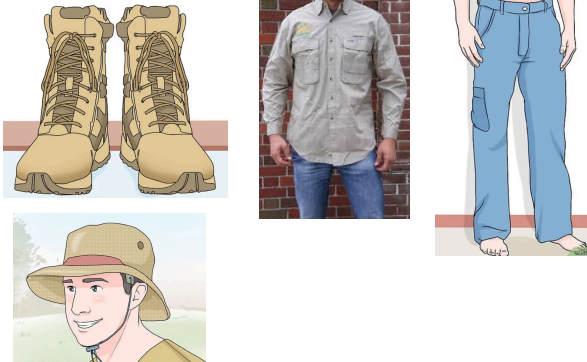


## Proper Clothing for the IREC

- This is a harsh, hot, dry, desert environment with potentially dangerous wildlife in the area.
- Temperatures can reach 105 F (40 C).
- Dehydration injuries happen every year. **BE PREPARED! WATER WATER WATER!!!** Team members look out for each other! Everyone should be drinking significant amounts of water.
- Any team members wearing inappropriate/unsafe clothing will be asked to correct it immediately. If inappropriate clothing continues, points will be deducted from your team or you may be escorted out of the launch area.

### STRONGLY RECOMMENDED clothing for anyone recovering a rocket

- Long Pants
- Sun shade hat
- Hiking Boots, Tennis shoes (Must be closed Toe)
- Long sleeve, fishing-style shirt



### Clothing to avoid

- Open toed shoes, flip-flops
- Sleeveless T-shirts
- Shorts



### Desert wildlife to avoid:

- Tarantulas
- Snakes
- Scorpions



### Additional Items to carry with you:

- Water, lots of it! Always have water with you
- First Aid Kit (for your group)
- Sun Tan Lotion – SPF 45+ (apply every 2 hours)
- Insect Repellant
- Sunglasses

