

14er winter ascent with overnight at Barr Camp.

The gear on this list is <u>required</u>. If you have any questions about this list or the gear on it, please contact our office or your guide for advice. <u>Mountain Chalet</u> or <u>Mountain Equipment Recycler</u> here in Colorado Springs are great resources for knowledge and product selection. PPAS also rents most gear (not clothing) on this list.

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Footwear:

__Insulated glacier boots or double plastics depending on conditions and temperature. If in any questions, please call our office for advice.

- __Gaiters (make sure they fit your boots)
- (2 pairs) Wool or synthetic socks. No cotton.
- Liner sock. This is a personal preference, not required.
- __Snowshoes and trekking poles may be necessary depending on route conditions. Confirm prior to climb.

Clothing (all to be wool or synthetic):

- Base Layer, long sleeve tops and bottom.
- __Softshell Pants, Softshell pants are preferred for wind & water resistant & versatile qualities.
- _Insulation Layer, top. Softshell again is recommended here. Fleece is ok but these have no wind protection so softshell is preferred.
- ___Hardshell Pants. Must have full side zip to remove or add with boots on.
- ___Hardshell Jacket with hood. Hardshells are required for wind protection and weather protection.
- __Insulated "puffy" jacket or parka w/ hood. Down or Synthetic. Make sure it fits over all other layers combined.

Headwear:

- ___Synthetic or wool hat (beanie)
- __Buff or neck gaiter. I highly recommend buffs for their versatility. They also second as a face mask.
- __Ball Cap or Visor, sun protection for your face.
- __Glacier glasses, sunglasses with dark lens' and wraparound sun and wind protection.
- __Goggles. Necessary when temps are cold or wind is high.

Handwear:

- Liner glove
- Softshell glove, water proof.
- __Expedition mitten.

Overnight Gear:

- __Sleeping Bag, rated to 15* F or lower. We prefer down. Lighter, easier to pack and last longer than synthetic.
- Pillow. This can be made out of a stuff sac and clothing layers.
- ____Mug/bowl and spoon for morning and evening meals.
- ____Toiletries, toothbrush/toothpaste, (small) hand sanitizer, wet wipes, etc.
- ___Headlamp, check batteries.

Other gear:

- __50-65L Backpack, make sure your gear fits in pack prior to trip.
- ___Trekking poles with snow baskets.
- __(2)1L waterbottle, leakproof bottle like Nalgene to be kept inside pack to prevent freezing. Bladder hoses will freeze.
- ___Waterbottle Jacket for insulation.
- ___Sunscreen, lipscreen 30SPF minimum
- _Camera
- __Snacks, 1300 calories per day. Trail mix, gu, shot blocks, snickers bars, trail bars, gummy bears, beef jerky, cheese.
- _Small first aid kit with personal meds, bandages and blister bandages (Blisto-Ban). Don't bring mole-skin unless you already use it.
- ___Spare door and ignition key, for groups carpooling.