



Maryland Search & Rescue

Call-Out-Qualified Gear List

24-Hour Pack

- Daypack or small internal frame pack ("24-hour" pack)
- Uniform
 - Long-sleeve, two-pocket blue work shirt
 - 6-pocket, Army-style, dark-blue field pants
 - Yellow ASRC t-shirt
- Poly-pro long underwear set (no cotton)
- Rain gear; tops and bottoms
- Extra wool socks and knit hat
- Sturdy and properly-fit hiking boots
- Sturdy leather gloves
- Helmet (optional)
- Watch
- Two 1-liter water bottles
- Water purification
- Cold (no cooking required) food rations for 24 hours
- Small metal cup or small pot
- Headlamp and flashlight
- Extra batteries and bulbs for light sources
- Lighter, matches and a small candle
- Folding pocket knife
- Personal first-aid kit with medical form
- 2 pair latex/vinyl gloves
- Toilet paper and other personal items
- Reusable space blanket
- Disposable space blanket
- Pen and 3x5 notebook
- Plastic whistle on lanyard/cord (without ball/pea)
- Orienteering compass
- Safety "woodshop-style" glasses
- Small roll of duct tape
- 5'x7' tarp (or larger if you are tall)
- 1 roll flagging tape
- 5 large, heavy-duty plastic trash bags
- 2 large locking-D carabiners
- 7 feet of 7-mm or 8-mm prusik line
- 20-25 feet 1-inch tubular webbing
- Approximately 50 feet of parachute cord



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48-Hour Pack

- Large internal-frame* pack or soft duffel (pack preferred to duffel)
- Additional clothing appropriate to the season
- Additional food and water for 48 hours
- Sleeping bag with stuff sack
- Sleeping pad
- Spoon

Additional Camping Gear to Consider (usually shared in small groups on trainings)

- Bear bag (rope and stuff sack)
- 10' x 12' tarp
- Stove, pot and fuel

*Because we often work in heavily-wooded areas, internal-frame packs are recommended but external-frame packs are acceptable.

** Labeling your gear is also suggested