GEAR LISTALASKA PACKRAFTING (Day Trip)



THIS DOCUMENT LISTS ALL CLOTHING, EQUIPMENT AND GEAR REQUIRED OR RECOMMENDED FOR YOUR TRIP WITH KENAI BACKCOUNTRY ADVENTURES.

Weather varies, and it can change rapidly in Alaska. While it may be warm and sunny when we depart, it could be cold, windy, and raining in the backcountry, or vice versa. As expedition leaders operating throughout Alaska we've seen just about everything Alaska and Mother Nature can throw at us. Our recommendations come from decades of experience and are made in an attempt to keep you warm, comfortable, and above all, safe. If you need to purchase gear while in Alaska we can recommend places to buy your gear. We are always happy to discuss gear needs with you, so feel free contact us with questions.

Kenai Backcountry Adventures will supply the following gear & equipment for your trip:

- ★ Medical kit and repair kit
- ★ Satellite phone, cellular phone, GPS, location tracker
- ★ Water filters and water purifying tablets

PACKRAFTING GEAR - PROVIDED

- Packraft
- Paddle
- PFD
- River helmet
- Drysuit
- River boots

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FEET

Qty	NEXT-TO-SKIN LAYERS	
1		IceBreaker, SmartWool, etc. Optional

UPPER BODY

Qty	OUTERWEAR	RECOMMENDATIONS
1 1 1	 Waterproof/breathable rain jacket - hardshell Insulated puffy jacket - synthetic or down insulation Windblocker jacket or shirt - lightweight, compact 	Gore-Tex 3 Layer Patagonia Nano Puff OR Ferrosi Windshirt
Qty	ACTIVE LAYERS	
1	Wicking Layer - lightweight synthetic or merino wool long sleeve top - this is your daily shirt	OR Sequence Long Sleeve
1	Insulating Layer - light to mid-weight synthetic long sleeve shirt - layer for cold days	Patagonia Capilene

LOWER BODY

Qty	ACTIVE LAYERS	
1	☐ Light to mid-weight synthetic bottoms (baselayer)	Patagonia Capilene

HEAD

Qty	OUTERWEAR	RECOMMENDATIONS
1	☐ Billed hat or visor - sun protection	KBA Trucker Hat ;)
1	☐ Beanie hat - synthetic or wool	OR Storm Beanie
1	Buff or Bandana - multi-purpose	Buff Headwear Original

HANDS

Qty	OUTERWEAR	RECOMMENDATIONS
1	Gloves, River - for glacial rivers or cold days	NRS
1	Gloves, River - thin (optional)	NRS Hydroskin

RIVER GEAR

Qty	PACKRAFTING	RECOMMENDATIONS
	 Waterproof Dry Sack or Dry Bag 1 large enough for extra clothing layers 1 sized for electronics or other items 	
	Water Bottle - can double as mug for hot drinksPack Towel - multi-purpose	

PERSONAL ITEMS

Camera and/or GoPro - extra batteries and memory cards Sunglasses with case - polarized are recommended but anything is better than nothing Sunglass tether/band for river trips
Sunscreen
Lip balm
Insect repellent
* Medications - if you use any, bring enough for the length of the trip + 2-3 days in the event of a weather delay.