



Day Camp

YMCA 1/2 Day Summer Camp

**Kiddie Camp
Age 4-6**

**Youth Camp
Age 7-11**



**ALL Camps are Monday through Thursday.
There are no camps the week after the 4th of July.**

Rates for 2009
All 4-day camps
\$50/member and individual member
\$75/non-member

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

- Parents/guardians may drop children off at 9:00 a.m. and must pick them up no later than noon.
- For all campers safety, we require parent(s) or adult to drop off the children to a camp staff person each morning. This must be adult to adult. Siblings are not allowed to drop off or pick up campers unless they are over the age of 16 and we have a note from the parent. Please do not drop your children off at the front door You must come to the camp room to them pick up.
- Snacks will be provided by the YMCA each day. Let us know of any dietary restrictions or allergies your child may have.
- We have a great time however we are very messy at our camps so please dress your children in old clothes.
- Swim days are Tuesday and Thursday with the exception of Water, Water, Everywhere. Campers will swim every day for this camp.
- Sneakers are the REQUIRED footwear for ALL camps. Slip on shoes or sandals are not allowed. For their safety your child will not be allowed to participate in some activities if not wearing the proper footwear

Financial Assistance: The YMCA of Roanoke Valley turns no one away due to the inability to pay. If you need assistance for membership or program fees, please stop by the Member Service Desk at any branch. All such inquiries are confidential and are handled promptly. Financial assistance is made possible by the generosity of friends of the YMCA who donate to Partners of Youth, the annual giving campaign.

Kiddie Camp Ages 4-6

Week 1 Prehistoric Camp June 15th-June 18th 9am -12pm or 1pm-4pm

Take a step back in time to where the dinosaurs roam and the pterodactyls fly. Campers will make fossils and walk in the steps of a dinosaur. This is a great week for all those dino lovers!

Week 2 Fiesta Week June 22nd-June 25th 9am -12pm or 1pm-4pm

Bienvenidos Amigos (Welcome Friends) to our south of the border celebration. Fiesta goers will make maracas, piñatas, learn a little Spanish and taste the snacks of our neighbors to the south.

Week 3 Ships Ahoy June 29th-July 2 9am -12pm or 1pm-4pm

All Aboard our ship and take a voyage around the world learning about other cultures in different countries such as Japan and Germany. All first mates will learn how to tie knots, make eyeglasses and read a map. If we're lucky we'll have visitors from the United States Navy!

Week 4 Once Upon a Time July 13th-July 16th 9am -12pm

Once Upon a time in a land called the YMCA campers will learn about the wonders of fairy tales. Each day campers will focus on a different fairytale and make crafts from fairy tale land.

Week 4 Water, Water, Everywhere July 13th-July 16th 1pm-4pm

If your camper likes to get wet, this is the camp for them. Sponges, spray bottles, water balloons and everything else we can think of to keep wet and cool for these hot summer afternoons.

Week 5 Lets Go Buggy July 20th -July 23rd 9am-12pm or 1pm-4pm

If your camper is into beetlemania, lightning bugs, ladybugs, butterflies and more this is the camp for them. Of course we'll go on a bug hunt, make buggy crafts and have buggy inspired snacks. Campers will get to create their own bug!

Week 6 Jungle Jive July 27th -July 30th 9am-12pm or 1pm-4pm

Lions and tigers and bears Oh My! Okay, maybe no bears but definitely lions and tigers. Journey with us through our own jungle, Gunga Galunga, and discover slithering snakes, colorful flowers and exotic animals

Week 7 Anything Goes August 3rd-August 6th 9am-12pm

Anything goes in this camp of surprises. We'll have a new theme each day but campers won't know what it is until they get there. Campers will get a bit of a hint the day before.

Week 7 Sand & Sun August 3rd-August 6th 1pm-4pm

Take a four day vacation to the "beach" and never leave the Y. Campers will make their own surfboards, sandcastles and play lots of beach games. They will also savor some cool summer treats. Don't forget the sunscreen.

Summer Camp Ages 7-11

Week 1 Team Survivor June 15th-June 18th 9am-12pm or 1pm-4pm

Tribal teams will have to make their own camp and compete in tribal challenges that will need mental and physical skills. Campers will need to wear old clothing because they will be painting and playing outside. The key to success is teamwork.

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Week 3 Amazing Race June 29th-July 2 9am-12pm

Campers will be divided into travelling teams to discover the countries of Germany, Iceland, Japan, & Australia. There will be detours and roadblocks on the way. We'll race to the finish each day and start over again the next day.

Week 3 Great Chefs of the Y June 29th-July 2 1pm-4pm

Calling all budding chef's in the Roanoke Valley! Let your child's creative juices flow. Campers will learn how to make their own snacks and compile favorite recipes into a cookbook that they can take home and try out on Mom and Dad.

Week 4 Camp OUT! July 13th-July 16th 9am-12pm

Join us for an outdoor excursion while we "camp out" during the day. We'll set up a camp, make crafts from mother nature's supplies, and of course we can't forget the s'mores!!

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Week 5 Princess Camp (Ages 4-8) July 20th-July 23rd 9am-12pm or 1pm-4pm

The one camp your little budding princess can't miss. We will bring out the inner princess in your little one. It's four days of girl power, girlie crafts and all things Pink! Parents: Don't miss the crowning ceremony on Thursday at the end of the day.

Week 6 YMCA You've Got Talent July 27th-July 30th 9am-12pm

Watch your children shine as campers will showcase their talents. You talent could be singing, dancing, or something completely different. The talent show will be held on Thursday at the end of camp.

Week 6 Arctic Blast July 27th-July 30th 1pm-4pm

Let's take a break from the heat and visit the arctic circle. We will even attempt to make a snowman. We will make ice cream, snow crafts, and play the coolest games in town. Polar bears and icicles will be plentiful.

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