

2017 PLANTING PACKING LIST:

PLANTING GEAR:

- Planting Bags
- Shovel
- Silvi-Cools (x2)
- Planting Boots with good ankle support
- Rain Jacket
- Toque, Headband, or some other type of warm hat
- Baseball cap (or something with a brim) for sunny days
- Planting gloves (thin is best since you will need dexterity)
- Warm Layers – Planters usually use either a legging/short combination or pants on the bottom. On the top you will want layers for all types of weather, short sleeves, long sleeves, wool, etc. I would avoid cotton since it won't keep you warm – Polypropylene and merino wool, and bamboo are all great fabrics for staying warm/cool.
- Wool socks
- Some sort of large water jug or multiple water bottles (4-8L)
- Watch or some sort of time telling device – it is really important to know the time on the block, this is a MUST
- Duct Tape
- Block bag – to keep all your stuff together on the block (layers, lunch, water, hat, sunscreen, bug spray, tally book, etc). Backpacks are usually the best since you may have walk-ins from the truck, so backpacks make the trek easier
- Tally book – so you can record how many trees you have planted

FOR CAMP:

- 2-3 person 3-season tent – nothing huge or else you will freeze
- Sleeping Bag (best to have it rated -5 at a minimum)
- Thermarest/Sleeping pad
- Tarp with Rope
- Plate/Cup/Cutlery/Bowl
- Travel mug – for hauling coffee to the block
- Lunch container
- Camp shoes – you'll want to take off your boots at the end of the day, so having an extra pair of shoes is key
- Warm clothes
- Pillow
- Extra Blanket – its spring in the mountains, so if you get cold easily an extra blanket will prove very useful
- Headlamp/Flashlight – it will be pitch black at night, so you'll want something to guide to you to your tent/to the bathroom
- Alarm clock/watch/some way to make sure you're up on time

OTHER:

- SPF Lipbalm
- Baby wipes – work as a quick pseudo-shower after a day on the block

- Toiletries
- Toothbrush/paste
- iPod – some planters like to plant with music, so an iPod and/or speakers is handy to have on the block if you're needing some motivation
- Clothes for day-off
- Camera – to document all the fun you're having
- Book(s)
- Some sort of laundry bag to haul your clothes to/from the Laundromat on day-off – a pillowcase works wonders.