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ANN ARBOR YMCA DAY CAMP

ANN ARBOR YMCA  
SUMMER 2025 GUIDE



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# Welcome to the YMCA's Summer Programs!



The Y is a place where everyone belongs and can be themselves while engaging in new experiences, strengthening character, building new skills and making new friends.

We are committed to providing youth with a positive and nurturing environment that prioritizes safety and building healthy relationships with their peers and counselors. Our well-rounded summer day camp programs are rooted in the YMCA core values of caring, honesty, respect and responsibility while being intentional about fostering friendships, a sense of accomplishment, and belonging for all.

## Adventure Awaits!

## What We Do

### OUR MISSION

The Ann Arbor YMCA's mission is to put our core values of caring, honesty, respect and responsibility into action through facilities and programs that build a healthy spirit, mind and body for all.

### OUR PURPOSE

The Y is a leading non-profit committed to strengthening community by connecting all people to their potential, purpose, and each other.

### DIVERSITY, EQUITY, INCLUSION & BELONGING

The Ann Arbor YMCA is made up of people of all ages and from every walk of life, working side by side to strengthen communities. Together we strive to ensure that everyone, regardless of age, race, gender, gender expression, gender identity, income, faith, sexual orientation or cultural background has the opportunity to live life to its fullest.



# YMCA DAY CAMPS

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**Note for all Ann Arbor YMCA Camps:** On days where air quality is a concern, camps will be moved indoors or to an alternate location. More detailed information will be provided in the Family Handbook which will be available in May 2025.

## CAMP BIRKETT

PINCKNEY, MI | SESSION 2-10 | AGES 5-14

Camp Birkett is a traditional day camping program that provides a full day of enriching experiences that promote skill development, self-confidence and fun. With over 100 years of history, Camp Birkett has continued to offer a summer outdoors, immersed in a natural environment on the shores of Silver Lake in Pinckney. Facilities include a lake-view lodge, athletic field, gaga-pit, locker and changing rooms, archery range, waterfront swimming area, and canoeing.

Each week, campers participate in traditional camp activities including canoeing, swimming, arts and crafts, sports, outdoor education, and archery. Each session has a unique theme to provide a creative spin on camp activities and create lasting memories

**See page 20 for Leader In Training (LIT) opportunities.**

## CAMP GREENHILLS

ANN ARBOR, MI | SESSION 2-9 | AGES 5-13

The Ann Arbor Y partners with Greenhills School to provide specialty summer day camps! Campers will explore weekly themes and activities engaging their imaginations through arts & crafts, science experiments, team building activities, reading time, nutrition activities, enrichment activities and more.



## CAMP NEW HEIGHTS

YPSILANTI, MI | SESSION 1-10 | AGES 5-14

Camp New Heights, located in East Washtenaw County, offers a full-day camp for youth ages 5 – 14.

Each week-long session also has a unique theme to provide a creative spin on camp activities.

Each week, campers participate in theme-related activities, arts & crafts, science experiments, team building, silent reading time, enrichment activities, nutrition activities and more.

**See page 20 for Leader In Training (LIT) opportunities.**

## CAMP TREETOWN

ANN ARBOR, MI | SESSION 2-11 | AGES 5-17

Camp Treetown, located in downtown Ann Arbor is home to a variety of traditional and specialty camp programs. Campers can pursue their interests with new friends and learn new skills in an engaging environment. Each week campers have the opportunity to delve into the world of gymnastics or take a shot at trying basketball. Camp Treetown offers full day camps for ages 5-17.

**See pages 22-23 for teen opportunities.**

# GENERAL INFORMATION

## SESSION DATES

Session 1: June 9 – 13

Session 2: June 16 – 18, 20\*

Session 3: June 23 – 27

Session 4: June 30 – July 3\*

Session 5: July 7 – 11

Session 6: July 14 – 18

Session 7: July 21 – 25

Session 8: July 28 – August 1

Session 9: August 4 – 8

Session 10: August 11 – 15

Session 11: August 18 – 22

\*There is no camp June 19th or July 4th.



## REGISTRATION

Registration opens Sunday, February 16th at 11:00 a.m. for members, returning campers and their siblings. Registration opens Wednesday, February 19th at 7:00 a.m. for new non-member participants.

### HOW TO REGISTER ONLINE

If you have registered for camps in the past, please use the email address associated with your CampInTouch account to begin your camp registration for summer 2025.

If you do not have an account, follow the steps below:

- **Step 1:** Go to the Ann Arbor YMCA web page and click the dark green 'Camp Registration' button located at the top of the web page or [CLICK HERE](#).  
NOTE: Do not select the red 'Register' button at the top of the page.
- **Step 2:** Enter your first name, last name, email address, and your relationship to the camper(s).
- **Step 3:** Create a password for your account.
- **Step 4:** Enter your camper's information (e.g., name, date of birth, address, etc.) and any additional adults you would like to give access to the account.

Questions? Contact us at [daycamps@annarborymca.org](mailto:daycamps@annarborymca.org) or 734.661.8039

## DEPOSITS AND PAYMENT PLANS

Deposits are \$25 for members and non-members, and \$10 for scholarship applicants regardless of membership status. Deposits are paid per camp for each session. Below are payment plan options for day camps and summer programs. Deposit fees for the Birkett bus and Pre & Post Care for members and non-members are \$10 and \$5 for scholarship applicants.

## OPTIONS

- **All Camps – Monthly Payment Plan**

By selecting this option, you agree to have the Ann Arbor YMCA charge your credit card in equal installments on the following dates: March 17th, April 15th, May 15th, June 16th, July 15th, and August 15th. You will receive a statement one week prior to your card being charged in case you need to update the card on file. This option would include your combined balance for Camp AGQ, Camp Birkett, Camp Treetown, Camp Greenhills, and Camp New Heights including Out of School Time Camps.

- **All Camps – Charge on May 15th**

By selecting this option, you agree to have the Ann Arbor YMCA charge your credit card for your entire camp balance on May 15th, 2025. You can make payments towards your balance at any time leading up to this date. This option would include your combined balance for Camp AGQ, Camp Birkett, Camp Treetown, Camp Greenhills and Camp New Heights (including Out of School Time Camps).

## REFUND AND TRANSFER POLICY

Deposits are non-refundable under any circumstances. At the time of registration, a deposit is due for each session for which the camper is registering.

**Up to three weeks before** the beginning of the specific camp session, all funds, less the deposit, are refundable and transferable within other day camp programs as space allows. This includes camp balance dues. **Within three weeks** of the beginning of the specific camp session, all funds are non-refundable and non-transferable to a balance due or to a new registration. If a camper, without notice, does not attend a session for which they are registered, there will be no refund issued. In cases of homesickness, dismissal or voluntary withdrawal, there will be no refund of any fees.

To request a cancellation, please complete the following form linked [HERE](#).

**In the event a camp session has too low of enrollment to adequately provide an enriching day camp experience, the session may be cancelled. Camp families will receive notice prior to the cancelled session and spaces will be offered in another camp as space allows to those whose original bookings have been cancelled. Camp families will be refunded the full balance of the cancelled session if their session is not able to be rebooked to another camp during the original session.**

For all inquiries regarding registration, payments, and waitlists please contact the Day Camp Registrar.  
Email Address: [daycamps@annarborymca.org](mailto:daycamps@annarborymca.org)  
Phone Number: (734) 661-8039

Para información en español, contacte [daycamps@annarborymca.org](mailto:daycamps@annarborymca.org) o llame (734) 661-8039.

## DAY CAMP SCHOLARSHIPS

At the Y, we believe that every person who would like to should have the opportunity to participate in our programs. Through generous contributions to the Annual Campaign, the Ann Arbor YMCA provides financial scholarships which enable all members of the community to enjoy YMCA programs, regardless of financial capacity. Visit [www.annarborymca.org/day-camp-assistance](http://www.annarborymca.org/day-camp-assistance) to learn more about applying for a day camp scholarship.

**The deadline for day camp scholarship applications is February 28th.**

### Important Dates:

**Friday, February 28th:** All income documentation for scholarship applicants is due

**Friday, March 21st:** Awards, instructions for acceptance, and payment options will be provided

**Friday, April 4th:** Final day for scholarship offers to be accepted

**Tuesday, April 15th:** First payment is due

## GIVE THE GIFT OF CAMP

We envision a summer where all kids have equitable access to welcoming spaces to belong, make new friends and fun activities that help build lifelong memories. Y camps focus on the social-emotional learning of kids and teens to help them find a true sense of belonging.

At the Y, we believe in creating a more just and inclusive community for all. We're working to increase opportunities for kids to safely have the best summer ever...and we need your help. We count on the generosity of our donors to help. Every dollar donated stays local and helps address our community's most critical needs.

Our 2025 Annual Campaign helps families access the YMCA's life-changing programs and services in Washtenaw and southern Livingston Counties. You can be a part of granting that opportunity! Every gift makes a difference and moves us closer to our goal of **\$275,000**. Last year, we provided more than **\$450,000** in sponsorships and financial assistance for our memberships, childcare, camps, and programs.

We can't do it alone. Please consider making a tax-deductible charitable donation to our Annual Campaign to help send a child to camp! **To donate, click [here](#) or donate at the time of registration.**

## MEMBERSHIP AT THE Y

The Y is so much more – we're a welcoming place to connect and learn with others. A place to get an extra boost of encouragement and motivation to lead a healthier lifestyle. An environment for kids to grow and a supportive community in which to do so. When you join the Y, you will find what makes us so much more.

### Member Benefits

- Early online registration and discounted rates for day camps, Camp AGQ and Out of School Time Camps
- **FREE** two-hour Child Watch – a first-come, first-served two-hour childcare service for children ages 4 months to 11 years.
- **FREE** group exercise classes
- Access to all facility spaces, which include: Family Pool, Lap Pool, Wellness Center, Gym and Indoor Track
- Nationwide Access Membership gives you free access to all participating YMCA locations in the USA.
- And More!

**In order to qualify for member rates, you must be a member at the time of registration.**

## STAFFING

All staff members are selected for their maturity, dedication, enthusiasm and desire to help children to reach their fullest potential. We are committed to hiring diverse and welcoming staff.

Our camp staff is CPR and First Aid-certified and participates in an intensive training program which covers safety, supervision, counseling and camp procedures. Ann Arbor YMCA counselor-to-camper ratios abide by state guidelines to ensure that your child receives the best care and attention possible. If you, or someone you know, would like to work with the Y this summer, please contact [daycamps@annarborymca.org](mailto:daycamps@annarborymca.org) for more information or visit [www.annarborymca.org/employment](http://www.annarborymca.org/employment) to apply today!

## FAMILY HANDBOOK

A Family Handbook will be emailed to all registered participants in May 2025 and will be available for download at [www.annarborymca.org](http://www.annarborymca.org). This handbook will contain detailed information on specific day camps.





## GOALS FOR Y CAMPERS

- Engage in a wide variety of activities that inspire curiosity and creativity
- Create new friendships and experience a sense of belonging
- Develop meaningful relationships with caring adults
- Set and achieve a personal goal
- Be part of a team.

## FIVE REASONS TO ATTEND Y DAY CAMP PROGRAMS

- Enhance physical, social-emotional, and cognitive abilities
- Expand and develop skills by trying new activities
- Have fun staying active while playing games
- Engage with caring staff and volunteers
- Make new friends

In collaboration with the State Alliance of Michigan YMCAs, the Ann Arbor YMCA is a proud partner of MiLEAP (the Michigan Department of Lifelong Education, Advancement, and Potential). MiLEAP prioritizes education from birth to postsecondary with a focus on preparing children for kindergarten and helping more people earn a skill certificate or degree to help them get a good paying job.

Thanks to MiLEAP we are helping campers at all of our sites develop the tools and skills needed to succeed in their education, while enjoying traditional camp activities.



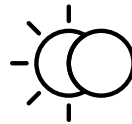


# SESSION 1: JUNE 9-13

## Camp New Heights



**Ready, Set, Summer**  
Ages: 5-11  
8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



**Post Care**  
Ages: 5-14  
Post Care: 4:30 p.m.-6:00 p.m.



**Leaders in Training (LIT)**  
Ages: 12-14  
Bus: 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



# SESSION 2: JUNE 16-18, 20

\*NO CAMP 6/19

## Camp Birkett



### Jurassic World

Ages: 5-11

Bus: 8:00 a.m.-5:15 p.m.

Direct Drop-off: 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Leaders in Training (LIT)

Ages: 12-14

Bus: 8:00 a.m.-5:15 p.m.

Direct Drop-off: 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

## Camp New Heights



### Superheroes & Sidekicks

Ages: 5-11

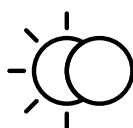
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### Leaders in Training (LIT)

Ages: 12-14

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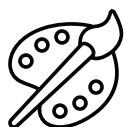


### Post Care

Ages: 5-14

Post Care: 4:30 p.m.-6:00 p.m.

## Camp Greenhills



### Art Explorers

Ages: 8-11

8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Team Sports: Baseball

Ages: 8-11

8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### KidsQuest: Under the Sea

Ages: 5-11

8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Top Chef

Ages: 8-11

8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

## Camp Treetown



### Basketball

Ages: 5-11

8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### The Teen Experience

Ages: 12-16

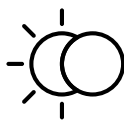
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### Extreme Sports

Ages: 8-11

8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Pre & Post Care

Ages: 5-16

Pre-Care: 7:30 a.m.-8:30 a.m.

Post Care: 4:30 p.m.-6:00 p.m.



### Gymnastics

Ages: 5-11

8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Youth Volunteer Corp (YVC)

Ages: 11-17

Monday-Thursday

9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.



### Kidventure: Shipwrecked

Ages: 5-11

8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

# SESSION 3: JUNE 23-27

## Camp Birkett



### Y Olympics

Ages: 5-11  
 Bus: 8:00 a.m.-5:15 p.m.  
 Direct Drop-off: 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Leaders in Training (LIT)

Ages: 12-14  
 Bus: 8:00 a.m.-5:15 p.m.  
 Direct Drop-off: 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

## Camp New Heights



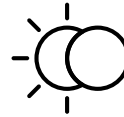
### Creative Expressions

Ages: 5-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Leaders in Training (LIT)

Ages: 12-14  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Post Care

Ages: 5-14  
 Post Care: 4:30 p.m.-6:00 p.m.

## Camp Greenhills



### Art Explorers

Ages: 8-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



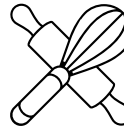
### Theater

Ages: 8-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Esports

Ages: 9-13  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Top Chef

Ages: 8-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### KidsQuest: Superhero Training

Ages: 5-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

## Camp Treetown



### Babysitter Boot Camp

Ages: 12-16  
 Monday-Tuesday  
 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.



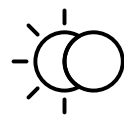
### Leaders in Training (LIT)

Ages: 12-14  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Basketball

Ages: 5-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Pre & Post Care

Ages: 5-16  
 Pre-Care: 7:30 a.m.-8:30 a.m.  
 Post Care: 4:30 p.m.-6:00 p.m.



### Extreme Sports

Ages: 8-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### The Teen Experience

Ages: 12-16  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Gymnastics

Ages: 5-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Youth Volunteer Corp (YVC)

Ages: 11-17  
 Monday-Thursday  
 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.



### Kidventure: Lost in Space

Ages: 5-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

## Camp Birkett



### Wacky Water

Ages: 5-11  
 Bus: 8:00 a.m.-5:15 p.m.  
 Direct Drop-off: 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Leaders in Training (LIT)

Ages: 12-14  
 Bus: 8:00 a.m.-5:15 p.m.  
 Direct Drop-off: 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

## Camp New Heights



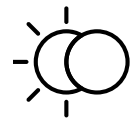
### H2-Woah!

Ages: 5-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Leaders in Training (LIT)

Ages: 12-14  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Post Care

Ages: 5-14  
 Post Care: 4:30 p.m.-6:00 p.m.

## Camp Greenhills



### Art Explorers

Ages: 8-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Team Sports: Ultimate Frisbee

Ages: 8-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### KidsQuest: Jurassic Park

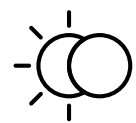
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## Camp Treetown



### Extreme Sports

Ages: 8-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Pre & Post Care

Ages: 5-16  
 Pre-Care: 7:30 a.m.-8:30 a.m.  
 Post Care: 4:30 p.m.-6:00 p.m.



### Kidventure: Dino-mite

Ages: 5-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### The Teen Experience

Ages: 12-16  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

# SESSION 5: JULY 7-11

## Camp Birkett



### Animal Adventures

Ages: 5-11  
Bus: 8:00 a.m.-5:15 p.m.  
Direct Drop-off: 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Leaders in Training (LIT)

Ages: 12-14  
Bus: 8:00 a.m.-5:15 p.m.  
Direct Drop-off: 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

## Camp New Heights



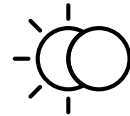
### Animal Planet

Ages: 5-11  
8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Leaders in Training (LIT)

Ages: 12-14  
8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Post Care

Ages: 5-14  
Post Care: 4:30 p.m.-6:00 p.m.

## Camp Greenhills



### Art Explorers

Ages: 8-11  
8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



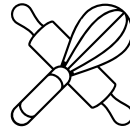
### Theater

Ages: 8-11  
8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Esports

Ages: 9-13  
8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Top Chef

Ages: 8-11  
8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### KidsQuest: Wild West

Ages: 5-11  
8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

## Camp Treetown



### Basketball

Ages: 5-11  
8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



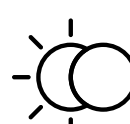
### LIT

Ages: 12-14  
8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Extreme Sports

Ages: 8-11  
8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Pre & Post Care

Ages: 5-16  
Pre-Care: 7:30 a.m.-8:30 a.m.  
Post Care: 4:30 p.m.-6:00 p.m.



### Gymnastics

Ages: 5-11  
8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### The Teen Experience

Ages: 12-16  
8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Kidventure: Animal Kingdom

Ages: 5-11  
8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Youth Volunteer Corps (YVC)

Ages: 11-17  
Monday-Thursday  
9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

# SESSION 6: JULY 14-18

## Camp Birkett



### Pirates of Silver Lake

Ages: 5-11  
 Bus: 8:00 a.m.-5:15 p.m.  
 Direct Drop-off: 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Leaders in Training (LIT)

Ages: 12-14  
 Bus: 8:00 a.m.-5:15 p.m.  
 Direct Drop-off: 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

## Camp New Heights



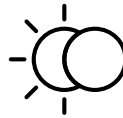
### Mad Scientists

Ages: 5-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Leaders in Training (LIT)

Ages: 12-14  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Post Care

Ages: 5-14  
 Post Care: 4:30 p.m.-6:00 p.m.

## Camp Greenhills



### Art Explorers

Ages: 8-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



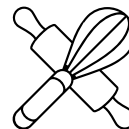
### Team Sports: Soccer

Ages: 8-11  
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### KidsQuest: Fairytale Forest

Ages: 5-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Top Chef

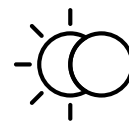
Ages: 8-11  
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## Camp Treetown



### Basketball

Ages: 5-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Pre & Post Care

Ages: 5-16  
 Pre-Care: 7:30 a.m.-8:30 a.m.  
 Post Care: 4:30 p.m.-6:00 p.m.



### Extreme Sports

Ages: 8-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### The Teen Experience

Ages: 12-16  
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### Gymnastics

Ages: 5-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Youth Volunteer Corps (YVC)

Ages: 11-17  
 Monday-Thursday  
 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.



### Kidventure: Mission Possible

Ages: 5-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

# SESSION 7: JULY 21-25

## Camp Birkett



### Fairytale Fantasy

Ages: 5-11  
 Bus: 8:00 a.m.-5:15 p.m.  
 Direct Drop-off: 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Leaders in Training (LIT)

Ages: 12-14  
 Bus: 8:00 a.m.-5:15 p.m.  
 Direct Drop-off: 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

## Camp New Heights



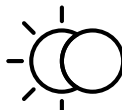
### Heroes in Training

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### Leaders in Training (LIT)

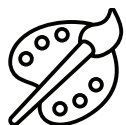
Ages: 12-14  
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### Post Care

Ages: 5-14  
 Post Care: 4:30 p.m.-6:00 p.m.

## Camp Greenhills



### Art Explorers

Ages: 8-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Theater

Ages: 8-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Esports

Ages: 9-13  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Top Chef

Ages: 8-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### KidsQuest: Animal Kingdom

Ages: 5-11  
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## Camp Treetown



### Basketball

Ages: 5-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



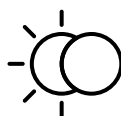
### LIT

Ages: 12-14  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Extreme Sports

Ages: 8-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Pre & Post Care

Ages: 5-16  
 Pre-Care: 7:30 a.m.-8:30 a.m.  
 Post Care: 4:30 p.m.-6:00 p.m.



### Gymnastics

Ages: 5-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### The Teen Experience

Ages: 12-16  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Kidventure: Y Games

Ages: 5-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Youth Volunteer Corps (YVC)

Ages: 11-17  
 Monday-Thursday  
 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.



### Babysitter Boot Camp

Ages: 12-16  
 Monday-Tuesday  
 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

# SESSION 8: JULY 28–AUGUST 1

## Camp Birkett



### Spirit Week

Ages: 5–11

Bus: 8:00 a.m.–5:15 p.m.

Direct Drop-off: 8:30 a.m.–4:30 p.m.



### Leader in Training (LIT)

Ages: 12–14

Bus: 8:00 a.m.–5:15 p.m.

Direct Drop-off: 8:30 a.m.–4:30 p.m.

## Camp New Heights



### Out of This World

Ages: 5–11

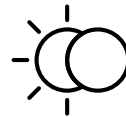
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### Leader in Training (LIT)

Ages: 12–14

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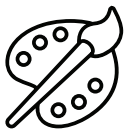


### Post Care

Ages: 5–14

Post Care: 4:30 p.m.–6:00 p.m.

## Camp Greenhills



### Art Explorers

Ages: 8–11

8:30 a.m.–4:30 p.m.



### Team Sports: Flag Football

Ages: 8–11

8:30 a.m.–4:30 p.m.



### KidsQuest: Mystery Week

Ages: 5–11

8:30 a.m.–4:30 p.m.



### Theater

Ages: 8–11

8:30 a.m.–4:30 p.m.

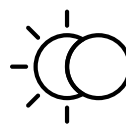
## Camp Treetown



### Basketball

Ages: 5–11

8:30 a.m.–4:30 p.m.



### Pre & Post Care

Ages: 5–16

Pre-Care: 7:30 a.m.–8:30 a.m.

Post Care: 4:30 p.m.–6:00 p.m.



### Extreme Sports

Ages: 8–11

8:30 a.m.–4:30 p.m.



### The Teen Experience

Ages: 12–16

8:30 a.m.–4:30 p.m.



### Gymnastics

Ages: 5–11

8:30 a.m.–4:30 p.m.



### Youth Volunteer Corps (YVC)

Ages: 11–17

Monday–Thursday

9:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.



### Kidventure: Things with Wings

Ages: 5–11

8:30 a.m.–4:30 p.m.



# SESSION 9: AUGUST 4-8

## Camp Birkett



### A World of Fantasy

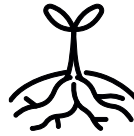
Ages: 5-11  
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 Direct Drop-off: 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### LIT

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 Direct Drop-off: 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

## Camp New Heights



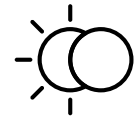
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### LIT

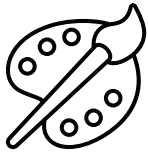
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### Post Care

Ages: 5-14  
 Post Care: 4:30 p.m.-6:00 p.m.

## Camp Greenhills



### Art Explorers

Ages: 8-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Team Sports: Floorball

Ages: 8-11  
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### KidsQuest: Spirit Week

Ages: 5-11  
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### Theater

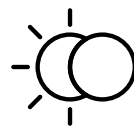
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## Camp Treetown



### Basketball

Ages: 5-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Pre & Post Care

Ages: 5-16  
 Pre-Care: 7:30 a.m.-8:30 a.m.  
 Post Care: 4:30 p.m.-6:00 p.m.



### Extreme Sports

Ages: 8-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### The Teen Experience

Ages: 12-16  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Gymnastics

Ages: 5-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Youth Volunteer Corps (YVC)

Ages: 11-17  
 Monday-Thursday  
 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.



### Kidventure: Comic Book Adventures

Ages: 5-11  
 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

# SESSION 10: AUGUST 11-15

## Camp Birkett



### Superhero Academy

Ages: 5-11

Bus: 8:00 a.m.-5:15 p.m.

Direct Drop-off: 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### LIT

Ages: 12-14

Bus: 8:00 a.m.-5:15 p.m.

Direct Drop-off: 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

## Camp New Heights



### Spirit Week

Ages: 5-11

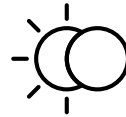
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### LIT

Ages: 12-14

8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Post Care

Ages: 5-14

Post Care: 4:30 p.m.-6:00 p.m.

## Camp Treetown



### Basketball

Ages: 5-11

8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Kidventure: Camp Treetown's Got Talent

Ages: 5-11

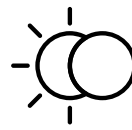
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### Extreme Sports

Ages: 8-11

8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Pre & Post Care

Ages: 5-16

Pre-Care: 7:30 a.m.-8:30 a.m.

Post Care: 4:30 p.m.-6:00 p.m.



### Gymnastics

Ages: 5-11

8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



# SESSION 11: AUGUST 18-22

## Camp Treetown



### Basketball

Ages: 5-11  
8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



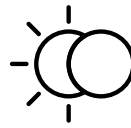
### Kidventure: Spirit Week

Ages: 5-11  
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### Gymnastics

Ages: 5-11  
8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.



### Pre & Post Care

Ages: 5-16  
Pre-Care: 7:30 a.m.-8:30 a.m.  
Post Care: 4:30 p.m.-6:00 p.m.



## Camp Birkett | Expanded Information

### Leader-in-Training (LIT) Program at Camp Birkett (Ages 12 - 14)

Leaders in Training (LIT) is a set of summer programs offered to campers ages 12-14 that is focused on building leadership and teamwork skills, service learning, developing a stronger sense of self, and engaging in classic summer fun! This program offers campers the opportunity to become leaders for the camp, to plan projects, budget, implement their ideas together, and to explore and deepen their understanding of who they are. They may plan and lead activities for younger campers, engage in in-depth skill building, identify and discuss leadership and personality styles, complete teamwork challenges, complete service projects, and more. Our goal is to help build camper's skills and self-confidence and provide opportunities for unique experiences.

LITs participate in traditional day camp programming including archery, swimming, canoeing, etc. The LIT program is tied back to our four core values: respect, responsibility, caring, and honesty in pursuit of positive youth development.

### Bus Transportation

Bus Registration will open Friday, March 7th at 8:00 a.m.

Bus transportation from Ann Arbor is available to and from Camp Birkett. The specific Ann Arbor departure/return location, typically an Ann Arbor elementary school and NOT the Ann Arbor YMCA, will be printed in the Family Handbook. The Family Handbook will be released in May 2025.

Children may be dropped off at the Ann Arbor departure/return location between 8:00 a.m. - 8:15 a.m. and picked up between 5:00 p.m. and 5:15 p.m. Campers may also be dropped off at Camp Birkett, 9141 Dexter-Townhall Road, between 8:15 a.m. and 8:30 a.m. and picked up between 4:30 and 4:45 p.m. Weekly bus fees will be \$40 for members and \$55 for non-members.

\*All times are subject to change. Families will be notified if times change\*

## Camp New Heights | Expanded Information

### Leader-in-Training (LIT) Program at Camp New Heights (Ages 12 - 14)

Leaders in Training (LIT) is a set of summer programs offered to campers ages 12-14 that is focused on building leadership and teamwork skills, service learning, developing a stronger sense of self, and engaging in classic summer fun! The program offers campers opportunities to become the leaders for the camp, to plan projects, budget, and implement their ideas together, and to explore and deepen their understanding of who they are. They may plan and lead activities for younger campers, engage in in-depth skill building, identify and discuss leadership and personality styles, complete teamwork challenges, complete service projects, and more.

LITs participate in traditional day camp programming including theme-related activities, art & crafts, science experiments, team building, silent reading, time, enrichment activities, nutrition activities, etc. The LIT program is tied back to our four core values: respect, responsibility, caring, and honesty in pursuit of positive youth development. Our goal is to help build camper's skills and self-confidence and provide opportunities for unique experiences.

### Post-Care (Ages 5-14)

Post Care gives families the option of extended care at The Collaborative: Ypsilanti YMCA Child Development Center facility. Children are supervised while they play a variety of self-directed games and activities. Post Care is only available to campers attending programs at Camp New Heights.

\*Post-Care is not available to campers attending programs at Camp Birkett or Camp Greenhills.

## Camp Greenhills | Expanded Information

### Art Explorers (Ages 8 – 11)

Cut, paste, create! Join us as we explore different themes and artists. Learn to sketch, paint with watercolors, make a nature collage and get covered in papier-mâché. Campers will be introduced to a variety of art media including drawing, painting, clay creations, and more. Campers will also participate in traditional camp activities throughout the week.



### Esports (Ages 9 – 13)

Gamers will enjoy gameplay in Super Smash Brothers, Rocket League and Mario Kart for the Nintendo Switch. Esports encourages and promotes community by placing a priority on involvement, healthy competition rather than rivalry, the value of participation over winning, team building as well as individual development, a positive self-image and mutual respect for others. Campers will also participate in traditional day camp and sports activities.

### KidsQuest (Ages 5 – 11)

KidsQuest, a full-day camp experience for youth ages 5 – 11. Campers will develop new skills, learn core values, build self-confidence, appreciate teamwork and grow in self-reliance. Campers will participate in a variety of indoor and outdoor activities based on weekly themes.

### Theater (Ages 8 – 11)

Theater camp will concentrate on character development, voice projection, stage presence, and other theater basics. In addition to playing theater-based games, the troupe will present a short one-act play for families and friends on the final day of the camp week. Campers will also participate in traditional day camp activities.

### Top Chef (Ages 8 – 11)

Campers will don chef hats and develop culinary skills as they make and enjoy different dishes each day. Learn the basics of food and kitchen safety and end the week with a Top Chef Challenge—work with a team to create a tasty dish. Campers will also participate in traditional camp activities throughout the week.

### Team Sports (Ages 8 – 11)

Keep your child active all week with a variety of sports including baseball, flag football, floorball soccer, ultimate frisbee and more! Throughout the day, campers will experience a variety of active large group games and individual drills focused on improving basic techniques. Campers will also participate in traditional day camp activities.

## Camp Treetown | Expanded Information

### Basketball (Ages 5 – 11)

Basketball Camp welcomes children of all skill levels. Campers will have the opportunity to develop their basketball skills and scrimmage. Basketball activities are supplemented with other large and small group games. Campers spend time with our experienced coaches and enjoy basketball on the YMCA courts. Most importantly, campers will develop a sense of teamwork and respect for their teammates. Campers will also participate in traditional day camp activities.

### Extreme Sports (Ages 8 – 11)

This is a full-day, travel-based camp that takes your camper to exciting sports venues. Activities may include tubing the Argo Cascades, Whirlyball, Laser Tag, Foot-Golf and more. Extreme Sports trips are complemented with other team sports and other traditional camp activities throughout the week. Some trips require waivers that **must be completed 14 days** in advance of the first day of camp.

### Gymnastics (Ages 5 – 11)

Gymnastics camp combines instruction with camp songs, fun group games and activities. All sessions are one-week long and all skill levels are welcome. On the first day of each session, campers will be divided into groups based on age and ability. Campers will also spend half their day participating in traditional camp activities.

### Kidventure (Ages 5 – 11)

Kids have fun making new friends, developing new skills, learning core values, building self-confidence, appreciating teamwork and growing in self-reliance. Campers will participate in a variety of indoor and outdoor activities based on weekly themes. Each week includes an all-camp field trip or a visit from a guest presenter, swimming, arts and crafts and trips to local parks.

### Pre-Care and Post-Care (Ages 5-16)

Pre and Post Care gives families the option of extended care at the Ann Arbor YMCA downtown facility. Children are supervised while they play a variety of self-directed games and activities. Pre-Care and Post Care are only available to campers attending programs at Camp Treetown.

\*Please note that Pre-Care and Post Care are not available at Camp Birkett or Camp Greenhills.



## TEEN PROGRAMMING

### Leaders-in-Training (LIT) Program at Camp Treetown (Ages 12 - 14)

The Leader-in-Training program allows older campers to build leadership skills and assume some counselor responsibilities while still participating in their favorite camp activities. Camp Treetown LITs will get the chance to choose specialized tracks that expose them to their favorite aspect of summer. LIT curriculum includes leadership skills, social and emotional learning, the development of the YMCA core values of caring, honesty, respect and responsibility. The LIT program at Camp Treetown follows the same schedule and themes as the general sessions but will only run sessions 3, 5 and 7.

### Counselor-in-Training (CIT) Program (Grades 10-12)

The Counselor-in-Training program provides teens with valuable opportunities to interact with children, lead activities and participate in camp programs. CITs fulfill many different roles throughout the course of the summer while learning the skills required to become a counselor. CITs are volunteers who have a sincere desire to work with children, a wish to give back to the camp community, a strong work ethic, lots of energy and creativity, a positive attitude and the ability to put children's needs ahead of their own. The objective of the CIT program is to better prepare the participants for future work with children in or out of the camp setting. This is done through hands-on-experience, guidance from staff members and pre-camp training.

\*Participating teens are eligible to receive community service hours for active participation and full completion of program.

Apply through the link [HERE](#)

For details on how to apply, visit [www.annarborymca.org](http://www.annarborymca.org) or contact Shanti Jones, the Director of Teen and Advocacy, at (734) 661-8031 or [sjones@annarborymca.org](mailto:sjones@annarborymca.org). Applications are due Monday, April 7th.

### Babysitter Boot Camp (Ages 12 - 16)

This two-day training will equip teens with the necessary skills to keep children of all ages safe, happy, engaged, to identify and guard against common safety hazards, as well as what to do in an emergency. They will learn how to care for an infant, including techniques for diapering, feeding and calming a baby as well as entertaining children at every stage. Additionally, participants will learn about the entrepreneurial aspect of babysitting and develop skills and strategies to turn this certification into a business. **All participants who successfully complete the program will receive an American Safety and Health Institute Child and Babysitting Safety Certification.** Babysitter Bootcamp does NOT include First Aid/CPR certification.

### The Teen Experience (Ages 12 - 16)

The Teen Experience is a traditional full-day camp for teens to discover their passions while having fun and creating friendships. Activities range from high energy games to creative arts and fun challenges that promote teen empowerment. Each week teens will travel and embark on new adventures, near and far.

### Youth Volunteer Corps (YVC) (Ages 11 - 17)

Youth Volunteer Corps (YVC) is a youth-driven program that strives to meet the needs of our community and works in collaboration with local organizations to create social change and positive community impact. Through facilitated service-learning projects, workshops, personal development training, and interactive dialogue.

Schedule: Monday – Thursday, 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

# 2025 Day Camp Dates & Prices

Camp Birkett bus registration opens Friday, March 7th

Offered in Session     Not Offered in Session

\*Please note, there is no camp June 19th or July 4th. Prices for those sessions are pro-rated.

Camp Birkett		Sessions											Y Member	Non-Member
Program	Age	1	2*	3	4*	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	Y Member	Non-Member
Camp Birkett	5 - 11		\$260   \$290		\$260   \$290								\$320	\$360
Camp Birkett Bus	5 - 14		\$30   \$45		\$30   \$45								\$40	\$55
Camp Birkett LIT	12 - 14		\$260   \$290		\$260   \$290								\$320	\$360
Camp Greenhills		Sessions											Y Member	Non-Member
Program	Age	1	2*	3	4*	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	Y Member	Non-Member
Art Explorers	8 - 11		\$230   \$260		\$230   \$260								\$285	\$325
Esports	9 - 13												\$285	\$325
KidsQuest	5 - 11		\$230   \$260		\$230   \$260								\$285	\$325
Team Sports	8 - 11		\$230   \$260										\$285	\$325
Theater	8 - 11												\$285	\$325
Top Chef	8 - 11		\$230   \$260										\$285	\$325
Camp New Heights		Sessions											Y Member	Non-Member
Program	Age	1	2*	3	4*	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	Y Member	Non-Member
Camp New Heights	5 - 11		\$180   \$180		\$180   \$180								\$225	\$225
Camp New Heights LIT	12 - 14		\$180   \$180		\$180   \$180								\$225	\$225
Post-Care	5-14		\$25   \$25		\$25   \$25								\$30	\$30
Camp Treetown		Sessions											Y Member	Non-Member
Program	Age	1	2*	3	4*	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	Y Member	Non-Member
Babysitter Bootcamp	12 - 16												\$100	\$140
Basketball	5 - 11		\$230   \$260										\$285	\$325
Extreme Sports	8 - 11		\$230   \$260		\$230   \$260								\$285	\$325
Gymnastics	5 - 11		\$230   \$260										\$285	\$325
Kidventure	5 - 11		\$230   \$260		\$230   \$260								\$285	\$325
The Teen Experience	12 - 16		\$230   \$260		\$230   \$260								\$285	\$325
Youth Volunteer Corps (YVC)	11 - 17		\$100   \$140										\$130	\$170
Camp Treetown LIT	12-14												\$285	\$325
Pre-Care	5 - 16		\$30   \$40		\$30   \$40								\$35	\$50
Post-Care	5 - 16		\$35   \$50		\$35   \$50								\$45	\$60

\*Scholarships are available for all camp locations and sessions. Contact Noah Moorehouse at [nmoorehouse@annarborymca.org](mailto:nmoorehouse@annarborymca.org) for more information.

## SESSION DATES

Session 1: June 9 - 13  
 Session 2: June 16-18\*, 20  
 Session 3: June 23 - 27  
 Session 4: June 30 - July 3\*

Session 5: July 7 - 11  
 Session 6: July 14 - 18  
 Session 7: July 21 - 25  
 Session 8: July 28 - August 1

Session 9: August 4 - 8  
 Session 10: August 11 - 15  
 Session 11: August 18 - 22

\*There is no camp June 19th or July 4th.

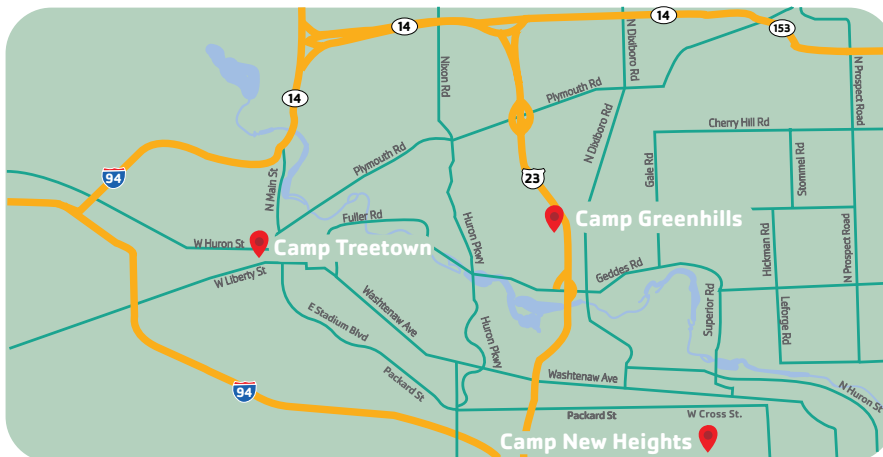


# CAMP LOCATIONS & CONTACT INFORMATION



## Camp Birkett Outdoor Center

9141 Dexter-Townhall Road  
Pinckney, MI 48169



## Camp Greenhills

850 Greenhills Drive  
Ann Arbor, MI 48105

## Camp New Heights

111 South Wallace Boulevard  
Ypsilanti, MI 48197

## Camp Treetown

400 West Washington Street  
Ann Arbor, MI 48103

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