

SCA Packing List

Travel and Arrival:

- Directions to the Event
- Directions to crashspace/hotel
- Directions from site to ER
- Maps or Atlas
- Prereg info or travel tickets
- Forms&waivers (health, kids...)
- Picture ID/Passport
- Keys
- Auto insurance/registration
- Membership card
- Kingdom newsletter
- Authorization card(s)
- Cash or travelers checks
- Toll money & emergency gas \$
- Credit Card &/or ATM Card
- Checkbook
- Cell phone
- Cell phone charger
- Emergency numbers (hardcopy)
- Address book/directory
- Auto emergency kit/jumper cable
- Change of clothes (keep in car)

Basic modern supplies:

- Bag or Suitcase
- Rubbermaid bins
- Ziplock baggies
- Glasses/contacts
- Backup glasses/contacts
- Camera (& charger)
- Film or memory
- Flashlight
- Sewing kit
 - Needles & pins
 - Thread
 - Safety pins
 - Scissors
- Sunglasses
- Notebook and pen/wax tablet
- Book
- Games
- Business/calling cards

Basic event supplies:

- Basket or Bag for the day
- Current project
- Sun hat
- Veil
- Fan
- Chair
- Banner
- Mug
- Beverage bottle
- Bitty tasting cup

Modern Clothing:

- Coat
- Hat/Scarf/Gloves
- Sweater/Sweatshirt
- Footgear and insoles
- Underwear
- Socks
- Change of clothes
- Watch
- Swim suit
- Pajamas
- Rain gear

Garb:

- Basic Garb
 - Warm weather garb
 - Cool weather/night garb
- Court Garb
- Hat/Veil/Circlet
- Belt
- Pouch
- Jewelry
- Cloak/Brat
- Shoes and insoles
- Hangers

Toiletries/Bath items:

- Shampoo/Conditioner
- Soap
- Washcloth
- Towel
- Shower shoes
- Shower bag or basket
- Razor
- Shaving cream
- Mirror
- Deodorant
- Cologne/perfume
- Baby powder
- Brush/comb
- Hair ties, barrettes, etc.
- Toothbrush, toothpaste, floss
- Contact lens solution and case
- Lotion
- Lip balm
- Make up
- Nail clipper
- Tweezers
- Nail brush
- Small scissors
- Sanitary products
- Q-tips
- Baby wipes

If Feasting:

- Plate(s)
- Bowl(s)
- Goblet/Mug
- Flatwear
- Napkins
- Salt/pepper
- Seasonings/Sugar
- Plastic bag for dirty dishes
- Candle/Matches
- Bottle opener/corkscrew
- Serving utensil(s)
- Tablecloth
- Feast basket or box

Health and Safety:**Keep easily accessible!**

- Medications:
 - Prescriptions
 - Over-the-counter meds
 - Insurance details
 - Medical history info
- First Aid kit
 - Antacids
 - Antihistamine
 - Anti-diarrhea
 - Pain killers
 - Hydrocortisone cream
 - Vick's Vaporub
 - Alcohol wipes
 - Antibiotic cream
 - Band-aids
 - Gauze and tape
 - Ace bandage
 - Moleskin
- Emergen-C/rehydration solution
- Florajen
- Hand sanitizer
- Sunblock/Aloe Vera
- Bug Spray
- Contraceptives

Food and Beverages:

- Based on menu & if cooking
- Granola bars/snack bars
- Munchies/fruit cups
- Beverages (especially water!)
- Water filter
- Tea and drink mixes
- Alcoholic beverages

General:

- Duct tape
- Multi-tool/Swiss army knife
- Electrical tape
- Sharpie
- Super glue
- Rope
- Clothespins
- Glo-sticks
- Bootlaces/Shoelaces
- Pieces of fabric to cover ugly
- 1-3 yards white cotton
- Extra batteries
- Toilet paper/Kleenex
- Laundry soap/Bleach
- Tool kit
- Umbrella (sun/rain)
- Gifts
- Those things you promised to bring someone...

Camping supplies:

- Tent (stakes, ropes, etc)
- Shade fly
- Tarps
- Mallet/hammer/tools
- Small shovel for trenching
- Hatchet
- Broom & dust pan
- Solar shower
- Carpets/flooring
- Seam sealant
- Chairs
- Portable holes
- Shelves/clothes rack
- Water cooler/storage
- Camp signage/decoration
- Trash/recycling bags
- Bug fogger

Bedding/overnight needs:

- Sleeping Bag
- Extra Blanket(s)
- Sheet(s)
- Sleeping pad
- Air mattress/pump
- Cot/Bed
- Pillow/pillowcase
- Ear plugs
- Alarm clock
- Mosquito net

Fire!:

- Matches/lighter/flint&steel
- Fire ring
- Wood (buy locally!)
- Grill/Metal fire pit
- Tiki torches/fuel
- Lantern/lantern stand
- Candles/holders
- Fire extinguisher
- Fire bucket

If cooking:

- Camp table
- Camp stove/fuel
- Washbasin, soap, towels, bleach
- Tea kettle or coffee pot
- Pots and pans
- Cutting board (disposable)
- Can opener
- Mixing bowls and spoons
- Measuring implements
- Plates/bowls/cups/etc
- Mixing/serving implements
- Foil/Saran Wrap
- Food storage containers
- Sharp knives
- Potholders
- Seasonings
- Cooler
- Money for ice
- Paper towels
- Extra table cloth

Special activities:

- Music/Instruments
- Martial activities:
 - Armor (heavy &/or light)
 - Swords + hitting things
 - Shields + blocking things
 - Bow, arrows, axes, etc.
 - Armor/weapon stand
 - Weapon/armor repair kit
- Bardic Book
- Class materials
- Favor(s)
- Tokens
- Wagon for hauling stuff

Traveling with Kids:

- Toys
- Books
- Coloring books/crayons
- Craft supplies
- Car games
- Favorite blankie or toy
- Binkies
- Wagon
- Waivers
- Sippy cups
- Wide brimmed hats

Traveling with Royals:

- Thrones
- Crowns/Coronets
- Court Box/List
- Gifts for hosts/royals
- Favors
- Scrolls
- Scroll text (if difficult)
- Scroll folders
- Small notebook/pen
- Thank you cards/postage
- Favorite blankie or toy
- Copy of Kingdom calendar
- Copy of Corpora
- Copy of Kingdom Law
- Important phone numbers
- Calligraphy pen and ink

Explanation of odd stuff on the list:

- **Sharpie, Super glue, Bootstrings, White cotton fabric** – Trust me, these things will come in handy in ways you never fathomed.
- **Electrical tape** – even better than moleskin for blisters! Cover the blister or irritated area with a band-aid, then a layer of electrical tape.
- **Emergen-C** – a powdered multi-vitamin drink – good for dehydration or as a hangover preventative.
- **Vicks Vaporub** – can be used for congestion as intended, or as a muscle rub, or to stop itching from bug bites. Carmex can also help with itchy bug bites.
- **Florajen** – acidophilus – this is a capsule that contains lots of the bacteria found in yogurt. If you take it when traveling, you are less likely to get sick from Pennsic Plague or other gastrointestinal complaints.
- **Disposable cutting boards** – these are a wonderful invention! The cutting boards are essentially heavy wax paper with a plastic lining – use them once and then throw the yuck away! (This is particularly good for chicken and other meats.)
- **Disposable scrubbies** – also a great idea – thick fiber pads with a scrubby size and a soft side and soap on the inside – use them to wash the dishes and wipe down tables, then throw away.
- **Bitty cups/Taster cups** – one of the most dangerous phrases in the SCA is “here, try this!” Having a bitty cup in hand to receive a small taste before offering your ginormous mug can be a lifesaver.

Sample Medical History form:

	Demographic Information
Name	
Date of Birth	
Home Address	
Phone Number	
Email Address	
Insurance Name Phone number Member number	
Emergency Contact Name Relationship Phone number(s)	
	Medical Information
Allergies Allergen & reaction	
Medical conditions	
Medications	
Medical history	.

Notes:

- If you are camping, try to arrange your travel so you arrive in daylight. Do a test set-up of your tent at home before you go – there is nothing worse than setting up a new tent in the dark. If you try to do so, it will rain.
- Do maintenance on the car (oil change, check tires, etc) BEFORE you leave
- You need a special form for car insurance in Canada. Most insurance plans can provide it at no or little cost, but make sure to order it in advance.
- For long events, arrange for pet care, someone to at least check on the house/apartment, and have the mail and newspapers stopped or forwarded.
- You may want to construct a set-up kit that includes all the things you'll need (or may want) as soon as you hit site. Pack it on top or in between the front seats so it stays accessible throughout the trip. A possible list of things (either from above or a second set) to go in this box include:
 - Toolbox or other container
 - First aid kit
 - Multi-tool/Swiss army knife
 - Raingear for each person
 - Mug or cup for each person
 - Matches
 - Flashlight
 - Tools (hammer/mallet, etc)
 - Hardware for tent/pavilion
 - Work gloves
 - Sunscreen
 - Bug spray
 - Fire extinguisher
 - Spare wire & rope
 - "Travel and Arrival" items