

List of Hunting Gear

What Larsen Bay Lodge Provides:

- Comfortable lodging, including bed linen and towels
- All meals
- Soda, juice, coffee and tea
- Complimentary water bottle
- Duck decoys for duck hunters
- Rain Gear
- Waders and Hip boots
- Meat/Trophy freezing and boxing materials

What You Should Bring:

Clothing

As you probably already know, weather in Alaska is unpredictable. No matter what time of year you come, weather can be unseasonably warm, cold, wet or dry! So, prepare for the unexpected. Dressing in layers is imperative for comfort. For instance, if you are deer hunting and you climb up to a higher elevation you will probably shed layers while you climb, but put them back on once you get to a spot that you are going to sit and glass for deer. With that in mind, here are some suggestions:

- 1 Heavy Jacket
- 1 Polypro-Pullover or Wool Sweater
- 2-3 Warm Shirts
- 1 Turtleneck Shirt
- 2-3 Base layer undershirts (synthetic is better than cotton because it wicks moisture away, "cotton kills")
- 1 Packable Rainsuit
- 2 Pairs of Long Underwear
- Socks and Underwear
- 2 pairs of hunting pants
- Warm Hunting Hat
- Hiking Boots (leather, Muck Boots or ankle fit knee-high rubber boots)
- For duck hunters, neoprene waders are warm and comfortable, but hip boots or even knee high Rubber Boots will be sufficient
- A Variety of Gloves
- Travel Clothes

Note: There is no legal requirement in Alaska for wearing hunter orange.

Equipment

- Day pack (for deer hunters, it needs to be pretty sizable in case you cannot drag your deer to the beach and have to quarter it and pack it out with the cape and horns. In Alaska you are required by law to bring back all of the meat from your kill.)
- Sharp hunting knife(s) – you will be field dressing your own deer and if you are a long way from the pickup point you will want to quarter the deer and bone it out.
- Rifle (deer) and/or shotgun (duck). Please note that most airlines require a locked hard sided case.)
- Scope Cover (another good idea is to care a roll of black electrical tape and tape the end of your barrel to keep mud out if you fall).
- Ammunition (1 box of rifle shells for deer hunters. For duck hunting, 2+ boxes of shotguns shells – check with us before you leave as we may have shotgun shells available for sale in camp). Please note that most airlines require that ammunition be in your checked baggage, in its original box, and NOT in your gun case.
- Binoculars
- Flashlight
- Ear Plugs or ear protection

Miscellaneous/Optional

- Toiletries
- Matches or Lighter
- Several packs of pocket-size tissue for your day pack
- Camera (photo and video)
- Battery charger(s)
- Extra memory cards
- Reading materials
- Garbage Bags for dirty clothes, boots, etc.
- Gun oil & rag in a Ziplock bag
- Soft Gun Case – to protect your gun from salt spray while traveling by boat to the hunting area. Waterproof Gloves
- Leatherman or Swiss Army Knife
- Range Finder
- Hand Warmers
- Travel Pack of Baby Wipes for cleaning your hands after you have gutted your deer, etc.
- Rope for dragging deer
- Various Small to Medium Size Tupperware-like Containers (square or rectangular) can be useful for packing small loose items that otherwise might get lost in your cavernous duffel bag! They also come in handy for protecting fragile items you have packed and souvenirs on the way home that you do not want to get crushed.
- Duct Tape

- VHF Handheld Radio or similar

If you get to Alaska and realize you forgot something, Big Ray's Sporting Goods in Kodiak (907-486-4276) or Walmart, will have virtually anything you may need for the trip - from clothing to supplies.

CLIMATE DATA	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC
Avg. High	49.5	55.6	60.5	61.9	56.6	47.2	39.9	36.4
Avg. Low	37.5	43.6	48.2	48.4	43.4	34.2	28.8	25.2
Avg. Daylight	16.5	18	17.5	15.85	13.5	11	8.75	6.75
Avg. Precip.	5.5"	4.8"	3.7"	5.2"	7.0"	7.2"	6.0"	6.8"