



Gear Packing List

I. **Boots:** Work boots must meet the following specifications:

1. All leather
2. At least seven inches from the top of the heel (see picture)
3. Medium weight and stiffness with firm toes and good laces
4. Lug soles or other traction soles for working in steep, muddy conditions



You can find this type of work boot at most retail stores like Coastal, Kmart, Surplus stores etc. A good pair of boots might be expensive, but consider them an investment that will pay off over the years. Break your new boots in by wearing them before your session starts. You will not be allowed to work without a pair of boots in good condition.

II. **Leather work gloves**

III. **Work Pants-** these can be jeans or canvas pants

IV. **Two Brown NYC Work Shirts** will be required. These shirts must be purchased from NYC for \$14 each unless participants have them from a previous session. These shirts must be in good condition and free of rips or participants will be required to replace them.

V. **Lunch & Water Bottle-** OutDoor Oregon crews do not provide lunch. Therefore, you must bring a lunch with you to work each day. Please bring a water bottle as well.

There are some items that will not be allowed at Northwest Youth Corps. In order to promote a drug free work place we ask that you not bring any items that have alcohol, drug, or tobacco advertising. This would include t-shirts, hats, and bags. Non-folding knives (hunting or Rambo variety), axes, and hatchets will also not be needed in this program.

In addition, please do not bring cell phones or electronic devices such as hand held electronic games or music devices. These items separate the individual from the team, are a distraction to the group, and in some ways can become a safety hazard by distracting your attention from your surroundings.

