

TOWN-Austin – October 2010 Monthly Meeting

Survival Kit– Altoid can, suggested order for contents:

1. Attached in lid - Waterproof matches with striking surface (in plastic bag) ** **Matches are very fragile**
2. Heavy duty foil packet (1) – orig. 12” x 24” – folded to fit – use for cooking, capturing water
3. Reflective surface (1) – cut from compact disc – use for signaling
4. Razor blades (3) - in plastic bag, use to cut small tree pieces for fire
5. Quart plastic bag (1) – folded into small bag – add approx. 1 quart of water + water purifier tablet

Where to mark plastic bag for 1 quart of water?

6. Duct tape (1) – one yard – rolled, use to attach bandage or
7. Cotton balls (4) – dipped in Vaseline – use as tinder to start fire
8. Water purifier tablets (2) – use with quart plastic bag – read directions
9. **In plastic bag:**
 - 14 yards fishing line (1) – wrapped on cardboard
 - Bronze hook (1)
 - Brass swivel (1)
 - Lead sinker (1)
10. Green twine in plastic bag
11. To insure Altoid can will remain closed, enclose with rubber band.
12. To water proof Altoid can and contents, wrap outside edge with duct tape

Whistle – wear or wrap around case

Practice Clinch knot – using white/yellow cord

Tips and Techniques

Purchases to Consider

Knife or Leatherman tool

Poncho (dollar stores - \$1)

Bandana