

Campion's Outdoor Club Backpack Trip

August 25-27, 2023

Get ready for a fun outdoor adventure! This year we will be backpacking and hiking to the summit of the highest peak in Colorado: Mt. Elbert. That means on Friday we will be packing all of our gear into our packs, including sleeping bags, tents, and food, etc, and hiking in about two miles where we will be camping in the wilderness. On Sabbath we will spend most of the day hiking to the summit and back. Please pack light but don't forget to bring the essential gear to keep you safe, warm, and dry. The trip is limited to 15 students and requires students to be in sufficient physical shape to reach the summit.

Cost: Dorm students: \$35 Village Students: \$50 (to include the weekend meals)
Please pay the business office by August 13 (move-in day). Cash or checks preferred.

If you do NOT have some of the items listed below, please talk with Mrs. Harlow about borrowing gear from the outdoor club.

Packing List:

- Tent (outdoor club has some to borrow)
- Backpacking camp Stove (outdoor club has some to borrow)
- Large Backpack (outdoor club has some to borrow)
- Portable water purifier (outdoor club has some to borrow)
- Warm sleeping bag (outdoor club has some to borrow)
- Sleeping mat (outdoor club has some to borrow)
- Daypack (for carrying your lunch, water, warm clothes up the summit)
- Water bottle (2 large)
- Mess kit/utensils (minimum is pot (outdoor club has some), cup & spoon. Cup should be big enough to make ramen or oatmeal in)
- Hat
- Mittens
- WARM coat
- Long johns
- Warm layers
- Extra pair of warm socks
- Flashlight/headlamp
- Sunglasses
- Sunscreen
- Toilet Paper – a must! --take what you need off a roll
- Small plastic bag to carry out all trash
- Personal stuff (deod/toothbrush/paste in small quantities)

Extras:

- Camera
- Snacks you want to bring along