ROCHESTER AREA FAMILY YMCA SUMMER CAMP



Summer 2017

No. 7



We have officially completed half of our summer camp program. The summer is flying by!

Openings are still available later in the summer if you are looking for additional care. We love referrals and would be happy to help your family and friends too!

If you ever have any questions or concerns about anything, please talk to one of the directors. Ben is at the camp desk in the morning and LeeAnn is at the camp desk in the afternoons.



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CHECK-IN

Camp check-in will be done at the camp desk inside the back door of the Y. **Please use the back entrance of the Y for camp check-in.**

(this entrance is only to be used for camp, all other check-ins will need to be done through the front entrance)

- Please sign your camper in to the appropriate camp.
- Any balances for that week will need to be paid for that week.
- Monday check-in: Campers will all be meeting outside in designated areas per camp. We would appreciate
 your help in getting your child to the right camp area (there will be signs on picnic tables). Your camper can
 leave their backpack/lunch on the picnic table and enjoy the gathering activities with the counselors.
- Tuesday Friday check-in: After being checked in, campers will put their bags on the hooks in the Family Locker Room and proceed to third floor for pre-care activities.

CHECK-OUT

Camp check-out will be done at the camp desk (using the back door of the Y).

Camp check-out will be very similar to check-in, with a parent (or designated adult) signing the child out. Please make sure your camper has all their belongings. All camper items will be in the backyard (weather permitting).

PARKING

There will be a couple designated parking spots for camp drop off and pick up in the north parking lot.

HOURS

Camp will begin each morning at 9:00 am and will go until 4:00 pm each afternoon, starting and ending with songs, games and announcements each day.

Pre-care is available each day beginning at 6:30 am and going until 9:00 am. **Post-care** is available until 6:00 pm each night. There will be a \$1 per minute charge after 6:00 pm.

CAMP PHONE The camp cell phone number is 507-421-0031. Please use this number to contact camp staff throughout the summer.

WHAT TO BRING TO CAMP

Please bring the following each day:

- Morning snack
- Lunch
- Sunscreen
- Bug Spray
- Water bottle

- Swim Days...please bring:
- Swim suit
- Towel

Remember those snacks and water!

We run a very active camp and it is important that your camper has enough lunch and snacks to last them through the day.

Please label all items.

All other campers swim at the Y on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.

(Please have camper come to the Y in their swimsuit on Fridays—they will be

Kindergarten Kampers swim at the Y on Wednesdays and Fridays.

Please DO NOT bring:

swimming in the morning).

- Valuables
 Jewelry
- Cell phones
- Tablets

The Y is not responsible for lost or stolen items.

Etc.

Please be aware that some campers and staff may have nut allergies. To help everyone have the #bestsummerever, we do try to have a nut free facility.

FIELD TRIP INFO

Week of July 24th - Rochester Honkers Game against the LaCrosse Loggers. This will be held on Wednesday, July 26th.

This will be a walking field trip

over to the field. The game is at 12:05pm and all campers will be back by 4pm at the latest.

If you know that you need to pick your child up early that day, please let camp staff know at sign-in.

Remember to wear your green camp shirt if you have received one. Shirts are available for all new campers at the Camp Desk.

Kindergarten Kamp will be going on this field trip.

SPECIALTY CAMP INFO

Week of July 24th—Ag Science at the Olmsted County Fair. It would be best for participants to wear close toed shoes as they will be visiting livestock barns at the fairgrounds.

CELL PHONE USE

Please remind your camper or LIT that phones are not to be used at camp. We attempt to be a screen free summer camp environment. Your cooperation with this would be much appreciated.



PHOTOS



View photos that we have taken of Summer Camp on our Facebook page!

<u>Click here to view or find it under the album</u> <u>"Summer Camp at the Y 2017"</u>

Register for all Y Summer Camps at <u>camp@rochfamy.orq</u> or calling 507.287.2260

Remember to wear your green camp shirt on Wednesday!