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YOUR SUMMER OF FRIENDSHIP AND FUN

YMCA OF VINCENNES
Summer Day Camp
2026 Registration Information

May 26 – July 31, 2026
Closed Memorial Day
Hours: 6:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

2026 Rates:
$100/week Members
$160/week Non-Members
Financial Assistance Available

YMCA OF VINCENNES
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vincennesymca.org

YMCA of Vincennes Entering Kindergarten through Entering 6th Grade Summer Day Camp 2026

Welcome to the YMCA of Vincennes Summer Day Camp! We are looking forward to another exciting summer and we are excited that you are considering being a part of the YMCA experience. Our qualified, experienced staff will provide a safe and caring environment where your child will make new friends, enjoy new experiences and have fun. Our program runs Monday through Friday from 6am-6pm. We offer arts and craft, games, enrichment activities, swimming, field trips, guest speakers, and much more. Our camp is open to children who entering Kindergarten (Fall 2026) through the completion of fifth grade (entering 6th grade in Fall 2026).

Enclosed you will find all the information that you need in order to prepare your child and yourself for the summer camp program. Please read over the general information and the registration materials. Feel free to call the YMCA if you have additional questions. You can return the registration materials with the registration fee of
$40.00 per child ($60 max for families) and the first week payment (due by May 23) to the YMCA of Vincennes at 2010 College Avenue, Vincennes, IN 47591.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact us any time. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Aaron Nehls
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A TYPICAL DAY AT SUMMER CAMP

One of the questions parents ask most is, "What will my child do this summer?" The answer is.....A LOT! As soon as your child arrives, we pack the day with activities based around that week's theme. The program follows a rotation schedule so every child gets the opportunity to try new experiences and activities they know and love. Below is a schedule.

EXTENDED CARE

6:00 am to 8:30 am

Children will be able to choose from a variety of activities individually or in small groups to help everyone prepare for a day of fun!

OPENING CIRCLE / ATTENDANCE / SNACK

8:30 am to 9:10 am

The day kicks off with an exciting and energetic celebration!

ACTIVITY ROTATIONS

9:15 am to 12:00 pm

Daily rotations will vary depending on this week's theme, but could include activities like group games, arts and crafts, sports, and guest speakers, etc.

LUNCH

11:00-11:45 am (K-2nd Grade Lunch); Noon-12:45 pm (3rd-6th Grade Lunch)

Children take a break to eat and recharge. This is also a great time to socialize with friends!

ACTIVITY ROTATIONS/SWIM TIME

1:00-1:45 (K-2ND Grade Swim Time); 2:00-2:45 (3rd – 6th Grade Swim Time)

After refueling, children are ready for more action and will rotate around the space to try new activities which also includes swimming.

CLOSING CIRCLE / SNACK

3:30 to 4:00 pm

Children will come together to close on another awesome day at YMCA Summer Camp!

EXTENDED CARE

4:00 pm - 6:00 pm

A variety of activity options intended to engage campers individually or in small groups will be offered as we wind down from the exciting day at the Y.

QUESTIONS?

Contact us at the YMCA by calling 812-895-9622 (main line); or on Camp Phone 812-830-9438; or email Aaron at youthandfamily@vincennesymca.org

YMCA Summer Camp Information to Know

- Camp operates from May 26 through July 31, 2026 (10 Weeks)
- Camp is closed on Memorial Day (May 25)
- Camp hours of operations: 6am-6pm

- We only offer full-time rates (3 or more days), and Part-Time Rates (Two or less days).
- Financial Assistance is available for those who qualify
- Camp rates are as follows: YMCA Member $100/week (based on camper's member status); Non-Member $160/week
- Payment can be made on a weekly, bi-weekly, or monthly basis
- **A form of payment is REQUIRED to be on file (credit card or EFT Bank draft)**
- All payments will be drafted on the Friday prior to the upcoming week of camp, i.e., 1st payment is due by Friday, May 23, and every Friday after.
- **You are not required to pay for weeks your camper is not in attendance.**

- **Campers are required to bring their own lunch. VCSC Summer Feeding Program is still TBD.**
- We SWIM daily during the summer – Please pack proper swim gear.
- Campers are required to wear closed-toed shoes (tennis shoes) and socks daily.
- Please leave all toys, electronic devices (Cell Phones, tablets, etc), and other non-camp approved items at home. YMCA is not responsible for camper possessions that are lost, stolen, or damaged. Camp has the right to confiscate any items brought to camp. They will be returned at the end of the day.
- Parents will drop off campers at the entrance gate of Summer Camp – passenger side of vehicle facing entrance gate. A counselor will meet your camper at the gate and escort them into camp. Counselors will sign in your child for the day.
- Pick-up will be like drop-off, with one change; Parents are required to send a text to the YMCA Camp phone (812-830-9438) informing us that you are on your way for pick-up. Please include camper name in text. A counselor will bring your camper to the car.
- Campers are divided up according to grade level (grade entering in the fall of 2026) during daily activity schedule: K-1; 2-3; 4-6
- A good portion of our day is spent outdoors, so please dress your child accordingly. They will get sweaty and dirty, possibly wet, and muddy.

Please read through registration packet and make sure all papers are filled out before you turn registration back to the YMCA. An incomplete packet will delay the completion of the registration process. This summer, we will be limiting camper registrations to 150 participants.

General Information

Mission
To put Christian principles into practice through programs that build healthy spirit, mind and body for all.

Core Values
The Y focuses on our four core values of Caring, Honesty, Respect and Responsibility within all of our programming. Please help us by encouraging the values at home.

Dates/Time
Camp will begin Tuesday, May 26, 2026 and run through July 31, 2026. Please note that camp will be closed on Memorial Day and July 4 in observance of Independence Day. Our regular hours are 6 AM to 6 PM, Monday through Friday.

Sign In/Out Policy
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Guest Speakers/Field Trips
Our program is enhanced by various guests and outside experiences. Guest speakers will be offered over the course of Summer Camp. Field trips will be posted one (1) week in advance. On field trip days, children must be at camp by 9am, unless otherwise notified by staff or director.

What to wear or bring to camp
- Closed-toe shoes (tennis shoes) and socks daily; Slides, flip-flops should not be worn. Crocs are acceptable
- Shorts
- T-shirt
- One-piece swim suit (no bikinis)
- Towel
- Backpack
- Refillable water bottle (please do not send soft or energy drinks. Water, juice or Gatorade type drinks are fine)
- Lunch (please choose healthy options and pack it in such a way that it does not require refrigeration

Remember, kids get dirty; don't dress in good clothes. Most importantly, label all of your child's belongings (first and last name, not initials) as things get taken out of backpacks. Items may get left behind and we end up with a lot of lost and found with no way of knowing who it belongs to.

What not to wear or bring to camp
- Money/Jewelry
- Knives or any type of weapon
- Clothing that promotes vulgarity, alcohol or tobacco
- Open toed shoes (sandals and flip-flops are not adequate footwear)
- Bikini swimsuits
- Toys
- Any Type of Electronic Device - Cell Phones or laptops

The Y is not responsible for camper possessions that are lost, stolen or damaged. The best way to prevent the loss of property is to leave valuables at home. In general, please do not send your child to camp with any toys. All items necessary for the activities are provided.

2026 SUMMER DAY CAMP FEES

The YMCA Summer Day Camp will begin on May 26, 2026, and conclude on Friday, July 31, 2026, offering a total of 10 weeks of camp this summer. Please note that camp will be closed on Memorial Day.

To register: Complete registration packet, EFT agreement (REQUIRED), and swimming information forms in their entirety. Bring all completed forms, plus registration fee ($40/child; $60/family max.) and first payment (see below) to the YMCA of Vincennes on or before Friday, May 23. Financial assistance applications must be turned in no later than Friday, May 20.

Next: Select your payment option

1. Pay the total balance due (entire summer) on or before Friday, May 23, 2026, OR
2. Pay weekly, bi-weekly, or monthly with EFT Payment no later than Friday prior to each Monday of a camp week. First payment is due by Friday, May 23, 2026.

Camp Fees – Member rates are based on child's membership status

Full-Time Rates are for 3 or more days in attendance; Part-Time Rates are two or less days in attendance. We do not charge for weeks camper is not in attendance.

Total Balance Due for Summer (one time pay)

YMCA Member	$1000.00
YMCA Member Sibling Discount (20%)	$800.00
Non-Member	$1600.00
Non-Member Sibling Discount (20%)	$1300.00

Weekly Rates (10 weeks)

YMCA Member	$100.00
YMCA Member Sibling Discount (20%)	$80.00
Non-Member	$160.00
Non-Member Sibling Discount (20%)	$130.00

Part-Time Rates

Single Child

YMCA Member	$50/Week
W/Sibling Discount	$40/Week

Additional Children

Non-Member	$80/Week
W/Sibling Discount	$65/Week

YMCA of Vincennes Membership

An annual youth membership (0-17 years of age) is $17.00/month or $204.00/year. A family membership is $55.00/month or $660.00/year.

Financial Assistance Available

We believe that everyone deserves the Y, so we offer financial assistance to individuals and families who might otherwise not be able to afford membership or program fees. Reduced rates for camp fees are available for those who qualify.

2026 Summer Day Camp Registration Form

Campers Name _____ DOB ____/____/____ Grade in Fall 26 _____ Sex _____

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Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Parent Information

Mother Name _____ DOB ____/____/____ Email address _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone # _____ Employer _____ Work # _____

Father Name _____ DOB ____/____/____ Email address _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone # _____ Employer _____ Work # _____

Authorized Pick Up and Emergency Information

Please provide the names of individuals, besides the camper's parent/guardian listed above, who are authorized to pick up the listed campers or make emergency decisions if a parent/guardian cannot be reached. The summer camp staff is instructed *not* to release campers to anyone whose name is not on this list. It is the parent/guardian's responsibility to keep this information current. Please notify the camp director by email or phone of any changes. The camp director must also be informed of any special custody arrangements that might prevent a parent/guardian from picking up the camper(s). The YMCA of Vincennes Summer Camp staff reserves the right to request identification and may refuse to release a camper if they deem the pickup situation unsafe.

Name _____ DOB ____/____/____ Email address _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone # _____ Relationship to camper _____

Name _____ DOB ____/____/____ Email address _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone # _____ Relationship to camper _____

Participation Waiver

Waiver, In consideration of my participation and/or my child's participation in the activities of the YMCA OF VINCENNES, I do hereby agree to hold free from any and all liability the YMCA OF VINCENNES, Board Members, representing officers, employees, volunteers and members and do hereby for myself, my heirs, executors and administrators, waive, release and forever discharge any and all rights and claims for damages or injuries which I or my child may have or which may hereafter accrue to me or my child arising out of or connected with me or my child participating in any of the activities of the YMCA OF VINCENNES. I hereby do declare my child to be physically sound to participate in the activities at the YMCA OF VINCENNES. Pictures taken during activities at the YMCA OF VINCENNES may be used for marketing purposes. I understand this specific release may be revoked at any time by written request. To the best of my knowledge, the information on this form is complete and accurate. I have read and agree to these terms and conditions.
PLEASE NOTE: THE YMCA DOES NOT FURNISH ACCIDENT/ILLNESS MEDICAL INSURANCE. MEDICAL BILLS, INCLUDING PRESCRIPTION DRUGS, WILL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE PARENTS.

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____

Please tell us which week(s) your child(ren) will be in attendance during Summer Camp.

WEEK	ATTENDING	PLEASE INDICATE DAYS ATTENDING	NOT ATTENDING
Week 1 May 26-31 Closed Memorial Day	☐	~~M~~ T W T F	☐
Week 2 June 1-5	☐	M T W T F	☐
Week 3 June 8-12	☐	M T W T F	☐
Week 4 June 15-19	☐	M T W T F	☐
Week 5 June 22-26	☐	M T W T F	☐
Week 6 June 29-July 3	☐	M T W T F	☐
Week 7 July 6-10	☐	M T W T F	☐
Week 8 July 13-17	☐	M T W T F	☐
Week 9 July 20-24	☐	M T W T F	☐
Week 10 July 27-31	☐	M T W T F	☐

Summer Day Camp Payment Agreement

Summer Day Camp fees: If payment is not made by the Friday before Monday of camp week, your child will not be allowed to attend camp.

Please choose your payment options

_____ One-time payment by May 22, 2026

_____ Monthly payment (4 weeks) – May 22, June 19, July 17 (2 weeks)

_____ Bi-Weekly payment (2 weeks) – May 22, June 5, June 19, July 3, and July 17

_____ Weekly payments by the Friday prior to each week of camp (1st Payment is Due May 22)

Please choose method of payment (EFT/Credit Card Payment is RECOMMENDED)

_____ Check or cash at the Day Camp or front desk of the YMCA

_____ EFT draft from checking/Savings – We need a completed EFT agreement form and a copy of a voided check

_____ Credit Card Draft - We need completed EFT agreement form and your credit card information.

- Additional fees will be assessed if checks, EFT drafts or credit cards charges are returned due to insufficient funds or incomplete account information. If your bank charges the YMCA, that fee will be charged to your account.
- When a third party, such as DHS, CPS, Willows, etc., is paying either partial or full child care payments, parents are responsible for keeping all paperwork current. Also, if the third party does not pay the full amount of child care fees it is the responsibility of the parent to pay the remaining balance.
- Summer Day Camp is open from 6am-6pm. Parents whose children remain past 6:10pm will be charged a late pick-up fee of $1.00 per minute after 6:10pm. Payment will be added to weekly rate. **Proper authorities will be called for any child left 30 minutes past the 10-minute grace period.**

I understand this payment policy and agree to adhere to the payment plan outlined above. I also understand that not adhering to this payment plan will result in my child(ren)'s removal from the YMCA Summer Day Camp. If I choose to remove my child from the Summer Day Camp I will complete and submit a completed termination form or I will be responsible for the remaining fees.

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____

Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) Application

Authorization Agreement

I hereby authorize the YMCA of Vincennes to initiate electronic fund entries to my:

- ☐ Checking
- ☐ Savings
- ☐ Credit/Debit Card

Indicated below, and I authorize the financial Institution named below to charge my account.

If Checking/Savings please provide the following:

Name of Bank: _____

Account Number: _____

Routing Number: _____

If Credit/Debit Card please provide the following:

Card Type (circle):

Visa MasterCard AMEX Discover

Card Number: _____

Expiration Date: _____

Terms and Conditions

1. I understand that if I wish to terminate or change my payment in any way, I must notify the YMCA before next scheduled payment is drafted.

   Account Holder Initials _____

2. Should and deductions not be honored by my bank for any reason, I realize that I am responsible for the payment, plus a service charge of no more than $25 applied by the YMCA. This is in addition to any service fee my bank may make.

   Account Holder Initials _____

3. I understand that it is my responsibility to notify the YMCA should I change my financial institution and or account at any time.

   Account Holder Initials _____

The YMCA of Vincennes is not responsible for any bank fees associated with your electronic payments

Name _____

Signature _____

NOTICE:
This authorization remains in effect for the entire Summer Camp Season or until the YMCA receives a formal notification to change or cancel.

I request that payment be drafted for summer camp as indicated below:

☐ 1 Full Time Payment (May 22, 2026)

☐ 12 Weekly Payments (May 22-July 24, 2026)

☐ 5 Bi-Weekly Payments
May 22 June 5 June 19 July 3 July 17

☐ 3 Monthly Payments
May 22 June 19 July 17 (2 Weeks)

Here for You—Summer Camp

Financial Assistance Application

Applicant Information

Name

Address

City, State, Zip

Phone #

Email

Please list all children applying for Financial Assistance for Summer Camp

Name	Grade	DOB

TELL US MORE. Use this space to tell is why you would like for your kids to be a part of the YMCA Summer Camp Program.

Provide the following documents
(REQUIRED BEFORE PROCESSING)

O I FILED FEDERAL TAXES FOR 2025

1040 Federal Tax Form is required

$_____
Total Annual Household Income

O I DID NOT FILE FEDERAL TAXES FOR 2025

Please provide documentation of most recent income (paystub or government assistance)

$_____
30 Day Income

I verify that all information is correct, complete, and accurate and give the YMCA permission to my employer or other agency for income verification. If my situation changes, I agree to notify the YMCA with update information within 14 days of change. The YMCA has the right to cancel my scholarship if any of the provided information is false or inaccurate.

Name _____Date _____