Short hike camp kit

The list may need to be adjusted for weather e.g. very hot or cold.

The Personal kit must be provided by each scout. The Group Equipment is provided by the Troop and shared by the scouts.

Line your backpack with a large plastic bag. Put all spare clothes that you take in plastic bags. All kit, including your share of group equipment, should be firmly in the backpack (except if tent or sleeping bag are tied to outside). Nothing dangling. Tent poles and pegs secure.

Check all equipment before setting out.

Leave your remaining kit neatly in a large plastic bag in the Patrol Tent

* Take these if conditions require them - check with leaders

Each scout to wear
Shirt, long sleeved
Vest or T-shirt
Trousers - not tight or denim
Windproof jacket - or if not, an extra, thick
    pullover
Boots, with good gripping soles
Socks - one or two pairs, thick; inner pair not
    nylon

Personal kit – each scout to carry
Spare trousers
Spare shirt
Spare socks
Pullovers - two if medium or thin
Cagoule
Overtrousers (if available)
Gloves (woollen mittens best)*
Woolly hat*
Sleeping bag (in plastic bag if tied outside
backpack)
Camp pad
Eating utensils
Towel
Wash kit
Torch - one per tent?
Scout identification (Record card or book)
Notebook and pencil
Map and compass (if available)
Water bottle
Money
Whistle (if available)
Any medication
Emergency card (from Troop)*

Personal equipment – at least one per group
Mobile phone (if possible)
First aid kit
Emergency rations*
Watch

Group equipment
Tent(s)
Stove and fuel
Set of billies
Food
Water carrier
Water sterilizing tablets*
Washing up liquid
Scouring pad
J cloth
Matches - 2 boxes in plastic bags in middle
of kit
Tin opener*
Toilet paper in bag
Trowel*
Whistle
Emergency rations*
Map
Compass
Map case
Route card
Bivvy bag*
Money for campsite*

Each Scout needs to provide a strong black bag for equipment and clothes left behind