Packing List for Paws for Adventure Day Tours:

To Wear:

Head: Fleece or wool hat or musher type hat

Neck warmer or balaclava – essential ... you may even need 2 (a thinner one and a thicker one)

Body: Layers of long underwear: I like Patagonia, Mtn Hardwear, REI brands.,, there are other good ones, personal preference. You may not need 3 layers, but you MIGHT! Always good to have an extra layer:.

- -Light weight/ silk weight base layer (moisture wicking no cotton)
- -Mid-weight polypro-type top and bottom
- -Extreme weight or Fleece top and bottom

Arctic outer layer (we provide or you might check a reputable dealer for suitable gear)

Feet: we provide arctic boots (rated to at least –40F; this doesn't necessarily mean you'll stay warm at –40F, but the colder the rating, the better, "Neos" over-boots are great if you're planning future winter adventures, but don't go out and buy just for this), wool or winter weight polypro socks – usually 1 thick pair is better than 2 or 3 layers as they tend to bunch up or cut off your circulation if they're too tight

Hands:

- 1. light weight glove liners polypro or stretch fleece with fingers you need dexterity for using snaps on the gangline and putting on harnesses
- 2. a larger fleece or other snow gloves with fingers (sometimes you can get away with ski gloves if it's not too cold);
- 3. Arctic over mitts these are mostly used while we're driving the sled on the trail or not handling dogs; we have arctic over mitts to loan

Other equipment/ essentials to bring:

Chemical hand-warmers: for hands and feet

Eyes: If you wear glasses – they will fog easily with all your gear on; if you have contacts- they are usually easier to deal with; sometimes you can wear goggles over your glasses to help with fog

Sunglasses or goggles; these are especially important in spring when the glare off the snow is bad (we have goggles to borrow)

Cameras and video/ Go-Pro cameras: batteries tend to freeze quickly – bring extra or a way to warm them (chemical warmers in insulated camera bag – the ones with adhesive work well). Sorry, no drones.