- **Liner Socks: great for minimizing friction and preventing blisters**
- Undergarments