



TAHOE BACKCOUNTRY SPLITBOARD TOURS EQUIPMENT LIST

RIDING GEAR

Splitboard, snowboard boots and climbing skins

Pack

Riding pack (25-35 liter) with a strap system to carry snowboard

(Black Diamond packs with built-in Avalung optional, but recommended)

Rentals available, reservations required from ASI

CLOTHING

Next to skin layers:

Short sleeve T-shirt – light merino wool or capilene

Long sleeve light merino wool or capilene zip t-neck

Merino wool or capilene briefs

Merino wool or capilene light long johns for very cold conditions

Ski socks – wool/nylon blend or similar

Outer layers:

Riding jacket and pants

Puff jacket (nylon with synthetic insulation)

Light wool or fleece hat

Fleece neck gaiter for storm conditions

Sun hat – with visor

Gloves – medium weight, warm ski gloves and/or light gloves for spring conditions

Bandana

This is a recommended optimum layering system. Certain items may be substituted but combination of layers should equal the recommended list for warmth, moisture wicking, wind and precipitation resistance, weight and packability.

MISCELLANEOUS

1-Liter water container or hydration system

Sunglasses

Goggles with light lenses for storm conditions

Sunscreen – 50+ SPF small amount in squeeze bottle)

Lip balm – 50+ SPF

Camera (optional)

FOOD

Bring lunch food for the day, including quick-energy snack foods such as energy bars and similar.

ASI PROVIDES

All group guiding equipment, avalanche transceivers, probes, shovels, group first-aid, emergency and repair kits.