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# REACH NEW HEIGHTS AT MILWAUKEE Y DAY CAMP

## CAMP FLY: Fun Learning for Youth

**Register Today for Summer 2016!**



NOW IN A MILWAUKEE  
COUNTY PARK NEAR YOU!

### LOCATIONS:

Northwest YMCA  
Rite-Hite Family YMCA  
Brookfield Elementary  
Greene Park  
Lincoln Park  
Milwaukee County Sports Complex  
Wilson Park

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# WELCOME TO MILWAUKEE Y DAY CAMP!

## Y MEMBER BENEFITS

A Y membership is a great value. A membership gives you full access to all of our metro Milwaukee locations, as well as access to hundreds of free classes and programs, reduced rates on swim classes, youth sports, preschool classes, kid care and **DISCOUNTED PRICING ON YMCA DAY CAMP!**

Plus, when you join the Y, you're joining an organization that's committed to strengthening our community – together.

**We're happy to welcome you to the Y!**

For more information, visit [ymcamke.org](http://ymcamke.org) or call 414-224-9622.

## WELCOME TO YMCA DAY CAMP

At YMCA Camp, caring "professional role models" help create experiences that build character, confidence, friendship, skills and the framework of our youth. All of our Y Camps strive to instill the Y's four core values of caring, honesty, respect and responsibility into every activity, every day.



### Caring:

Considerate to the needs and feelings of others



### Honesty:

Being trustworthy and truthful



### Respect:

Treating others, the environment and yourself with dignity



### Responsibility:

Accepting accountability for your actions and role in the community

## LOCATIONS

We offer Day Camp at many locations in the greater Milwaukee area. NEW this year is YMCA Day Camp at Greene Park in St. Francis, on the shores of Lake Michigan! Each camp offers Traditional, Sports and Specialty camps.

### YMCA Day Camp Sites

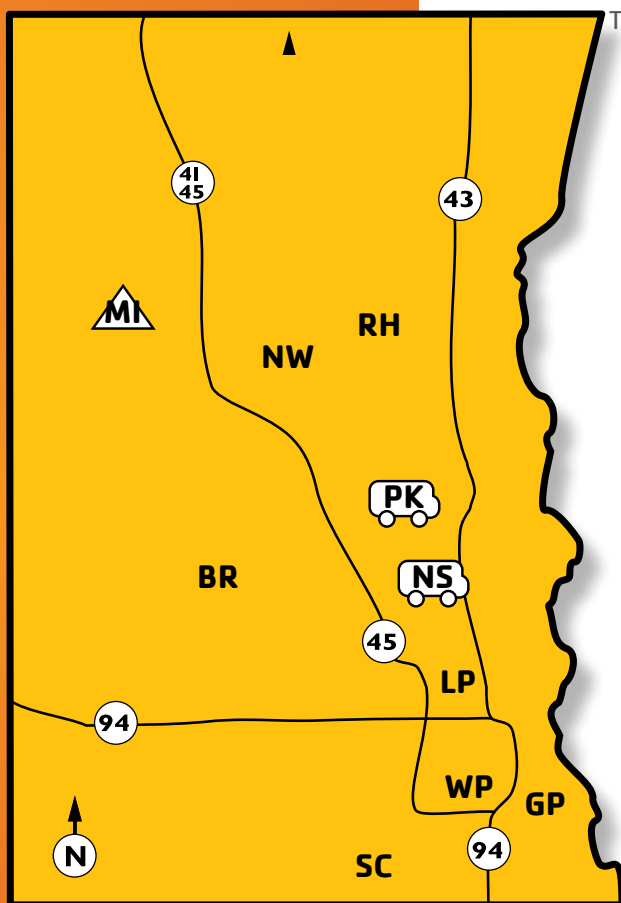
- BR Brookfield Elementary School  
2530 N. Brookfield Rd.  
Brookfield, WI
- NW Northwest YMCA, Milwaukee  
(Traditional and Adaptive Camps)  
9050 N. Swan Rd.  
Milwaukee, WI
- RH Rite-Hite Family YMCA  
9250 N. Green Bay Rd.  
Brown Deer, WI
- GP YMCA at Greene Park  
4235 S. Lipton Ave.  
St. Francis, WI
- LP YMCA at Lincoln Park  
1301 W. Hampton Ave.  
Milwaukee, WI
- WP YMCA at Wilson Park  
1601 West Howard Ave.  
Milwaukee, WI
- SC YMCA at Milwaukee County  
Sports Complex – Franklin  
6000 W. Ryan Rd.  
Franklin, WI

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### Bus Stops

- NS Northside YMCA, Milwaukee  
(attend camp at Northwest YMCA)  
Northside YMCA Campers AM Drop-off: 7-7:45 am  
Return to Northside YMCA for PM Pick-up: 4:30-6 pm
- PK Parklawn YMCA, Milwaukee  
(attend camp at Lincoln Park YMCA)  
Parklawn YMCA Campers AM Drop-off: 7-7:45 am  
Return to Parklawn YMCA for PM Pick-up: 4:45-6 pm



## WHY CHOOSE THE Y FOR YOUR CHILD'S SUMMER?



### SAFE

- 1:6\* staff to child ratio for 4 year olds
- 1:10\* for 5 and 6 year olds
- 1:14\* for 7 to 12 year olds
- Qualified counselors who receive over 40 hours of training in behavioral guidance, strategies to help campers feel comfortable in a new environment, how to make friends and much more!
- All counselors are at least 18 years old
- Staff are all certified in CPR, AED and First Aid
- Y Day Camps meet state licensing Day Camp Child Care guidelines

\* Note: When there is a mixed age group, the staff-to-child ratio will be adjusted on a prorated basis, according to age.



### AFFORDABLE

- Free Before and After Care (7-8:30 am, 4:30-6 pm)
- Free weekly field trips
- Morning and afternoon snack provided at no extra cost
- Free breakfast and lunch at Northwest YMCA, Rite-Hite Family YMCA, Greene, Lincoln and Wilson Parks
- Discounted YMCA swim lessons optional for campers (only offered at Rite-Hite Family YMCA location)
- Additional child discounts for your family
- Benefits: friendships, decision making and problem solving skills, team building and more!
- Scholarships available (upon request) thanks to donors
- Become a Milwaukee Y member and save!



### FUN

- Camper choice educational skill activities
- Healthy living habits
- Large group games
- Team building activities
- Environmental education
- Reading and rest time
- Opening and closing ceremonies
- Sports
- Small group activities
- Arts and crafts
- Swimming
- Weekly field trip
- Tons of FUN!





# WELCOME TO MILWAUKEE Y DAY CAMP!

## OUR CAUSE

We are a powerful association of men, women and children, joined together by a shared commitment to nurturing the potential of kids, promoting healthy living and fostering a sense of social responsibility. We believe that lasting personal and social change can only come about when we all work together to invest in our kids, our health and our neighbors. That's why, at the Y, strengthening community is our cause. Everyday, we work side-by-side with our neighbors to make sure that everyone, regardless of age, income or background, has the opportunity to learn, grow and thrive.

The Milwaukee Y Day Camps focus on creating memories, building relationships, and fostering a sense of belonging through personal achievement. Our new concentrated vision is to bridge the gap of summer learning loss through fun activities with intentional outcomes of learning. Raising the bar one summer at a time.



## A NOTE FROM THE DIRECTOR

Anyone that has ever been to camp will tell you that there is no place like camp. At all 7 Milwaukee YMCA Day Camps, we pride ourselves on creating a warm and safe environment for all children. The summer staff is one big family and that is how we approach our campers and parents, as family.

All children are unique; we embrace this! Our number one goal at camp is for our campers to build self-esteem and love who they are. Whether your camper is an athlete, artist, scientist, shy, the ham of the family, dancer, actor or actress, detective, outdoor enthusiast, musician, a chef, or simply a child ready to go on an adventure of a lifetime; there is no place like camp because all children fit in here at our beloved camps.

I am proud to say that this will be my thirteenth year being involved with summer camping for the YMCA and the directors have a combined 44 years experience. From my past experiences, I guarantee that your campers will have plenty of opportunities to meet new friends, sing crazy songs, act goofy, maybe get a little dirty, meet new heroes in the form of dedicated camp counselors, grow as an individual, and ask, "When do I get to come back?"

As a long time Camp Director, I, along with my staff, am committed to making sure our campers are safe, accepted and respected for who they are. I am proud of our leadership staff and counselors for their dedication to ensuring each camper has the time of his or her life. I look forward to going on this adventure with you and helping your children reach new heights.

*Chris Przedpelski*  
Association Director of Day Camp  
YMCA of Metropolitan Milwaukee



## TRADITIONAL DAY CAMP

Age 4–12 years (must be 4 before week starts)

Join YMCA Day Camp for one week or for an entire summer of fun! We focus on caring, honesty, respect, and responsibility in all of our activities, from educational camper-chosen skill sessions to swimming, to arts and crafts and games. We provide fun-filled activities that allow for physical involvement, social interaction, educational opportunities, leadership building, personal growth and creativity. Day campers will be divided into groups by age with activities appropriate to the interests and needs of each group. All children should bring a water bottle and wear closed-toed shoes to camp each day.

Y Member Rate:

5 years and older: \$184/week

4 years old: \$198/week

Community Participant Rate:

5 years and older: \$215/week

4 year olds: \$229/week

## TRADITIONAL CAMP WEEKLY THEMES

Week 1	Aloha Summer
Week 2	The Wonderful World of Camp
Week 3	Ocean Commotion
Week 4	Jurassic Journey
Week 5	Imagination Creation
Week 6	YTunes
Week 7	Time Travelers
Week 8	Y-lympics
Week 9	Around the World in Five Days
Week 10	Camp of Champs
Week 11	Mystery Week

For description of themes, visit [ymcamke.org](http://ymcamke.org).

## WHAT TO BRING TO CAMP

Please label everything with your child's name.

- Backpack
- Books from Home
- Extra Clothes
- Sunscreen and Bug Spray
- Swim Suit and Towel
- Tennis Shoes
- Water Bottle

## WHAT NOT TO BRING TO CAMP

- Electronics
- Expensive Clothes
- Money
- Toys from Home

## GROW IN VALUES

CARING, HONESTY, RESPECT, RESPONSIBILITY



# SUMMER DAY CAMPS



## LEADERS IN TRAINING (LIT)

**Age 13-15 years (or completed 7th Grade)**

This team leadership program is for youth looking to grow as responsible leaders while building confidence and self-worth. Youth will learn teamwork, service, child guidance and decision making skills through activities and mentoring during the summer. All youth will be required to complete an application, participate in an interview process (to develop job skills), and must attend the mandatory LIT training week (June 27-July 1) to be accepted into the program. Limited spots available per week at each location. Applications must be completed and submitted by Wednesday, June 1, 2016. To download and print an application, visit [ymcamke.org](http://ymcamke.org).

**Week 1 and 2:** No LIT program

**Week 3 (June 27- July 1):** Mandatory LIT training week  
All LITs need to sign up for this week

**Week 4-10 (July 5- August 19):** LIT program offered  
Youth can sign up for as many weeks as they want.

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Y Member Rate: \$100/week

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Community Participant Rate: \$125/week  
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## ADAPTIVE CAMP

**(Available at Northwest YMCA and NEW Brookfield Elementary)**

**Age 5-17 years**

YMCA Adaptive Camp is an inclusive program for individuals with physical, cognitive, sensory, and/or multiple disabilities. Campers will have fun while participating in songs, arts and crafts, gym time, swim time, field trips and more. Activities are designed to develop and improve gross and fine motor skills along with social skills in a structured environment. The staff to camper ratio is 1:3. An intake meeting with the camp staff is mandatory for all first time campers to ensure that we are able to accommodate the needs of every child within our program.

**About Northwest YMCA:** Home of the Miracle Field (Milwaukee's first universally-accessible baseball field) and Miracle League, this location features an accessible outdoor pool, trails through the woods and around the property, a stage/theater (indoors and outdoors), and an accessible playground.

**About Brookfield Elementary:** Adaptive Camp is a special, tender place where children are able to receive a more personalized camp experience. Smaller ratios allow us to provide a more hands-on, individualized camp environment. This gives us the opportunity to adapt to the child instead of the child adapting to the camp. Your child will have unique camp experiences as they explore the beautiful city of Brookfield's backyard!

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Y Member Rate: \$233/week

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Community Participant Rate: \$263/week  
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Additional registration form required for Adaptive Camp is available online at [ymcamke.org](http://ymcamke.org). The Y does accept 3rd party payments. To receive a registration form or to set up 3rd party payments and other payment plans please call 414-276-9622 or email [daycamp@ymcamke.org](mailto:daycamp@ymcamke.org).





## SPORTS CAMP

Age 7-12 years

YMCA Sports Camps are offered for children who want to develop skills and techniques, while learning the value of teamwork, sportsmanship and fair play. Each camp will include drills, skill development, learning the rules of the game and actual play, all while reinforcing the core values of caring, honesty, respect and responsibility.

Y Member Rate: \$184/week

Community Participant Rate: \$215/week



### SPORTS CAMP WEEKLY THEMES

	Rite-Hite Family YMCA	Northwest YMCA	Brookfield Elementary	Greene Park	Wilson Park	Mke Cty Sports Cmplx	Lincoln Park
Week 1	Dodgeball	Football	Sports of All Sorts	Football	Basketball	Football	Kickball
Week 2	Football	Basketball	Soccer	Baseball	Kickball	Basketball	Baseball
Week 3	Basketball	Baseball	Kickball	Basketball	Baseball	Soccer	Basketball
Week 4	Soccer	Dodgeball	Baseball	Sports of All Sorts	Baseball	Volleyball	Football
Week 5	Disc Sports	Soccer	Football	Soccer	Kickball	Basketball	Baseball
Week 6	Olympic Sports	Dodgeball	Soccer	Tennis	Baseball	Disc Golf	Basketball
Week 7	Basketball	Basketball	Baseball	Kickball	Basketball	Baseball	Kickball
Week 8	Football	Baseball	Olympic Sports	Basketball	Kickball	Basketball	Baseball
Week 9	Baseball	Football	Kickball	Olympic Sports	Baseball	Soccer	Basketball
Week 10	Soccer	Soccer	Basketball	Soccer	Football	Disc Golf	Kickball
Week 11	Sports of All Sorts	Basketball	Track and Field	Football	Basketball	Kickball	Baseball



**NEW BEGINNINGS,  
VALUED TRADITIONS**

# SPECIALTY CAMPS

Does your child have a specific interest or hobby? Chances are we have a Specialty Camp for them! Campers spend extra time focusing on their Specialty Camp and the rest of the day enjoying Y day camp activities like swimming, arts and crafts, games, and songs. Your child will also attend the weekly camp field trip.

Not all Specialty Camps are available at all locations. Campers must meet the minimum age prior to the week they wish to attend. Refer to the specialty chart on page 14 for the Specialty Camps offered at each site.

All Specialty Camps require a \$25 weekly deposit at the time of registration.

## JR. SPECIALTY CAMPS

Ages 5–6 years

### Dino Detectives

Join us for an excursion back in time to the golden age of the dinosaurs! Working with staff, campers will uncover the mysteries left behind from prehistoric habitats, and piece together what it was really like to roam the earth when dinosaurs roared.

Member Discount Rate: \$201

Community Participant Rate: \$232

### Jr. Gymnastics

Flip, tumble, and turn. This camp is perfect for your little acrobats! Learn the basics of gymnastics while having fun with your friends! Activities will focus on basic tumbling, body awareness, balance, coordination, and flexibility.

Y Member Rate: \$210

Community Participant Rate: \$241

### Jr. Lego Camp

Get ready to draw blue prints, create towers, and build a city with Jr. Lego Camp! Campers will learn the basics of Lego construction while being challenged to use their imaginations and teamwork.

Y Member Rate: \$201

Community Participant Rate: \$232





## Jr. Superhero Camp

This camp is for the superhero in every child. Campers will spend time this week developing their own superhero, dressing up as their favorite superhero character, meeting every day heroes in our community, making superhero crafts and more.

Y Member Rate: \$210

Community Participant Rate: \$232

## Lil Scientist

Let your lil' scientist explore and experiment with new 'elements' each day! Activities will provide campers with hands-on learning to explore the world of science the camp-way.

Y Member Rate: \$210

Community Participant Rate: \$232

## Magical Make-Believer

Help us create our own magical story and bring it to life! From Fairy Tales to Candyland, the possibilities are endless. This is a fantasy camp involving storytelling, drama, food, and fun!

Y Member Rate: \$201

Community Participant Rate: \$232

## Mini Chefs

Campers learn some easy-to-make and easier-to-eat recipes for appetizers, main dishes and desserts – then we eat what we make!

Y Member Rate: \$210

Community Participant Rate: \$241

## Princess and Pirates Camp

Calling all Princesses and Pirates! Campers will be busy uncovering buried treasure, conquering uncharted lands, and becoming the kings and queens of your new realm. Come explore with us!

Y Member Rate: \$201

Community Participant Rate: \$232

## Silly Seuss

From **Hop on Pop** to **Green Eggs and Ham**, Silly Seuss Camp will be a slam! Have tons of fun out in the sun reading books to everyone. Unleash your imagination while you make your own creations. If you love to rhyme, you'll have a great time!

Y Member Rate: \$201

Community Participant Rate: \$232

## Stuffed Pet Vet

In a world where your favorite stuffed animals are getting injured and hurt, we are in need for more campers to help heal them. Campers will learn basic first aid skills, run a unique animal hospital and most importantly save their best friends! Don't forget to bring a stuffed animal to camp!

Y Member Rate: \$210

Community Participant Rate: \$232



# SPECIALTY CAMPS cont'd

## SPECIALTY CAMPS

Ages 7 years and up

### All Things Aqua

**\*Must be able to pass swim test**

Splash, splash, you'll have a blast in All Things Aqua Camp! Throughout the week, campers will learn swim strokes, dive techniques, and water safety skills. Not only will this camp get more swim time than traditional camp, but we will also include unique twists on water games such as water polo. If your camper loves making waves and swims like a fish this is the perfect camp for them. You can look forward to a swimtastic week!

Y Member Rate: \$218

Community Participant Rate: \$249

### Archery Camp-Beginner

Have an interest in learning archery or want to practice your techniques? Instructors will teach beginners how to shoot and help those who have taken the sport already to improve their form. In addition to daily shooting practice, instructors will cover advanced topics such as range safety, equipment operation, maintenance, and repair. The week will culminate in a camp archery tournament, where students can demonstrate their skills in a supportive, friendly competition.

Y Member Rate: \$208

Community Participant Rate: \$239

### Bowling Camp

Practice your splits, spares and strikes! Take trips to the local bowling alleys and learn bowling techniques. We will also have silly competitions. Multiple additional field trips this week.

Y Member Rate: \$256

Community Participant Rate: \$281

### Cardboard Creations

Get ready for a week-long adventure with cardboard! Use your imagination to construct carnival games, pirate ships, forts, castles and more—take your imagination to the next level! Caution: no hard hats required.

Y Member Rate: \$208

Community Participant Rate: \$239

### Cheer Camp

It's a week of age-appropriate instruction for your aspiring cheerleader, with a focus on YMCA character values. Cheers, movement, dance steps and dance routines are taught during this camp. The week ends with a high-spirited dance performance for family and friends. Bring your camera!

Y Member Rate: \$198

Community Participant Rate: \$229

### Climbing Camp

It's the summer to summit at the Milwaukee YMCA! Soar to new heights while spending the week learning basic rock climbing commands, rock climbing safety, and solo and team building activities. Think you're ready to conquer Mt. Itasca, Rite-Hite Family YMCA's 40ft. alpine tower? Test your strength to get to the top with climbing camp!

Y Member Rate: \$229

Community Participant Rate: \$260



## Cooking Camp

Learn how to make appetizers, main dishes and desserts and then eat what we make! Go home with recipes to cook for family and friends.

Y Member Rate: \$218

Community Participant Rate: \$249

## Diva Camp

Each day everyone will get pampered through fashion and fun. We will have hands-on training in skincare and age appropriate make-up application techniques, manicures and, of course, nutrition tips. Then learn modeling including turns, poses and walking techniques.

Y Member Rate: \$198

Community Participant Rate: \$229

## Don't Forget Your Passport

Traveling around the world seems like the perfect way to spend a week in the summer. Our campers will be doing just that as we "leave" our camp site each day and travel the world in our supersonic jet. Campers will see a different country each day, taste a new food, create an art project and learn how to say hello and goodbye in a different language. Adios... your plane is departing, and we hope you'll join us.

Y Member Rate: \$208

Community Participant Rate: \$239

## Double O Y

Get ready for a harrowing spy adventure! Spies in training must follow clues and connect the dots before it's too late! Campers must work together to solve the puzzles and uncover the mysteries surrounding their missions.

Y Member Rate: \$208

Community Participant Rate: \$239



## Drama Camp

Lights, camera, action! Learn about the theatre and get a behind the scenes view of productions. Learn how to create a set, direct a production, write a scene or script, enhance your acting skills, and market a show.

Y Member Rate: \$208

Community Participant Rate: \$239

## Fishing Camp

Love to fish? Then this camp is perfect for you, as we fish four days of the week in local lakes, ponds and rivers. Learn casting techniques, how to put bait on and take the fish off, and so much more! Campers are required to bring their own pole. Additional field trips are held this week too. \*Weather permitting – no refunds.

Y Member Rate: \$229

Community Participant Rate: \$260





# SPECIALTY CAMPS cont'd

## Gymnastics Camp

Campers will travel to the YMCA's Gymnastics Center in Mequon where they will be taught by our trained gymnastics coaches and learn the fundamentals of gymnastics on balance beam, uneven parallel bars, floor exercise and vault. Campers will have fun while learning new skills and overcoming obstacles. Our structured stations combined with hands-on learning will be sure to bring success with lots of fun.

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Y Member Rate: \$256

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Community Participant Rate: \$281  
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## Mad Scientist

Get ready to mix up some fun at Science Camp! Campers will study the environment, weather, physics, astronomy, bugs and wildlife – the possibilities are endless at Mad Scientist Camp.

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Y Member Rate: \$208

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Community Participant Rate: \$239  
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## Mud Camp

Ready to get your hands dirty and grow something? We'll learn how to grow vegetables, herbs and flowers in urban, suburban and rural settings. We'll visit private and formal gardens and we'll also go big with a visit to a full-sized agricultural farm.

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Y Member Rate: \$208

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Community Participant Rate: \$239  
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## May The Y Be With You

A week of Sci-Fi-tastic adventure! Our Jedis-in-Training will explore new planets, attend basic light-saber training, and use the Force to save the universe from the Dark Side. We hope you join us on our intergalactic quest!

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Y Member Rate: \$208

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Community Participant Rate: \$239  
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## Lego Camp

For campers who love to build with Legos, this educational camp takes physical science and technology concepts and applies them in a fun and creative way. Campers learn about forces and motion, simple machines, measurement, energy and more!

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Y Member Rate: \$250

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Community Participant Rate: \$281  
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## Lemonade Stand

Spend a week with us and get a glimpse into what it takes to run a successful business. Start with company structuring by assigning jobs, responsibilities and titles. Then test your product in the kitchen with a randomly selected panel. Finally, take your product to the public and sell as much lemonade as you can. All proceeds benefit youth programs.

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Y Member Rate: \$198

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Community Participant Rate: \$229  
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## Outdoor Survival Camp

Can you survive in the wild with just the supplies in your backpack? After a week with us you will be able to do just that! Campers will learn survival skills including making a fire, building a shelter and identifying wild edibles. Campers will also learn new skills such as hiking, navigation, archery and much more. This camp includes an overnight camping trip from Thursday to Friday.

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Y Member Rate: \$250  
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Community Participant Rate: \$281  
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## Super Sleuth

Masters of disguise are no match for our Super Sleuth campers. From mystery solving to scavenger hunts, we always solve the puzzles!

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Y Member Rate: \$208  
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Community Participant Rate: \$239  
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## Wizards, Witches & Warlocks

When you receive your acceptance letter to the University of Magic, you're in for a week of casting spells, mixing potions, and battling the evil creatures that live in the magic realm. Bond with the other students in your "house", and end the week by competing in a Quidditch tournament! All levels of wizardry accepted.

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Y Member Rate: \$208  
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Community Participant Rate: \$239  
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# SPECIALTY CAMPS WEEKLY SCHEDULE

	Rite-Hite Family YMCA	Brookfield Elementary	Greene Park	Wilson Park	Milwaukee Cty Sports Complex	Lincoln Park
<b>Week 1</b> <b>June 13-17</b>	Jr Superhero Drama Cardboard Creations	No camp this week	Jr Superhero Mad Scientist	Wizards, Witches & Warlocks	Lego Camp	Mad Scientist
<b>Week 2</b> <b>June 20-24</b>	Magical Make Believe Wizards, Witches & Warlocks Diva Camp	Jr. Legos Lego Camp	Lil Scientist Diva Camp	Mini Chefs	May The Y Be With You	Cooking Camp
<b>Week 3</b> <b>June 27-July 1</b>	Stuffed Pet Vet Lego Camp Fishing Camp	Jr Superhero Drama Camp	Magical Make-Believer Lemonade Stand	Cooking Camp	Drama Camp	Mini Chefs
<b>Week 4</b> <b>July 5-8</b>	Jr Lego Mad Scientist Cooking Camp	Stuffed Pet Vet May The Y Be With You	Stuffed Pet Vet Bowling Camp	Lil Scientist	Stuffed Pet Vet	Double O Y
<b>Week 5</b> <b>July 11-15</b>	Lil Scientist Bowling Camp Lemonade Stand	Mini Chefs Cooking Camp	Lil Scientist Lego Camp	Cheer Camp	Lego Camp	May The Y Be With You
<b>Week 6</b> <b>July 18-22</b>	Mini Chefs Diva Camp Archery Camp	Lil Scientist Mad Scientist	Mini Chefs Cooking Camp	Stuffed Pet Vet	Dino Detectives	Lego Camp
<b>Week 7</b> <b>July 25-29</b>	Princess & Pirates Outdoor Survival All Things Aqua	Dino Detective Mud Camp Outdoor Survival	Jr Lego Outdoor Survival	Bowling Camp Outdoor Survival	Bowling Camp Outdoor Survival	Bowling Camp Outdoor Survival
<b>Week 8</b> <b>August 1-5</b>	Magical Make-Believer Cooking Camp Climbing Camp	Jr Legos Lego Camp	Dino Detectives Wizards, Witches and Warlocks	Lego Camp	Diva Camp	Lil Scientist
<b>Week 9</b> <b>August 8-12</b>	Jr. Gymnastics Camp Gymnastics Camp Double O Y	Mini Chefs Cooking Camp	Silly Seuss Fishing Camp	Dino Detectives	Cooking Camp	Jr Lego
<b>Week 10</b> <b>August 15-19</b>	Dino Detectives Lego Camp Super Sleuth	Don't Forget Your Passport	Princess and Pirate May The Y Be With You	Don't Forget Your Passport	Mad Scientist	Cheer Camp



# PARENT INFORMATION

## TYPICAL DAY OF CAMP

(days vary per site)

Each day of camp brings an exciting new adventure for your camper. The following is a sneak peek at your camper's day at Y Day Camp:

**7 am:** Campers are offered a choice of structured activities during before-camp care. **(Campers will not be accepted after 9 am.)**

**8:30–9 am:** The day kicks off with an opening ceremony. Your camper will sing their hearts out, join in a camp-wide game, giggle at a counselor skit, test their brain with food for thought or even give their counselor a messy treat!

**9 am–4 pm:** After opening ceremony, campers will break off into their small groups and have a healthy have snack (ex. apples, bananas, goldfish crackers, graham crackers, pretzels, and string cheese). That's when campers start their day's activities centered on the week's theme. For Specialty Campers, their activities will be structured to fit the Specialty Camp.

Two to three times a week, your camper will cool off in the Milwaukee Y's or Milwaukee County Park's pools! Times and days differ by site. Campers ages 4 and 5 will have a built-in swim lesson within their swim time. We designate some time for our campers to take a break and enjoy some quiet cool-down time. This doesn't mean a nap time, however our younger campers will be given an opportunity to lay down for a nap. Campers can read a book, play board games, take on an art project or participate in spirit-mind-body talks.

**3:45–4:30 pm:** After an exciting day filled with amazing activities, groups will gather for their afternoon snack. Similar to the morning, groups will enjoy their snack and prepare for the day's closing ceremonies.

**4:30 pm (Pick-up Begins):** Following the closing ceremony, a wide-range of camper choice activities are set up offering different choices for different ages. Campers have time to catch up with

## DROP OFF/PICK UP LOCATIONS



Brookfield:	Outside entrance to the playground
Wilson Park:	Parking lot on 13th Street
Franklin Sport Complex:	Main entrance of Sports Complex
Rite-Hite Family YMCA:	Camp Entrance on the south side of Schroeder Aquatics Center
Northwest YMCA:	East main entrance of the building
Northside YMCA Bus stop:	Northside YMCA main entrance
Lincoln Park:	Outside the David F. Schulz pool house
Parklawn YMCA Bus Stop:	Parklawn YMCA main entrance
Greene Park:	Parking lot on East Lunham Avenue

## RAINY DAY DROP OFF/PICK UP LOCATIONS



Brookfield:	The Northeast door off the gym
Wilson Park:	Parking lot on 13th Street
Franklin Sport Complex:	Main entrance of Sports Complex
Rite-Hite Family YMCA:	Back side of building by tennis courts
Northwest YMCA:	East main entrance of the building
Northside YMCA Bus stop:	Northside YMCA main entrance
Lincoln Park:	Outside the David F. Schulz pool house
Parklawn YMCA Bus Stop:	Parklawn YMCA main entrance
Greene Park:	Parking lot on East Lunham Avenue

## OPEN HOUSES



We offer a variety of Open Houses for each location. For more information, including dates, please visit [ymcamke.org](http://ymcamke.org).

# PARENT INFORMATION cont'd

## CONFIRMATIONS

Day Camp registrars will send a confirmation to the e-mail address provided on the registration form. **Please allow two to three business days for processing.** You will be contacted by phone only if a camp is cancelled or filled. You can also call to confirm your reservation at 414- 276-YMCA (9622).

## DISCOUNTS/SUBSIDIES

### ADDITIONAL CHILD DISCOUNT

Milwaukee Y members receive 15% off when more than one child is enrolled. Community Participants receive 10% off. Discount applies to campers who are registered for the same week of camp (type of camp may vary). Discount applies to lowest camp rate.

### SCHOLARSHIP

The YMCA has a scholarship program that awards a percentage off of Day Camp to qualifying families based on income. Please talk to a staff member for more details on how you can apply for a scholarship.

### WISCONSIN SHARES (formerly known as W2)

Wisconsin Shares is a Child Care Subsidy program that authorizes the payment of a portion of camp fees through a third party. Families approved to use Wisconsin Shares are not required to pay a \$10 deposit for each week of camp. However, if registered for a Specialty Camp a deposit of \$25 per week is required. If a registration form is submitted, but is not yet approved for Wisconsin Shares, the camper will not be registered. We will keep their forms and register once approval has gone through. If you would like to guarantee a spot, you may put down a \$10 deposit per

week. Once the Day Camp Office registers the camper with the approved amount, we will inform families of their co-pay and start date. **Please allow two to three business days for registration processing.**

## HOW TO REGISTER

Complete the two-page registration and automatic payment form. Please clearly fill out information on EVERY line. Incomplete registration forms will not be accepted. Immunization information is required and must be on new registration forms each year.

There is a \$10 per week/per child deposit required (\$25 for Specialty Camps) to reserve your child's spot at camp. Include your camp deposit payment, decide your method of payment for the balance of each camp, and complete payment information on the registration form.

There are three ways to register:

MAIL

Mail your completed registration form and payment to:  
**YMCA Day Camp Registration**  
**161 W. Wisconsin Avenue, Ste. 4000**  
**Milwaukee, WI 53203**

FAX

You can fax completed forms with payment information to 414-224-3323.  
After you fax your information, call 414-276-YMCA (9622) to make sure the information was received.

E-MAIL

You can scan and e-mail all completed forms and payment information to [daycamp@ymcamke.org](mailto:daycamp@ymcamke.org)

## PAYMENT SCHEDULE

Camp Week	WEEKLY	MONTHLY
	Payment Due Date and Registration Deadline	Payment Due Date and Registration Deadline
Week 1 June 13- 17 .....	Friday, June 3 .....	June 1
Week 2 June 20-24 .....	Friday, June 10 .....	June 1
Week 3 June 27-July 1 .....	Friday, June 17 .....	June 1
Week 4 July 5-8 .....	Friday, June 24 .....	July 1
Week 5 July 11-15 .....	Friday, July 1 .....	July 1
Week 6 July 18-22 .....	Friday, July 8 .....	July 1
Week 7 July 25-29 .....	Friday, July 15 .....	July 1
Week 8 August 1-5 .....	Friday, July 22 .....	August 1
Week 9 August 8-12 .....	Friday, July 29 .....	August 1
Week 10 August 15-19 .....	Friday, August 5 .....	August 1
Week 11 August 22-26 .....	Friday, August 12 .....	August 1

**Late payments WILL result in a \$10 late fee.**

All payments must be made before child can attend camp each week.

Registration is limited and is based on availability, so please register early.

Registrations received after the deadline may not be accommodated and will result in a \$10 late fee.

## YMCA of Metropolitan Milwaukee Summer Day Camp Programs One form per child. A new form must be filled out each summer

## Camper Information

Child's First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ Gender ☐ M ☐ F Birth date \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_This will be my child's \_\_\_\_ year at Y Camp Age (as of June 1, 2016) \_\_\_\_\_ Child resides with ☐ Mother ☐ Father ☐ Both Other \_\_\_\_\_Swim Ability ☐ Beginner ☐ Intermediate ☐ Advance (All campers will still be swim tested weekly.) YMCA Member Number \_\_\_\_\_

## Parent/Guardian Information – Both parents must be listed or use N/A if not applicable.

#1 Parent/Guardian First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ Gender ☐ M ☐ F Birth date \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Address - Home (Street ,City, State, Zip) \_\_\_\_\_

☐ My address changed since last summer Home Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Where can we reach you while your child is at camp? Work Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Address \_\_\_\_\_

#2 Parent/Guardian First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ Gender ☐ M ☐ F Birth date \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Address-Home (Street ,City, State, Zip) \_\_\_\_\_

☐ My address changed since last summer Home Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Where can we reach you while your child is at camp? Work Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Address \_\_\_\_\_

## Emergency Contacts/ Others Authorized to Pick Child Up - Must put one other person other than parent or guardian. \* Can add more on a separate sheet of paper.

#1 First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to child \_\_\_\_\_

Address- Home (Street ,City, State, Zip) \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Numbers: Home \_\_\_\_\_ Work \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

#2 First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to child \_\_\_\_\_

Address- Home (Street ,City, State, Zip) \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Numbers: Home \_\_\_\_\_ Work \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

12 Medical and Behavior Questions to help us provide the best care to your child. All information is confidential to Y Staff.  
(ALL lines MUST be filled out. If something does not apply, please use N/A)

## 1. Has Your Child Had Any of the Following, if so, please explain

☐ Asthma ☐ Autism ☐ Diabetes☐ ADD/ADHD ☐ Epilepsy/Seizures ☐ Cerebral Palsy/Motor Disorder☐ Cognitively or Learning Disabled ☒ NONE (QUESTIONS 1-8)☐ Dietary Restrictions \_\_\_\_\_☐ Food/Milk Allergies \_\_\_\_\_

If child is allergic to milk, attach a statement from a medical professional indicating an acceptable alternative.

☐ Gastrointestinal or feeding concerns, including special diet and supplement \_\_\_\_\_☐ Non-Food Allergies \_\_\_\_\_☐ Status of Vision, Hearing & Speech \_\_\_\_\_☐ Other Conditions requiring Special Care \_\_\_\_\_

## 2. Triggers that may cause any of the issues noted above (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

## 3. Signs or symptoms to watch for \_\_\_\_\_

## 4. Steps the camp staff should follow \_\_\_\_\_

## 5. Identify any staff to whom you gave specialized training/instructions \_\_\_\_\_

## 6. When to call parents regarding symptoms or failure to respond to treatment \_\_\_\_\_

## 7. When to consider that the condition requires emergency medical care or reassessment \_\_\_\_\_

## 8. Additional Information that may be helpful to us \_\_\_\_\_

## 9. Emergency Numbers

Physician Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Location Address \_\_\_\_\_

## 10. List the MONTH, DAY AND YEAR the child received each of the following immunizations. DO NOT USE a (✓) or (x). If you do not have an immunization record for this child, contact your doctor or local health department to obtain the records.

TYPE OF VACCINE	1st Dose M/D/Y	2nd Dose M/D/Y	3rd Dose M/D/Y	4th Dose M/D/Y	5th Dose M/D/Y
Diphtheria-Tetanus-Pertussis Specify DTP, DTaP, or DT					
Polio					
Hib (Haemophilus Influenzae Type B)					
Hepatitis B					
Measles-Mumps-Rubella (MMR)					
Varicella (chickenpox) vaccine Vaccine is required only of the child has not had chickenpox disease.			Has child had Varicella (chickenpox) disease? Check the appropriate box and provide the year if known. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes year _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No or Unsure (Vaccine is required)		

☐ My child does not meet all immunization requirements. These Requirements can only be waived if a properly signed health, religious or personal conviction waiver is filed with the day camp. Visit ymcamke.org for forms.11. Is the child currently taking any medications? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, what kind and for what reason \_\_\_\_\_

If medication needs to be administered during YMCA Day Camp, a Medication Permission Form MUST be completed. Visit ymcamke.org for forms.

## 12. Sunscreen/Insect Repellent if provided by a parent, each bottle must be labeled

- ☐ I authorize the center to apply sunscreen to my child
- ☐ I authorize the center to allow my child to self-apply sunscreen
- ☐ My child may use any sunscreen provided by YMCA Day Camp (NO-AD SPF 30) if theirs runs out or is missing.
- ☐ If no, will only allow my child to use the sunscreen provided by parent:

Brand Name \_\_\_\_\_ Strength \_\_\_\_\_

- ☐ I authorize the center to apply repellent to my child
- ☐ I authorize the center to allow my child to self-apply repellent
- ☐ My child may use any repellent provided by YMCA Day Camp (OFF 25% Deet) if theirs runs out or is missing.
- ☐ If no, I will only allow my child to use the repellent provided by parent:

Brand Name \_\_\_\_\_ Strength \_\_\_\_\_



# YMCA DAY CAMP REGISTRATION

REGISTRATION PAGE 2 OF 2

CAMPER'S NAME

CAMP LOCATION (SEE PAGE 1)

CHILD'S START DATE

Name of school your child attends: \_\_\_\_\_

- ☐ TAKING BUS TO AND FROM NORTHSIDE YMCA, MILWAUKEE TO NORTHWEST YMCA.  
☐ TAKING BUS TO AND FROM PARKLAWN YMCA, MILWAUKEE TO YMCA AT LINCOLN PARK.

M: Member

CP: Community Participant

**Traditional Camp - Full Day**  
4 yr old M: \$198 CP: \$229  
5-12 yrs old M: \$184 CP: \$215  
\$10 deposit  
\* Weekly theme listed below

**Sports Camp - Full Day**  
Ages 7-12 only  
Rates M: \$184 CP: \$215  
\$10 deposit  
\* Check the week below and indicate location

**Specialty Camp - Full Day**  
Please write in the camp title found in this brochure.

\$25 deposit  
\* Rates and ages vary, please see Specialty Camp section of this brochure

**Parent/Guardian Authorization** I approve this application and certify that the applicant is capable of such an experience. I agree to pay the balance of the camp fees by Sunday at 8 pm one week prior to the start of each camp session. No refunds will be given unless the camp is cancelled by the YMCA or a doctor's authorized medical reason has been given. I understand that no refunds will be given if the child leaves early because of homesickness or disruptive behavior as determined by the Camp Director. Your child's spot is not confirmed until the weekly fee is paid in full prior to the start of the week.

By signing this form, I certify approval of good health of the camper, and, in the event that I cannot be reached in an emergency, authorize the YMCA staff/volunteers to render first aid; give permission to the physician selected by the YMCA of Metropolitan Milwaukee to hospitalize, secure proper treatment for and to order injections, anesthesia, or surgery for my child as named above. Prudent attempts will be made to contact the parent/guardian immediately. I understand in signing this form, I agree to release the YMCA of Metropolitan Milwaukee from any liability for the risks of illness, accidents or injury.

I grant permission for the applicant to participate in all planned camp activities, including out-of-camp trips by walking or bus and including rock wall climbing, high ropes course, hiking and horseback riding.

\* We cannot accommodate requests for campers to be in the same group. For a complete listing of Day Camp offerings and descriptions, visit [www.ymcamke.org](http://www.ymcamke.org).

## Payment and Deposit Information

Please note, registrations will not be processed without deposit and indicated method of payment.

Total deposit amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

I am paying: ☐ Monthly Payment: All registered weeks in month must be paid by the first of the month.  
☐ Weekly Auto Payment: You provide a valid credit card that will be automatically charged 10 days before start of camp.

Credit Card # \_\_\_\_\_ Exp: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

OR Check Enclosed: Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**This information will only be used for your deposits or full payment. To set up the Weekly Auto Pay option, you must fill out and submit an Automatic Payment Form.**

## Subsidy Provider Information

A current "Authorization of Service" must be on file before your child's registration will be accepted and registered.

Our family currently receives subsidy from:

- ☐ County/State/Wisconsin Shares  
☐ Third Party Agency  
☐ Other

Agency Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Paperwork submitted to County/Agency ☐ Yes OR ☐ No

Notes: \_\_\_\_\_

\* I understand that I am responsible for any amounts not covered by my Subsidy Provider:  
Initial \_\_\_\_\_

YMCA Provider #1000558721

## Ethnicity (optional)

- ☐ Native American  
☐ Caucasian/White  
☐ Asian/Pacific Islander  
☐ Hispanic  
☐ African American/Black  
☐ Alaskan Native  
☐ Other

## Household Income (optional)

- ☐ Less than \$14,999  
☐ \$15,000-\$24,999  
☐ \$25,000-\$34,999  
☐ \$35,000-\$49,000  
☐ \$50,000-\$74,999  
☐ \$74,000-\$99,999  
☐ \$100,000 or more

The YMCA of Metropolitan Milwaukee is not responsible for lost, stolen or damaged personal articles. Permission is also given to use any video or photographs that my child may be in for future YMCA promotions. I agree to waive any claims against the YMCA and its members and volunteers to injuries or damages that may result from the conduct of other persons, including participants in the YMCA programs. I also understand that the YMCA of Metropolitan Milwaukee reserves the right to withdraw a child from the program, at the YMCA's discretion, if the enrollment of the child negatively affects the integrity of the program and/or the YMCA's legal obligations through and under the Division of Children and Family Services (DCF 252).

I understand that a copy of the Wisconsin Rules for Licensing Day Camps and the YMCA Day Camp Policy Handbook will be available for my review online at [ymcamke.org](http://ymcamke.org).

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date



## AUTOMATIC PAYMENT OPTION FORM – YMCA DAY CAMP AUTHORIZATION AGREEMENT

I hereby authorize the YMCA of Metropolitan Milwaukee to automatically charge the credit card referenced below for my child's Summer Day Camp account balance. I understand that the balance for each session of camp will be charged on the Sunday eight days prior to each session.

Further, I understand that the charge to my account will take place on a weekly basis for the camp in which my child is enrolled. It is my responsibility to check my credit card statement and report any discrepancies to the Camp Site Director within 7 days of the charge in question. I understand that I am financially responsible for all payments. Should any charge be rejected by my financial institution for any reason, I agree to be responsible for that payment and any additional late fees incurred. If full payment is not made I agree to pay for all fees associated with the collection of funds.

I understand that it is my responsibility to notify the YMCA of Metropolitan Milwaukee of any change in my credit card information, including the expiration date, and that changes must be submitted in writing at least 7 business days in advance of the draft date.

This agreement will remain in effect until YMCA of Metropolitan Milwaukee receives a written notice of cancellation from me or until the end of camp.

### ACCOUNT INFORMATION

Print your name as it appears on card:

Credit Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

### SIGNATURE

Authorized Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Camp Location: \_\_\_\_\_ Member #: \_\_\_\_\_

Child #1 Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Child #2 Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Child #3 Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Child #4 Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Day Phone: (     ) \_\_\_\_\_ Evening Phone: (     ) \_\_\_\_\_

## Wisconsin Shares Child Care Assistance and YMCA Scholarship Information

Scholarships are available based on camp capacity, demonstrated need and the YMCA's ability to fund the assistance. In order to provide the most assistance for the largest number of people, we request that you first determine whether you are eligible for child care assistance through the county in which you reside. Once approved, send us a copy of your Notice of Decision and your YMCA Day Camp registration form. **Contact your Wisconsin Shares office early as you must be approved in the online Wisconsin Shares system before we can register your child.**

If it has been determined that you are ineligible for assistance through the county program, please ask for a letter of declination and we will gladly review your eligibility for assistance through the YMCA Scholarship Program. Scholarship applications are available at the Member Service Desk at all local YMCA Centers. Applicants need to supply their most recent W-2 forms and most recent tax returns.

### Contact Numbers by County

Milwaukee, Waukesha and Ozaukee County: 1-888-947-6583  
Washington County: 262-335-4610

### Wisconsin Shares Provider Numbers and Location IDs for State and/or County Child Care Assistance:

YMCA of Metropolitan Milwaukee  
Provider Number – 1000558721

### Location Numbers:

Brookfield Y Camp – 138  
Greene Park, St. Francis – 048  
Lincoln Park – 105  
Milwaukee Sports Complex, Franklin – 137  
Northwest YMCA – 072  
Rite-Hite Family YMCA – 012  
Wilson Park – 064



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