

WHAT TO BRING & PERSONAL EQUIPMENT LIST FOR YOUR DOC WARNER'S FISHING ADVENTURE

What to Bring

Cell Phones at Doc Warner's: The best way to communicate between Doc Warner's, home and boats is by cell phone. Cingular/AT&T is the provider in our area. Depending on your plan and your carrier, roaming charges may apply.

Buying Tackle: We provide the bait tackle as part of your package. This includes poles, line, reels, leader, weights, hooks, and bait. Additional tackle is optional. If you want to use lures, you may want to wait and buy them at Doc Warner's. We have a trading post which sells tackle that works in our area. Our prices are competitive with lower 48 pricing.

Fishing License Information: Fishing Licenses are required for anyone 16 years or older. You will receive your fishing license at Doc Warner's.

Fly Fishing Gear: We recommend the following for both freshwater and saltwater fly fishing:

- Rod: 7-10 weight
- Reel: High capacity 8.5-9.0
- Backing: 30 pound, ultra thin
- Line: Taper floating and monoclear saltwater or freshwater, or sink tip saltwater line
- Leader & Tippet: Triangle taper fluorocarbon leader, tippet in 3X-0X
- Flies: (Many of these can be purchased in the lodge store)
Alevin, Blue Smolt, White Woolly Bugger, Egg Sucking Leaches, Flash Fly, Hot Pink Sparkle Shrimp, Chartreuse Everglow Fly, Gold Comet, Lefty's Deceiver, Tarpon Fly, Clouser Minnow, Skykomish Sunrise.

Spin Fishing: Many guests enjoy the excitement of catching salmon and dolly varden on spinning gear. If that appeals to you, Doc has good rods and a few spinning reels. You may prefer to bring your favorite reel and use our poles. If so, we recommend 15-17# line. Pixies are a commonly used lure which you can bring, or purchase at the Doc Warner's Trading Post. Several other lures are also available in the Trading Post.

Personal Equipment List

What to Bring:

- Good Rain Gear*
- 3 Changes of Clothes (coin-op laundry available)
- Filet or Pocket Knife*
- Bath Towel
- T-shirts*
- Jeans
- Sweatshirts for Layering*
- Jacket-Medium Weight*
- Lightweight Vest*

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- Underclothing
- Slippers or Sneakers
- Socks
- Waterproof Footwear*
- Gloves, Neoprene*
- Ball Cap or Stocking Hat*
- Toiletries*
- Personal Medications
- First Aid Kit*
- Sunglasses*
- Film*
- Pliers for Hook Removal*
- Cell Phone (Cingular/AT&T)
- Flashlight*
- Sunscreen*
- Lip Balm*
- Fly Rod, if Desired
- Flies*

May Be Rented at Lodge:

- Boots
- GPS

*Indicates items available for purchase at the lodge Trading Post. Alaska fishing licenses are also available at the Trading Post. Cost: \$55. King Salmon stamps are \$30.

****Notice: Guests who are more sensitive to the cold may want to add these additional items to their personal equipment list:**

• **Insulated and waterproof gloves.** The neoprene gloves can work well here. Wet hands get cold. So, make sure your gloves are waterproof. Such gloves are available at the Doc Warner's Trading Post.

• **Thermal underwear or jogging pants, or both.** Some guests have stated that their legs get cold in their rain suits. Adding an extra layer of insulation will solve the problem.