

PIONEER TREK 2018 - We Shall not Falter EQUIPMENT LIST

This list is provided to help you gather the gear you will need to be a successful pioneer. Because of the weight and space limitations of our handcart design and our attempt to create an authentic pioneer experience, you will be limited in the amount of gear you can bring. You will need the items listed here, but please don't bring anything else. Otherwise, your cart will be overloaded.

EVERYONE SHOULD BRING:

1 five or six gallon plastic bucket with tight fitting lid to put your gear in and to sit on.
(Optional round pillow for comfort - MUST fit inside your bucket.)

1 warm sleeping bag in plastic bag for protection and an old blanket (wool if possible)

2 additional large heavy-duty black plastic garbage bags (for tarps and moisture protection)

1 Warm coat or jacket and 1 rain poncho

1 pr. Broken-in hiking boots or sturdy shoes AND 1 pr. OLD tennis or running shoes

4 pr. socks

2 bandannas (necessary items)

2-4 sets of clean underclothing

1 metal pie tin, 1 large metal spoon, 1 metal fork, 1 tin cup (to eat with) and canteen or water bottle

1 small hand towel, a comb or brush, toothbrush, (optional baking soda)

5-6 band aids, any prescribed medication in original container, chapstick, sun screen, and insect repellent, small First aid kit

An old Book of Mormon, pen or pencil (journal provided by Stake)

MEN SHOULD BRING:

2 pairs of jeans, wool or canvas pants

2 long sleeved button down shirts (flannel are best" but any will do)

1 western-style hat (no baseball caps or army hats allowed)

Modest sleep wear

(Optional: Old suit coat or vest, pair of suspenders, old tie)

WOMEN SHOULD BRING:

2 authentic mid-calf length, long sleeved dresses or skirt and blouse (long sleeved)

1 period hat (sun bonnet)

1 pair of knee length cotton bloomers (sewn out of old pajama bottoms, hospital pants, or long

shorts worn under dress - AVOID flannel, nylon or wool - use cotton or cotton blends for comfort)

1 apron with pockets

Modest sleep wear

Feminine hygiene supplies

(Optional: shawl for cool evenings)

OPTIONAL ITEMS:

1 Old blanket (wool, if possible) and optional sleeping pad (6'-8"diameter rolled up, 2'wide)

A pocket knife, small flashlight

Musical instrument approved by trail boss

Glasses should be worn instead of contacts. It is very difficult to care for contacts in a wilderness

setting.

DO NOT BRING ANYTHING ELSE: Valuables, including any electronics (MP3 players, cellphone, cameras etc.), perfume, make-up, hair products, deodorant, baseball caps, jewelry, watches, personal food or drink

Please arrive dressed in pioneer clothing. You will be wearing one set of clothing when you arrive. Some appropriate clothing for use by Eureka Stake is stored at the home of the Medley's. This clothing can be checked out and used by adults and youth. There are also some fabrics available to make bonnets, bandanas, and aprons, pants or dresses. If you take fabric, please donate back any items that may be useful for future treks. Borrowed clothing should be washed in warm (not hot) water and mild detergent (no bleach please) and lined dried before returning. If necessary, buy as much of your clothing as possible at second-hand stores or thrift stores. Don't wear good clothing or shoes that you wouldn't want to subject to heavy use, moisture and dirt.