

Packing Suggestions/Checklist for Cruising

The climate of the Southern California and harbors is unpredictable, ranging from hot and balmy to cold and stormy. Rain is not likely, but possible, so be prepared.

Be sure to have your name on all your clothing and equipment for identification. There is a Bosun's Bag maid service on board, but there is a fee for this service. (Any clothing/items left laying around are picked up and put in the Bosun's Bag, and must be "ransomed" to get them back.) Ransomed means that the kids have to do some humiliating thing like sing a song etc...this is normal behavior for leaving stuff around.

Pack light in a duffle bag (or other soft-sided bag)!

- MANDATORY:**
 - **Watch**
 - **Flashlight**
- Sleeping bag and pillow
- Warm jacket**
- Foul weather gear or rain jacket if you have it**
- Several changes of dry clothing
- Sweats
- Swim wear and towel
- Tennis shoes or thongs (no hard soled shoes)
- Cap
- Sun Glasses
- Sunscreen
- Toiletries
- Recreational material, such as cards, books, snorkeling gear, walkman-type units (boom boxes tend to get destroyed).
- Spending money
- Seasick medicine
 - ◆ Start taking it 24 hours in advance.
 - ◆ Dramamine is not recommended.
 - ◆ Bonine often works well.
 - ◆ Advice for Doctor's prescription is available. (Ask Skip)

