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YMCA OF GREENWICH SUMMER CAMP 2017 SEASON 50 EAST PUTNAM AVE

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TIMETO SHINE!

Welcome to the <u>NEW</u> YMCA of Greenwich Summer Camp, where every camper has the opportunity to shine by exploring nature, meeting new friends and learning more about themselves.

We offer a variety of summer options that best services the needs of each participating family. All our activities value individuality as well as a sense of community, promotes positive self-esteem and exposes children to a variety of skills and experiences. Our well-trained and professional camp counselors are ready to provide an active, fun and safe environment for all of our campers.

See how your child can shine at the YMCA of Greenwich Summer camp, where knowledge, character, health and play are the heart of everything we do.

THE YMCA OF GREENWICH MISSION

To bring together and strengthen the community through programs and services that build a healthy spirit, mind and body for all men, women and children.



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SAMPLE DAILY SCHEDULE

*ALL CAMPS ARE LOCATED AT THE YMCA MAIN FACILITY: 50 EAST PUTNAM AVE

HALF DAY PROGRAM

AM Session		PM Session	
9:00am	Drop Off / Education Time	12:00pm	Drop Off / Education Time
9:30am	Arts & Crafts	12:30pm	Arts & Crafts
10:00am	Snack Time	1:00pm	Snack Time
10:30am	Sports Play / Swim Lessons	1:30pm	Sports Play / Swim Lessons
11:45am	Dismissal	2:45pm	Dismissal

FULL DAY PROGRAM

8:00am	Drop Off / Education Time
9:00am	Sports and Game Play
10:00am	Snack Time
11:00am	Swim Lessons
12:30pm	Lunch Time
1:00pm	Science Fun
2:00pm	Arts & Crafts
2:30pm	Snack Time
3:00pm	Outdoor Challenges
4:00pm	Dismissal

CAMP THEMES

Week 1: Passport Week Week 2: Artful Antics Week 3: Challenge Week Week 4: Disney Week Week 5: Holiday Week Week 6: Animal Week Week 7: Water Week Week 8: Carnival Week

BEACH DAYS

TUESDAYS OR THURSDAYS at Tod's Point

NATURE DAYS

*CAMP CAN DO & CAMP CANTEEN ONLY

FRIDAYS at Seton Scout Reservation

FIELD TRIPS

TUESDAYS OR THURSDAYS *May include the following locations

- Stepping Stones Museum
- Fun for Kids & Grownups Too
- Discovery Museum & Planetarium
- Barlett Arboretum & Gardens
- Heckscher Farm
- Dorothy Hamill Skating Rink

SKNOWLEDGE



LUNCH & SNACKS

Children are to bring their own cold lunches in a lunch box with a cold pack. Please do not send glass bottles, soda or candy, as we want to provide a safe and healthy program

ELECTRONICS

Campers are prohibited from bringing cellphone, tablets or music devices to camp. The YMCA is not responsible for any lost or misplaced items.

CAMP REFUND POLICY

Refunds are not available after June 16, 2017. Exceptions to this include family emergencies or health- related events accompanied by a doctor's note. All exceptions must be communicated to the Camp Director ASAP. Cancellations prior to June 16, 2017 are subject to a \$50/week cancellation charge.

Summer sessions, offerings and schedules are subject to change.

2017 CAMP REGISTRATION

All participants in must have an active YMCA membership:

YMCA MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES	joiner's fee	monthly fee	annual fee
FAMILY Two adults and dependent children 21 years and under and living in the same household. Nannies, Au Pairs or live-in baby sitters are not included in a Family Membership.	\$100	\$143	\$1,716
SINGLE PARENT FAMILY One adult and dependent children 21 years and under.	\$100	\$118	\$1,416
YOUTH MEMBERSHIP 6 weeks 13 years.	\$0	\$0	\$220

All registration forms can be downloaded from greenwichymca.org and mailed, faxed or dropped off at the main YMCA facility. Credit card payment forms submitted by fax or mail must include credit card number, expiration date, cardholders name and authorized signature.

Each camper will receive a camp T-shirt to wear on trip days as well as a calendar of daily activities. Additional T-shirts may be purchased for \$10 each. Campers provide their own lunch. Forms may be completed in person or mailed to the YMCA of Greenwich, 50 East Putnam Avenue, Greenwich, CT 06830 Attention: Heather Brown at 203.869.1630 ext. 527 or email hbrown@gwymca.org. Enrollment packets must include emergency contact information, permission/ parent agreement and current health form. Children will not be permitted to attend camp if all forms have not been submitted before the child's first day of camp.

CAMP PAYMENT OPTIONS

Camp fees must be paid in full at the time of registration. If you require a payment plan, we will be happy to work with you, provided that all payments are complete by June 16. Please contact Heather Brown at hbrown@gwymca.org. Camp fees may be paid by credit card (Visa, MC, and Amex), check or money order. Please make checks payable to the YMCA of Greenwich.

COUNSELOR -IN-TRAINING (C.I.T.)

Full or Half Day Sessions Extended day available *Ages Accepted: 13–17 years

This program gives participants the opportunity to place the needs of others ahead of their own, share what they have learned and be a role model for our youngest campers.

CIT's participate in camp staff trainings, weekly meetings, programming and service, while learning to work together with counselors and children to gain a basic understanding of summer camp operations.

Applicants must send references with registration form. The CIT program is a commitment and like YMCA Camp staff, CIT's are expected to come to camp on time every day and be an active member of Summer Camp. We hope that at the end of the summer, your child has grown and obtained new skill sets that will help them in the future.

*We suggest that applicants have previous work or volunteer experience with children or the YMCA of Greenwich.

YMCA of Greenwich Summer Camps 📩 greenwichymca.org

HEALTH

2017 YMCA OF GREENWICH SUMMER DAY CAMP ENROLLMENT FORM

Send this form to hbrown@gwymca.org or Fax: 203-869-1008 ATTN: Heather Brown

	(circle one)	Camp Can Be	Camp Can Do	Camp Canteen C.I.T
Child's Name:				M F DOB:
Address:				
City:		State:	Zip Code:	Grade in Sep,17:
Current YMCA Me	mber? Yes,	Expiration Date:	No, I v	vill include \$220 for Youth Membership Fee
Parent/Guardian N	Name(s):			
Home Telephone:	()		Work 1	Felephone: ()
T-Shirt Size: One p	per camper	given by end of fi	rst day of camp.	
Child Sizes (circle one): Small Medium Large Adult Sizes (circle one): Small Medium Large				

2017 SUMMER CAMP OPTIONS				
Name	Ages	Full Day	Half Day AM	Half Day PM
Camp Can Be	3-5 yrs	8am-4pm	9am-12pm	12pm - 3pm
Camp Can Do	5-7 yrs	8am-4pm	N/A	N/A
Camp Canteen	8-12 yrs	8am-4pm	N/A	N/A
C.I.T Program	13-17 yrs	8am-4pm	9am-12pm	12pm - 3pm

*Extended Care (HALF DAY NOT ELIGIBLE) : Time: 4-6pm, Fee: \$100 per week

CAMP FEES

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Passport Week: Jun 26-Jun 30	Full: \$300	Half: \$120	Extended: \$100	\$
Artful Antics Week: *July 3-7 *No Camp July 4	Full: \$240	Half: \$100	Extended: \$100	\$
Challenge Week: July 10-July 14	Full: \$300	Half: \$120	Extended: \$100	\$
Cartoon Week: July 17- July 21	Full: \$300	Half: \$120	Extended: \$100	\$
Holiday Week: July 24-July 28	Full: \$300	Half: \$120	Extended: \$100	\$
Animal Week: July 31-Aug 4	Full: \$300	Half: \$120	Extended: \$100	\$
Water Week: Aug 7 – Aug 11	Full: \$300	Half: \$120	Extended: \$100	\$
Carnival Week: Aug14- Aug 18	Full: \$300	Half: \$120	Extended: \$100	\$
C.I.T Program Price	\$120 per week			\$
		YMCA	A membership fee (\$220)	\$
		Extra	Camp Shirts (\$10 ea.)	\$
			TOTAL	\$
			Total to charge today	\$

Payment Method:	Check	Visa	MasterCard	AMEX
Credit Card Number:			Expiration Date:	Authorization Code:
Please create a password or pin which will be used to verify your identity when making changes via phone or email: *ALL FEES DUE BY JUNE 16, 2017. NO REFUNDS WILL BE GRANTED AFTER JUNE 16, 2017* YMCA memberships are non-refundable and non-transferable. Please make checks payable to: YMCA of Greenwich, 50 East Putnam Ave, Greenwich, CT 06830				

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EMERGENCY CONTACTS AND AUTHORIZATIONS

In addition to parents, only those on the list below will be allowed to pick up a camper from camp. Please list in contact order all additional persons authorized to pick up your child. In emergency situations only, parent/guardian may give verbal (with confirmation) and /or written permission for an individual who is not on this list to pick up your child. No child will be released without emergency verbal/written permission. A license or other positive proof of identification must be shown at pick up. Please make sure that all individuals on this list are aware that they may be called in an emergency to pick up your child.

Name:	_Relationship to Camper:
Cell Number:	-
Name:	_Relationship to Camper:
Cell Number:	-
Name:	_Relationship to Camper:
Cell Number:	-

PARENT AGREEMENT

- By enrolling my child in the YMCA of Greenwich Program, I grant permission for him/her to participate in all of the activities
 of the program except where medical restrictions apply.
- ✓ I agree to all YMCA policies and procedures that are stated in the Camp Handbook that will be available to all parents.
- ✓ I understand, the YMCA of Greenwich will not assume responsibility for my child until I safely escort my child into YMCA of Greenwich program facility.
- ✓ I understand, that I must physically sign in and out my child daily.
- I grant permission for my child to leave the YMCA of Greenwich facility with adequate supervision of a staff member and/or volunteers for field trips.
- ✓ I hereby grant permission for the staff to take whatever steps necessary to obtain medical care for my child if warranted. These steps include the following: (1) to administer first aid; (2) to contact parent/guardian or person listed on emergency contact. If the parent or emergency contact cannot be contacted we will contact the child's physician.
- ✓ I understand that if my child is picked up after camps dismissal more than 3 times, I may be asked to leave the program.
- I understand that the YMCA of Greenwich is mandated by state law, to report any suspected cases of child abuse or neglect to the appropriate authorities for investigation.
- ✓ I certify that my child has permission to apply self-supplied sunscreen and bug repellent as necessary.
- ✓ I understand that the YMCA of Greenwich can suspend any child at any time for inappropriate or dangerous behaviors.
- \checkmark
- ✓ By signing below, I understand and will adhere to the above conditions as well as all the policies and procedures of the YMCA of Greenwich Summer Camp Program.

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Contact Information:

Address: 50 East Putnam Ave. Greenwich CT 06830 Contact Person: Heather Brown, Director of Programs, hbrown@gwymca.org, 203.869.1630 Contact Fax Number: 203. 869.7252



CAMP CAN BE: 3-5 YEARS

Full or Half Day Sessions

Qualified and experienced early childhood professionals provide our 3 and 4-year-old Can Be Campers with a stimulating program that challenges a young child's natural curiosity. Discover how fast, strong and creative your child can be enjoying swim lessons, arts and crafts and special theme days. This camp is based at our YMCA Facility at 50 East Putnam Avenue. Choose a week session or the entire summer!

* Children must be potty trained in order to attend.

CAMP CAN DO: 5-7 YEARS

Full Day, Extended day available

CAMP CANTEEN: 8-12 YEARS

Full Day, Extended day available

Our active Can Do and Canteen camps offer fun activities including sports, games, crafts, swimming and more. This camp will take trips to local museums, amusement parks, Seton Scout Reservation and the beach. Group songs, storytelling, scavenger hunts, special theme weeks are all part of the excitement.

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