

A LETTER FROM OUR PRESIDENT & CEO

Dear Summer Camp Families,

Thank you for choosing YMCA of Southwest Florida for your child's summer day camp experience! You have given your child a wonderful gift – the opportunity to learn new skills, develop meaningful friendships and discover their potential.

Our goal is to nurture the strengths and abilities of every child and to find unique and creative ways to help them explore and develop their potential. We will introduce children to as many new experiences as possible and help each child feel confident and secure in a fun camp environment. This year, we are continuing to increase and enhance our summer camp offerings through specialty and traditional camps to ensure there is a camp for every child to thrive. We are dedicated to building strong kids to be a part of a strong community.

Summer is my favorite time of year at the Y!
I love watching our campers participate in games, activities,



sports, specialty classes, sing songs and form lifelong bonds. We are looking forward to a safe and exciting summer that instills confidence in your child and creates memories that will last a lifetime.

Thank you for choosing YMCA of Southwest Florida!

Sincerely,

Den J. James

Gene T. Jones
President and CEO



IMPORTANT SUMMER CAMP INFORMATION

HOW TO REGISTER!

- **1. Online** You can register directly on our website!
- Go to www.YMCASWFL.org homepage.
- Click on programs, then Online Program Registration
- Select a location
- Select day camp
- Select a camp!
- Follow prompt to create username or enter your username to move to checkout.
- Day camp registration requires a \$30 registration fee.
- A non-refundable deposit of \$25 will be due at registration per child per week.

2. At the Branch

Visit your local Y branch to pick up a full registration packet.

CAMP WEEK	PAYMENT DUE DATE
May 28th - May 31st	May 18th
June 3rd - June 7th	May 24th
June 10th - June 14th	May 31st
June 17th - June 21st	June 7th
June 24th – June 28th	June 14th
July 1st - July 5th	June 21st
July 8th – July 12th	June 28th
July 15th – July 19th	July 5th
July 22nd – July 26th	July 12th
July 29th – Aug 2nd	July 19th
Aug 5th – Aug 9th	July 26th

Our camp hours are 8:30am-4:30pm.

BEFORE CARE: is 6:30am-8:30am OR 7:00am-8:30am depending on your location. Before care has an additional fee of \$8/week that is selected at the time of registration. Before care is included for campers who receive ELC funding.

AFTERCARE: is 4:30pm-6:00pm OR 4:30pm-6:30pm depending on your location. Aftercare has an additional fee of \$8/week that is selected at the time of registration. Aftercare is included for campers who receive ELC funding.

REFUNDS AND CANCELLATIONS: Changed your mind? No problem! All cancellation requests must be made in writing at least 14 days prior to the start of the camp session. Cancellations will result in the forfeiture of the non-refundable deposit per session as well as non-refundable registration fee.

- A full refund (less the deposit and registration fee) will be issued if a written cancellation is received at least 14 days prior to the start of the camp session
- Cancellations made after the 14 day deadline are not eligible for a refund.

ENGLEWOOD OPEN HOUSE:

February 20, 2024 5:00-6:00PM March 6, 2024 5:00-6:00PM March 29, 2024 5:00-6:00PM April 15, 2024 5:00-6:00PM

PARENT ORIENTATION:

May 20, 2024 6:00-7:00PM

VIRTUAL PARENT ORIENTATION:

May 15, 2024 7:00-8:00PM

FAMILY EVENTS:

June 7, 2024 Sr Curtain Call Performance

June 14, 2024 Jr Englewood's Got Talent Show

June 21, 2024 Mini Dance Recital

July 5, 2024 Sr Englewood's Got Talent Show

July 12, 2024
Jr Curtian Call Performance

July 19, 2024 Mini Curtian Call Performance

NORTH PORT OPEN HOUSE:

February 21, 2024 5:00-6:00PM March 7, 2024 5:00-6:00PM March 28, 2024 5:00-6:00PM April 16, 2024 5:00-6:00PM

PARENT ORIENTATION:

May 21, 2024 6:00-7:00PM

VIRTUAL PARENT ORIENTATION:

May 16, 2024 7:00-8:00PM

FAMILY EVENTS:

June 28, 2024 Jr Savor the Flavor Pizza Party

July 12, 2024 Jr North Port's Got Talent Show

July 19, 2024 Mini Dance Recital

SUMMER CAMP CATEGORIES Some camp categories are not available at all locations.

TRADITIONAL CAMPS

Traditional Camps are a great option for the first time camper, the camper with too many interests to choose just one and the experienced camper that has been looking forward to seeing their camp friends all school year long! In Traditional Camp, campers enjoy all of the best that camp has to offer; everything from arts & crafts to wellness & exercise (don't worry—it's disquised as active group games!), and don't forget about science experiments, possible cooking projects or field trips, swimming and much more. Traditional Camp activities follow a central theme that changes each session so each time a camper comes in they are learning and experiencing new things. If you're looking for a fun, wellrounded experience for your camper, Traditional Camp is the one for you!



STEAM CAMPS

Immerse your camper in the exciting realms of Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Mathematics (STEAM) with our hands-on and collaborative camps. Led by experienced instructors, participants will create works of art, explore performance arts, embark on space exploration, delve into engineering marvels, or unravel science wonders through captivating experiments. Our camps cater to campers of all ages, promoting creativity and critical thinking. Join us this summer for an enriching STEAM experience that sparks curiosity & shapes future innovators.

SPORTS CAMPS

These camps offer a fun-filled sports environment with an emphasis on team work, sportsmanship and basic fundamentals. Part of the day will be spent on your camper's sport focus where they will focus on stretching, warm-ups, skill and drills, educational games and scrimmages. For the rest of the day, campers will experience all the other great activities the YMCA has to offer. Campers will create their next masterpiece in arts and crafts, explore nature and science, possibly take a dip in the pool and so much more.





CAMP ESTERO (BONITA SPRINGS)

Camp Estero Outdoor Day Camp is what summer should be: the fun and freedom of the outdoors while learning new skills and making great friends! Each week is filled with new activities to explore! Campers learn to respect and appreciate nature through fun adventures like: hiking, kayaking, wilderness projects and environmental education, arts and crafts, camp songs and many more surprises! Skilled Y camp staff teach teamwork and provide challenging, afe activities for each small group. Each camper will experience success-building skills that last a lifetime!

AOUATIC CAMPS

Have fun and keep cool this summer! YMCA Aquatic Camps are perfect for children of all ages. Each camper will spend at least two session blocks in the pool participating in a daily lesson, aquatic games and

> free swim, learning an important life skill. Campers are swim tested daily and placed in color-coded groups based on age and ability.



GYMNASTICS (VENICE)

Gymnastics programs at the YMCA range from classes and summer camps to competitive team. Learn and refine basic skills, improve your balance and coordination while gaining self-esteem. Practice bars, side handstands, beam routines, cartwheels and more. Gymnastics Camps are offered from 5 years and up.

TRAVEL CAMPS

Travel Camps take to the road with a combination of exciting field trips & activities in our camp facilities. Campers will enjoy new experiences by taking trips every day. Our trained camp counselors help to ensure every day is safe & supervised, so parents can rest easy knowing their young ones are in a secure environment. Trip destinations can include, but are not limited to, roller & ice-skating, historical destinations, indoor & outdoor amusement parks, pizza & movie day, swim destinations & much more. All travel campers should be dropped off at camp no later than 8:30am & can not be picked up early from any offsite locations.



ADVENTURE CAMP (ENGLEWOOD)

In adventure camps, campers will spend the day climbing the alpine tower, rock wall and low ropes course while improving their teamwork and communication skills. Led by certified climbing instructors, this adventure of a week will have campers reaching for new heights! Part of the day will be spent in your camper's specialty focus. For the rest of the day, campers will experience all the other great activities the YMCA has to offer.

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TEEN LEADERSHIP

At the Y, we help youth set and achieve their personal and educational goals. They gain confidence as they recognize the Y as a place where they belong and can feel comfortable exploring new interests and passions. A unique program designed especially for teenagers and a careful balance of program components has been created to foster creativity, adventure, peer interaction, leadership skills, values and friendships that will last a lifetime.

ENGLEWOOD YMCA CAMP

				Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11
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TO !	Ages	Member Cost	Non Member Cost	Jungle Jam	Enchanted Woods	Global Explorers	Treasure Hunt	Infinity & Beyond	Beach Bash	Time Travelers	Cartoons	Ooky Spooky	Olympics	Camp Spirit
ENGLEWOOD YMCA (701 MEDICAL BLVD. ENGLEWOOD, FL 34223)														
	5yrs-6yrs	\$150	\$187	Mini Trad	Mini Trad	Mini Trad	Mini Trad	Mini Trad	Mini Trad	Mini Trad	Mini Trad	Mini Trad	Mini Trad	Mini Trad
TRADITIONAL	7yrs-8yrs	\$150	\$187	Jr. Trad	Jr. Trad	Jr. Trad	Jr. Trad	Jr. Trad	Jr. Trad	Jr. Trad	Jr. Trad	Jr. Trad	Jr. Trad	Jr. Trad
	9yrs-11yrs	\$150	\$187	Sr. Trad	Sr. Trad	Sr. Trad	Sr. Trad	Sr. Trad	Sr. Trad	Sr. Trad	Sr. Trad	Sr. Trad	Sr. Trad	Sr. Trad
	5yrs-6yrs	\$187	\$234	Mini Aquatics		Mini Swim and Sports	Mini Swim and Craft		Mini Swim and Sports	Mini Aquatics			Mini Aquatics	Mini Swim and Sports
AQUATICS	7yrs-8yrs	\$187	\$234	Jr. Aquatics	Jr. Swim Team		Jr. Swim and Sports		Jr. Swim Team	Jr. Aquatics	Jr. Swim Team		Jr. Swim and Sports	Jr. Aquatics
	9yrs-11yrs	\$187	\$234		Sr. Swim Team				Sr. Triathlon		Sr. Swim Team			
ADVENTURE	7yrs-8yrs	\$187	\$234	Jr. Craft and Climb		Jr. Cook and Climb		Jr. Swim and Climb		Jr. Sport and Climb				Jr. Craft and Climb
ADVENTORE	9yrs-11yrs	\$187	\$234	Sr. Cook and Climb		Sr. Sport and Climb				Sr. Craft and Climb				Sr. Cook and Climb
TRAVEL	9yrs-11yrs	\$224	\$280	Sr. Travel: Destination Unknown				Sr. Travel: The Great Outdoors				Sr. Travel: Aqua Adventure		Sr. Travel: Destination Unknown
	12yrs-13yrs	\$224	\$280	Teen Travel				Teen Travel				Teen Travel		Teen Travel
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	5yrs-6yrs	\$164	\$206		Mini Basketball			Miini All Star Sports			Mini Soccer	Mini T-Ball		
SPORTS	7yrs-8yrs	\$164	\$206		Jr. All Star Sports	Jr. Flag Football	Jr. Floor Hockey	Jr. All Star Sports			Jr. Soccer	Jr. Basketball	Jr. Pickleball	
	9yrs-11yrs	\$164	\$206		Sr. Pickleball	Sr. Volleyball	Sr. Basketball			Sr. All Star Sports	Sr. Ultimate Frisbee		Sr. All Star Sports	
	5yrs-6yrs	\$172	\$215		Mini Slime Time	Mini Let's Paint	Mini Creative Dance	Mini Adventures in Art	Mini Lego Builders	Mini Kids Gone Crafty	Mini Curtain Call	Mini Let's Paint	Mini Mad Scientiest	
STEAM	7yrs-8yrs	\$172	\$215		Jr. Adventures in Art	Jr. Englewood's Got Talent	Jr. Kids Gone Crafty	Jr. Slime Time	Jr. Smart Art	Jr. Curtain Call	Jr. Savor the Flavor	Jr. Sensational Science	Jr. Kids Gone Crafty	
	9yrs-11yrs	\$172	\$215		Sr. Curtain Call	Sr. Paintbrush Palooza	Sr. Senstational Sciences	Sr. Claymation	Sr. Englewood's Got Talent	Sr. Savor the Flavor	Sr. Sensational Sciences	Sr. Art in 3D	Sr. Wearable Art	
	12yrs-13yrs	\$150	\$187		Leaders-in-Traini	ng				Leaders-in-Train	ing			
TEEN LEADERSHIP	12yrs-13yrs	\$172	\$215				Teen Savor the Flavor		Teen Art Academy				Teen Board Games Galore	
	14yrs-15yrs	\$150	\$187			Counselors-in-Tr	aining				Counselors-in-Tr	aining		
For individual camp descriptions and to register visit our website www.VMCASWEL org														

NORTH PORT CAMP

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		5yrs-7yrs	\$164	\$206				Mini Soccer			Mini All Star Sports			Mini T-Ball	
	SPORTS	8yrs-11yrs	\$164	\$206			Jr. Pickleball			Jr. Soccer			Jr. All Star Sports		
	STEAM	5yrs-7yrs	\$172	\$215		Mini Let's Paint	Mini Lego Builders		Mini Kids Gone Crafty	Mini Mad Scientist		Mini Dance	Mini Smart Art		
	STEAM	8yrs-11yrs	\$172	\$215		Jr. Senstational Sciences		Jr. Adventures in Art	Jr. Savor the Flavor		Jr. North Port's Got Talent	Jr. Smart Art		Jr. Art in 3D	
	TEEN	12yrs-15yrs	\$150	\$187			Teen Savor the Flavor			Teen Art Academy			Teen Board Games Galore		
	LEADERSHIP	12yrs-15yrs	\$150	\$187		Summer of Service		Counselors-in-Training			Counselors-in-Training			Summer of Service	
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WEEKLY SUMMER CAMP THEMES

Week of 5/28 - 5/31 Jungle Jam

Get ready for a jungle jam like never before! Campers may uncover hidden treasures in a safari scavenger hunt, create jungle beats in a music workshop, or craft wild art projects. Every day at camp is a wild ride of fun and discovery!

Week of 6/3 – 6/7 Enchated Woods

A realm of magic, mystery, and nature's wonders. Join us for a week where the ordinary transforms into the extraordinary, and every day is a journey through the enchanted heart of the woods!

Week of 6/10 - 6/14 Global Explorers

Embark on a global adventure! From conquering world wonders to savoring global cuisines, every day is a new exploration. Engage in cultural carnivals, language quests, and international sports tournaments. Join us for a short, dynamic, and unforgettable journey where the world becomes your playground!

Week of 6/17 - 6/21 Treasure Hunt

Gear up for an epic summer at camp, where the thrill of discovery takes center stage with an exciting treasure hunt. Campers will follow maps, solve puzzles, and uncover hidden treasures as you embark on the ultimate adventure!

Week of 6/4 - 6/28 Infinity & Beyond

Beyond the Stars invites campers to stretch their imagination, reach for the cosmic unknown, and discover the infinite possibilities that lie in the vast expanse of space. Get ready for a journey that goes beyond your wildest dreams!

Week of 7/1 – 7/5 Beach Bash

A coastal haven where every day is a beach bash celebration! Join us for a week of sun-soaked fun, laughter, and the carefree vibes of the shore!

Week of 7/8 - 7/12 Time Travelers

Where time is not a constraint but a canvas for endless adventures. A week where every moment is a step through the ages, and the journey through time is as boundless as your imagination!

Week of 7/15 - 7/19 Cartoons

Welcome to cartoon week, where the world of cartoons comes alive, and every day is a new episode of adventure and laughter!

Week of 7/22 - 7/26 Ooky Spooky

Where things go bump in the night. Join us if you dare for a thrilling, chilling, and hauntingly delightful experience!

Week of 7/29 – 8/2 Olympics

Where the pursuit of excellence meets the joy of friendship.
Join us for a summer of sportsmanship, cultural exchange, and the thrill of victory!

Week of 8/5 – 8/9 Camp Spirit

Join us for a summer where every moment is infused with the uplifting spirit that makes our camp truly special!

SUMMER CAMP LOCATIONS

CHARLOTTE COUNTY:

BURNT STORE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

11330 Burnt Store Rd. Punta Gorda, FL 33955 941-505-0999

COOPER STREET RECREATION CENTER

650 Mary St. Punta Gorda, FL 33950 941-505-0999 FRANZ ROSS YMCA

19333 Quesada Ave. Port Charlotte, FL 33948 941-629-9622

NEIL ARMSTRONG ELEMENTARY

22100 Breezeswept Ave. Port Charlotte, FL 33952 941-629-2220

LEE COUNTY:

BONITA SPRINGS YMCA

27200 Kent Rd. Bonita Springs, FL 34135 239-221-7560

BONITA SPRINGS RECREATION CENTER

26738 Pine Ave. Bonita Springs, FL 34135 239-221-7560

8791 Corkscrew Rd. Estero, FL 33928 239-221-7560

CYPRESS LAKES MIDDLE SCHOOL

8901 Cypress Lake Dr. Fort Myers, FL 33919 239-275-9622 FORT MYERS YMCA

1360 Royal Palm Square Blvd. Fort Myers, FL 33919 239-275-9622

LEHIGH ACRES MIDDLE SCHOOL

651Sunrise Blvd. Lehigh Acres, FL 33936 239-275-9622

THREE OAKS MIDDLE SCHOOL

18500 Three Oaks Pkwy. Fort Myers, FL 33967 239-221-7560

TRAFALGAR MIDDLE SCHOOL

2120 Trafalgar Pkwy. Cape Coral, FL 33991 239-275-9622

MANATEE COUNTY:

BRADENTON YMCA
3805 59th St. West
Bradenton, FL 34209
941-798-9622
LAKEWOOD RANCH HIGH SCHOOL
5500 Lakewood Ranch Blvd.
Bradenton, FL 34211
941-798-9622
LAKEWOOD RANCH YMCA
5100 Lakewood Ranch Blvd.
Bradenton, FL 34211
941-798-9622
PARRISH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SARASOTA COUNTY:

ENGLEWOOD YMCA 701 Medical Blvd.

121800 US 3010

Parrish, FL 34219

941-798-9622

Englewood, FL 34223 941-475-1234

IMAGINE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL NORTH PORT (Lower Campus)

1000 Innovation Ave.
North Port, FL 34289

941-475-1234 PALMER RANCH YMCA

8301 Potter Park Dr. S arasota, FL 34238

941-922-9622

SARASOTA CITY YMCA 1075 S Euclid Ave.

Saraosta, FL 34237 941-955-8194

SKY ACADEMY ENGLEWOOD

871 S. River Rd. Englewood, FL 34223 941-685-3150

ST. NATHANIEL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

4200 S Biscayne Dr. North Port, FL 34287 (941)475-1234

VENICE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

1200 Center Rd. Venice, FL 34292 941-493-9622 VENICE YMCA 701 Center Rd.

701 Center Rd. Venice, FL 34285 941-493-9622

Also Serving: DeSoto, Hendry and Glades Counties.



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