

## PACKING LIST

### CLOTHING FOR DAILY WEAR

- Sturdy shoes with good soles (the terrain is extremely rocky)
- Casual short and long sleeved shirts
- Jeans/slacks
- Shorts
- Jacket (for rain, wind, even snow!)
- Gloves or mittens
- Hat to protect from sun and cold
- Nicer clothes or your concert clothes for MIM concert attendance

*Due to changing temperatures, layered clothing is advised.*

### CONCERT ATTIRE

- Long black pants or long black skirt
- White or black top
- Optional long tie (for men)
- Sensible black shoes
- Solo recital attire may be more colorful

### REQUIRED ADDITIONAL ITEMS

- Alarm clock or wristwatch
- Sleeping bag or bed sheets/blanket
- Pillow and pillowcase
- Towels and washcloths
- Bath soap (please don't bring anti-bacterial soap as it interferes with the septic system)
- Shampoo, toothbrush, toothpaste, deodorant, etc..
- Water bottle (can be purchased at the Canteen)
- Flashlight and extra batteries—NO HEADGEAR WITH LIGHTS
- Laundry bag, laundry detergent (YAS)
- Flip-flops for SHOWER USE ONLY
- Kleenex
- Sunglasses
- Sunscreen—at least 30spf
- Spending money for optional activities
- Daypack/backpack and rain gear for optional long hikes

### FACULTY AND ADULT SEMINAR STUDENTS:

Please use your best judgment as to what your needs will be during your stay. Most questions will be answered with the above lists, but you may call the office if you need further clarification or if you are uncertain of what size bedding you'll need. Rocky Ridge does NOT provide any bedding or towels.

### MUSIC ITEMS

- Instrument
- Music stand (except pianists)
- Clothes pins to hold music at outside concerts
- Maintenance supplies for your instrument
- Metronome, tuner
- All your solo music along with ORIGINAL piano accompaniment parts
- Spiral notebook, manuscript paper, pencils
- Music bag or backpack for your things

### OPTIONAL ADDITIONAL ITEMS (NOT NEEDED BUT ALLOWED)

- Books or games
- Binoculars
- Camera
- Umbrella
- Laptop Computer
- Stationery, envelopes, postage, pens
- Cell phone (for travel only—there is no reception on campus)
- Drawing pens such as Staedtler Pigment Liners (available at Staples or other office or art supply stores)
- Watercolor pencils—12 pack (available at Staples or other office supply or art supply stores)
- An inexpensive nature journal such as *Journeys Through Journaling, Student Nature Journal* available at Acorn Naturalists for \$3.95:  
<http://www.acornnaturalists.com/store/search.aspx>
- For the YAS a recommended read prior to coming is *Tom Brown's Field Guide to Nature Observation and Tracking* by Tom Brown Jr. (available at [www.Amazon.com](http://www.Amazon.com))

### DO NOT BRING (NOT NEEDED AND NOT ALLOWED)

- Unnecessary valuables
- High-heel shoes
- Bicycles, skates or skateboards
- Food - Due to the presence of wildlife, students are not allowed to keep food in cabins. Healthful snacks are always available in the dining hall.

### ITEMS AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE ON CAMPUS:

Some items can be purchased at the campus Canteen such as a limited supply of toiletries and Rocky Ridge memorabilia —T-shirts, water bottles, flashlights, and more.