

ECOLOGY OF ROCK OUTCROP COMMUNITIES

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WHAT TO BRING

Critical items include backpack, hat, sunscreen, lip balm, sunglasses, insect repellent, sturdy shoes/hiking boots with thick socks, a backup pair of shoes or two, water bottle (will need 2 L minimum, 3 or 4 better), quick-drying lightweight pants, shirts (jeans are a bad idea), lightweight water-repellent jacket, compact umbrella, camera, ziplock bags (a couple sizes), small kleenex packs, compact high energy snacks (e.g. trail mix, granola bars etc.), a couple of hardback notebooks, pens, pencils, flashdrive. Also personal toiletry items, drug prescriptions, prescription glasses, contacts, reading material, traveler's checks or credit card, special food items, compact binoculars, compass and GPS units. A laptop is OK but there are ample computer facilities at the station. A bathing suit and a small towel is also a good idea. There are a number of swimming opportunities.

You don't need to bring any camping gear. We will not be doing any camping and will be spending every evening at HBS.

Please let me know if you aren't sure about something, or if I have forgotten anything.