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# 850 kids. 11 locations.

One unforgettable summer.





# YMCA SUMMER DAY CAMP

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YMCA summer programs are high-quality, affordable and convenient all summer long. Choose from week-long **Specialty Camp** or traditional **Day Camp** (K-6). And, with nearly 10 YMCA pools, you're never too far to access swimming lessons for every age and ability.

The YMCA's wide menu of summer activities allows you to plan a varied, fun summer all at one place. Try our Day Camp for a summer full of nature, water fun, games, field trips, sports, arts and crafts, and new friendships. A week or so of Specialty Camp will allow your child to make new discoveries and explore activities of interest such as a variety of sports, art/theater/music, science and more.

The YMCA offers leadership opportunities through our **Counselor in Training program** (13-17 years). This unique program teaches teens how to be camp counselors. Make new friends through team-building, competition games and social activities. Shadow camp leaders and gain practical hands-on experience.



## Life-long Impact

YMCA summer youth programs are tons of fun but also instructive for life. Our staff provides activities that have a positive, life-long impact on your child through:

- Developing self-confidence and independence
- Communicating core values of respect, responsibility, honesty, caring, faith and fun
- Creating lasting friendships and lifelong memories
- Encouraging learning and exploration
- Infusing fun and good health into daily activities



## Quality Matters

As the largest provider of summer camps in the United States, the YMCA makes sure that kids have fun but also learn to socialize, share and develop new interests. **YMCA Day Camp nurtures the healthy, successful growth of every camper by emphasizing values such as caring, honesty, respect and responsibility.** And, we make sure you know about and are comfortable with the activities your child takes part in every day.

In a quality program like the YMCA's, staff are upbeat and interact with campers with warmth, patience, understanding and fairness. In addition, they:

- Are responsive to a wide range of camper's feelings, needs, cultures, abilities and languages
- Encourage leadership skills in campers by letting them offer ideas to expand or enrich an activity, and to suggest and initiate activities
- Allow campers to make and learn from their own mistakes

We also make sure that there are positive relationships among staff. We know that campers look to camp staff as role models, watching and learning as they cooperate, communicate and solve problems with each other. Our camp staff spend time developing relationships with families and understand that open communication between staff and parents is critical for the well-being of each camper.

## A Great Environment

The physical environment of YMCA camps creates learning and growth opportunities as campers interact, discover and play. Whether outdoors at YMCA Camp Sherwin, our branch campus a local park or playground, or in a classroom setting with access to the outdoors, we make sure that every camp provides a safe and interesting environment.

## 2010 Summer Day Camp Rates

- Weekly YMCA member rates for K-6 grade begin at \$105, non-member rate at \$115
- Daily YMCA member rates begin at \$26.25, non-member rate \$28.75
- Weekly YMCA member rates for Teens begin at \$90, non-member rate \$100
- Daily YMCA member rates for Teens begin at \$32.50, non-member rate at \$35

## YMCA Summer Day Camp Locations

To schedule your camper for one unforgettable summer, simply call the Summer Day Camp location of your choosing:

### YMCA Camp Sherwin

8600 West Lake Rd., Lake City  
(814) 882-4939

### County YMCA

12285 YMCA Dr., Edinboro  
(814) 734-5700

### Downtown YMCA

31 West 10th St., Erie  
(814) 455-9356

### Early Learning Center

3507 Poplar St., Erie  
(814) 464-2980

### Early Learning University

301 Darrow Rd., Edinboro  
(814) 734-8020

### Eastside YMCA

2101 Nagle Rd., Erie  
(814) 899-9622

### Glenwood Park YMCA

3727 Cherry St., Erie  
(814) 868-0867

### Northwestern Elementary

John Williams Ave., Albion  
(814) 756-0514

### St. Peter's Waterford

100 E. Third St., Waterford  
(814) 882-3261

### Summit United Methodist Church

1510 Town Hall Rd., Erie  
(814) 882-6792

### Wattsburg Elementary Center

10780 Wattsburg Rd., Wattsburg  
(814) 825-2706

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May 10 and save!**