



Active kids is Y.

Trying something new is Y.

Camp is Y.

Meeting new friends is Y.

Having fun is Y.



Hastings Lake YMCA

Camp is Y.

Remember the fun of summer when you were a kid? Exploring the outdoors, spending time with friends, playing games and splashing in the pool? At Y camp, we create an exciting, safe environment for kids to have an unforgettable summer of fun. And while they're taking part in unique experiences and adventures, they're also building self-esteem, developing interpersonal skills and making lasting friendships and memories. Summer is just around the corner, so sign up at the membership desk today!

FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT[®]
FOR HEALTHY LIVING
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY



Hastings Lake YMCA

1995 Grass Lake Road, Lindenhurst, IL 60046

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www.hastingslakeymca.org

Professionally Trained Staff

Our caring counselors are professional role models

ACA Accredited

We maintain the highest standards regarding program safety and quality



Swimming

Kids cool off in the pool under the close watch of lifeguards

Healthy Kids Focus

Dedicated to building healthy, confident, connected and secure children

Financial Assistance Available

We believe every child should have the opportunity to experience Y camp

Extended Care Available

Before and after hours to accommodate working parents

Field Trips

Unique opportunities to explore nature and experience new places

25 Locations in Chicagoland

Close to where you live and work

Camp Session Dates

| Session Number | Dates |
|----------------|--------------|
| 1 | Jun 4-8 |
| 2 | Jun 11-15 |
| 3 | Jun 18-22 |
| 4 | Jun 25-29 |
| 5 | Jul 2-6* |
| 6 | Jul 9-13 |
| 7 | Jul 16-20 |
| 8 | Jul 23-27 |
| 9 | Jul 30-Aug 3 |
| 10 | Aug 6-10 |
| 11 | Aug 13-17 |

* No camp Jul 4

Partial Week Rates

The Hastings Lake YMCA is now pleased to announce Partial Week Rates. Experience our Traditional and Teen Camps part time with our SPECIAL three-day rates. Pick the days you want, and join in on all of the fun that the Hastings Lake Day Camp has to offer.

Member: \$145 **Non-Member:** \$175

Camp Perks

Included in the price of summer camp are:

- FREE YMCA T-shirt (to be worn on all field trips)
- Field Trips
- FREE Extended Care Program for working parents

Registration Information

If you are registering for a camp at least 10 days prior to the start of a camp, you must either pay for each camp in full or put a \$25 non-refundable deposit down to secure a space in each camp. If you are registering for a camp that begins in less than 10 days, you must pay for the camp in full at the time of registration.

- All campers must hold a valid YMCA membership to receive the member rate and must remain valid until Sep 1, 2012.

If your child's enrollment papers, medical health forms and releases are not submitted in their entirety the Tuesday prior to your child's first day of camp, they will not be able to attend camp.

EARLY BIRD DISCOUNT

SAVE \$10

when you register by

APRIL 28



GENERAL INFORMATION

EARLY BIRD RATE

Stop into the YMCA between Feb 12, 2012, and Saturday, April 28, 2012 for our SPECIAL discounted rate! Earn \$10 off per session when you register early. Don't miss out on this great opportunity to get into all of your FAVORITE camps early!

PAYMENT AGREEMENT

Camp slots will be held with a \$25 non-refundable deposit fee for each camper per weekly session, at time of registration to hold the slot. Deposits are applied toward the cost of each session. Payments in full for camp are due the Tuesday prior to the start of each camp session. You are also welcome to pay the camp balance any time prior to the due date. Payment will be due in full for any new registrations after the scheduled payment date. Bills not paid by the due dates will be subject to a \$30 late fee.

Cancellations/Refunds/Credits:

Refunds or credits for a camp are available prior to June 1, 2012 only! However, the deposit of \$25 per week for the full day camps is a non-refundable deposit.



SESSION CHANGE

Changes in camps and sessions will be permitted at no charge until June 1, 2012. After June 1, there will be a \$10 session change fee for each camp changed.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Financial assistance is made available on a limited basis for families that are in need. Confidential applications are available at the Member Service Desk during regular business hours.

Overnight Camp



YMCA Camp Duncan

Ingleside, IL
www.ymcacampduncan.org
847.546.8086

YMCA Camp MacLean

Burlington, WI
www.campmaclean.com
262.763.7742

YMCA Camp Nawakwa

Lac du Flambeau, WI
www.nawakwa.com
715.588.7422

YMCA Camp Pinewood

Twin Lake, MI
www.camppinewood.com
231.821.2421

CAMP INFORMATION



ACA ACCREDITATION

The American Camping Association has accredited the Hastings Lake YMCA Summer Camp Programs. Our camps meet or exceed the highest standards in camping services, including: health, safety, personnel, transportation and facilities.

CAMP HOURS

Full-Day Hours

- **FREE Morning Extended Care:** 6:30-9:30am
- **Camp Hours:** 9:30am-3:30pm
- **FREE Evening Extended Care:** 3:30-6pm

Half-Day Hours (Preschool only)

- **Morning Half-Summer Camp:** 8:30am-12pm

Late Pick-Up: Children picked up after 6pm will be charged \$15 for the first 15 minutes after the end of camp. An additional \$1 per minute fee will be charged after the first 15 minutes.

NEW! SUMMER CAMP OPEN HOUSE

The Hastings Lake YMCA is pleased to announce two, Summer Camp Open House sessions. Stop in, tour the grounds and facilities, meet with the Summer Camp Coordinator, and get all of your questions answered while registering for camp. The Open House dates are:

Saturday, April 28, 2012, 1-3pm

Friday, May 4, 2012, 7-9pm.

SUMMER CAMP ORIENTATION

On Saturday, June 2, 2012, from 11am-1pm, join us for a cookout lunch and meet the 2012 Summer Camp staff team. This is a great time to have all your questions answered as well as prepare your camper for their first day of camp. We will be accepting any last-minute forms or payments at this time.



SUMMER CAMP SWIM LESSONS

All summer campers are invited to our special Summer Camp only Swim Lessons! Each session of lessons will run 2 weeks (Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri) over the course of 2 camp sessions. Lessons will run from 3:30-4:15pm. The summer camp counselors will bring swimmers to the lessons and bring them back to extended care until a parent/guardian arrives to sign out their camper at summer camp pick-up. Groups will be divided by age, and then ability, to challenge your camper and make sure he/she gets the most out of class.

Registration will close the Friday before each session is scheduled to begin.

Please note: If you choose to sign up for the regularly scheduled group swim lessons, you will have to come to sign your child out of Summer Camp and take him/her to lessons on your own. Summer Camp Staff will only be responsible for getting campers to the Summer Camp Swim Lessons.

| Session | Date |
|---------|--------------|
| A | Jun 11-22 |
| B | Jun 25-Jul 6 |
| C | Jul 9-20 |
| D | Jul 23-Aug 3 |

Member: \$68 Non-Member: \$136

TRADITIONAL CAMP

This camp is an exciting adventure for the camper ready to make new friends and face fun challenges. Your camper will participate in a variety of activities daily, such as arts & crafts, songs, dance, sports and games. Each week of Traditional Camp has a theme in which many of the games and crafts for the week will focus on.

Campers will be placed into age-appropriate groups, and will swim each day in the YMCA pool, have guest speakers, and go on occasional field trips. This is a great camp that will enable your camper to make new friends and learn through new experiences. Please see Summer Camp Grid for the weekly themes.

Member: \$200 Non-Member: \$240 (Week 5):

Member: \$160 Non-Member: \$192



“My children want to go even on my days off work!”

Hastings Lake YMCA parent

PRESCHOOL CAMPS

Y-Rookies is a half-day preschool camp that your little one won't get enough of. This age group runs with low counselor-to-camper ratios so your camper will receive the attention and supervision that they need. The activities include fun games, sports, arts & crafts, songs and swimming in the YMCA pool. Our Preschool Camp themes allow for a new and exciting adventure each week! Visits from special guests will occur on occasion. All campers must be potty trained. Please see our Summer Camp Grid for weekly themes.

Member: \$100 Non-Member: \$120 (Week 5)

Member: \$80 Non-Member: \$96

TEEN CAMP

Ages 12-15 / Sessions 1-11

This camp is for those teens who want to get away, meet new friends and have the time of their life. Teen Camp focuses on outdoor activities, community projects, team-building activities and leadership skills. Parents will love that their teens are learning from great role models in our trained Summer Camp Teen Staff.

Member: \$200 Non-Member: \$240 (Week 5)

Member: \$160 Non-Member: \$192

SPORTS CAMPS

Ages 5-8, 9-12 / Sessions 1-11

YMCA Sports Summer Camps are designed to be recreational and to introduce sports skills and/or sports activities to boys and girls of all ages. Approximately half the camp day will be spent working on the specific sports skills, and we will offer other traditional summer camp activities such as arts and crafts, games, and swimming for the remainder of the day.

Fee: Please see Summer Camp Grid for prices.

SPECIALTY CAMPS

Ages 5–8, 9–12 / Sessions 1–10

YMCA Specialty Summer Camps are designed to allow your camper to experience a new adventure each week! Approximately 2-3 hours of the camp day will be spent focusing on the specific specialty, and we will offer other traditional summer camp activities such as arts and crafts, games, and swimming for the remainder of the day.

Fee: Please see Summer Camp Grid for prices.

AMAZING ANIMALS

Ages 5–8 / Session 1

If your child loves all creatures great and small, this camp is sure to be a favorite! Campers will be introduced to a variety of animals and their habitats, as well as visit a local farm, explore Serpent Safari, and learn about animals of all kinds.

CERAMICS AND CLAY CAMP

Ages 5–8 / Session 7

Ages 9–12 / Session 2

Each day you will work on art projects including clay work, glass fusing and ceramic techniques. This camp is in collaboration with “Ceramics For You” in Antioch.

CLIMBING CAMP

Ages 9–12 / Session 6

Each Summer Campers will have the unique opportunity to climb to new heights on our Hastings Lake Alpine Climbing Tower.

COOKING CAMP

Ages 9–12 / Session 5

Under close supervision, we will be learning some easy-to-make and easier-to-eat recipes for appetizers, main dishes and desserts. The best part is – we will eat what we make!!

COOKING AND CREATING

Ages 5–8 / Session 10

Under close supervision, we will be learning some easy-to-make and easier-to-eat recipes for appetizers, main dishes and desserts. The best part is – we will eat what we make!!



DRAMA CAMP

Ages 5–8 / Session 5

Ages 9–12 / Session 1

Lights, camera, action! Learn drama at its finest through development of theatre and acting skills as well as a behind-the-scenes view of productions. Explore writing a scene or script, marketing and media, production, directing, set making and more!

JR. RIDERS EQUESTRIAN CAMP

Ages 9–12 / Session 8

Does your son or daughter have a passion for horses? Have they always wanted to ride, but never been given the opportunity? Try out our new Equestrian Camp. The campers will be traveling to Dream Catcher Stables in Antioch, IL to learn how to tack and ride both English and Western Style, as well as learn about daily horse care, grooming, feeding and bathing. This camp is for all levels and experiences. Come give riding a try!

NEW! JUST US GUYS: BOYS ONLY CAMP

Ages 5–8 / Session 4

Calling all boys! Explore with us as we check out things like secret inks, dinosaurs, coin tricks, paper airplanes, spy tactics, navigation skills and more! Male camp counselors and role models will provide a great experience for your camper.



MINI GOLF CAMP

Ages 5–8 / Session 6

Practice your putting skills in this Mini Golf Camp! This camp will travel to 2 mini golf courses to test their skills and even create their own course!

MINI RIDERS EQUESTRIAN CAMP

Ages 5–8 / Sessions 3 & 9

Does your son or daughter have a passion for horses? Have they always wanted to ride, but never been given the opportunity? Try out our brand new Equestrian Camp. The campers will be traveling to Dream Catcher Stables in Antioch, IL to learn how to tack and ride both English and Western Style, as well as learn about daily horse care, grooming, feeding and bathing. This camp is for all levels and experiences. Come give riding a try!

NEW! NO BOYS ALLOWED: GIRLS ONLY CAMP

Ages 5–8 / Session 2

Girls rule at this camp! Join us for a girls only party with princesses, jewelry making, tea parties, fashion and so much more!



SCUBA, PADI SEALS TEAM

Ages 9–12 / Session 3

Have you ever wondered what it's like to dive with flashlights or float effortlessly like an astronaut? In conjunction with Toucan Dive in Antioch, IL, campers will go on AquaMissions in the Hastings Lake YMCA pool, learning the basics of diving, as well as sharing in the adventure of the underwater world.

STAINED GLASS CAMP

Ages 9–12 / Session 9

Making stained glass is a fine art and produces beautiful ornaments. For 2 hours a day, campers will work with professionals from "The Glass Palette" to design stained glass art to bring home with them.

THRILL CAMP

Ages 9–12 / Sessions 4 & 10

Laser tag, Alpine Tower, Rollercoasters, and more! The fun never stops in this camp, made especially for the adventurous camper!

NEW! WATER PARK ADVENTURES

Ages 9–12 / Session 7

Ready to get wet and wild this summer? Join us as we travel to three different water parks this week and create our own water adventures at Hastings Lake!

NEW! WHALE TALES

Ages 5–8 / Session 8

Does your camper love the water? Whale Tales makes aquatics safety fun and easy to learn!

2012 SUMMER DAY CAMPS

Traditional Camps / Ages 5-12

| Camp Name | Session | Date | M/NM |
|-----------------------|---------|--------------|-------------|
| Great Outdoors | 1 | Jun 4-8 | \$200/\$240 |
| Treasure Island | 2 | Jun 11-15 | \$200/\$240 |
| Game Show Mania | 3 | Jun 18-22 | \$200/\$240 |
| Superheroes | 4 | Jun 25-29 | \$200/\$240 |
| Stars & Stripes | 5 | Jul 2-6* | \$160/\$192 |
| Time Travelers | 6 | Jul 9-13 | \$200/\$240 |
| Y Factor | 7 | Jul 16-20 | \$200/\$240 |
| Jamming in the Jungle | 8 | Jul 23-27 | \$200/\$240 |
| Olympics | 9 | Jul 30-Aug 3 | \$200/\$240 |
| Wet & Wild | 10 | Aug 6-10 | \$200/\$240 |
| All Stars | 11 | Aug 13-17 | \$200/\$240 |

Half-Day Preschool Rookies (AM) / Ages 3-5

| Camp Name | Session | Date | M/NM |
|------------------------------|---------|--------------|-------------|
| Green Eggs & Ham | 1 | Jun 4-8 | \$100/\$120 |
| Where The Wild Things Are | 2 | Jun 11-15 | \$100/\$120 |
| Harold & The Purple Crayon | 3 | Jun 18-22 | \$100/\$120 |
| Curious George | 4 | Jun 25-29 | \$100/\$120 |
| The Little Engine That Could | 5 | Jul 2-6* | \$80/\$96 |
| The Lorax | 6 | Jul 9-13 | \$100/\$120 |
| Jumanji | 7 | Jul 16-20 | \$100/\$120 |
| The Rainbow Fish | 8 | Jul 23-27 | \$100/\$120 |
| Once Upon A Time... | 9 | Jul 30-Aug 3 | \$100/\$120 |
| The Cat In The Hat | 10 | Aug 6-10 | \$100/\$120 |
| The Giving Tree | 11 | Aug 13-17 | \$100/\$120 |



“The kids are very busy, very active and have a lot of fun. They speak positively of their counselors who helped them feel comfortable right away.”

Hastings Lake YMCA parent

Specialty Camps / Ages 5-8

| Camp Name | Session | Date | M/NM |
|-----------------------------|---------|--------------|-------------|
| Amazing Animals | 1 | Jun 4-8 | \$230/\$270 |
| No Boys Allowed: Girls Camp | 2 | Jun 11-15 | \$210/\$250 |
| Mini Riders Equestrian | 3 | Jun 18-22 | \$300/\$340 |
| Just Us Guys: Boys Camp | 4 | Jun 25-29 | \$210/\$250 |
| Drama | 5 | Jul 2-6* | \$168/\$200 |
| Mini Golf | 6 | Jul 9-13 | \$230/\$270 |
| Ceramics & Clay | 7 | Jul 16-20 | \$230/\$270 |
| Whales Tales | 8 | Jul 23-27 | \$210/\$250 |
| Mini Riders Equestrian | 9 | Jul 30-Aug 3 | \$300/\$340 |
| Cooking and Creating | 10 | Aug 6-10 | \$210/\$250 |

Specialty Camps / Ages 9-12

| Camp Name | Session | Date | M/NM |
|-----------------------|---------|--------------|-------------|
| Drama | 1 | Jun 4-8 | \$210/\$250 |
| Ceramics & Clay | 2 | Jun 11-15 | \$230/\$270 |
| SCUBA Padi Seals | 3 | Jun 18-22 | \$250/\$290 |
| Thrill | 4 | Jun 25-29 | \$250/\$290 |
| Cooking | 5 | Jul 2-6* | \$168/\$200 |
| Climbing | 6 | Jul 9-13 | \$210/\$250 |
| Water Park Adventures | 7 | Jul 16-20 | \$250/\$290 |
| Jr. Riders Equestrian | 8 | Jul 23-27 | \$300/\$340 |
| Stained Glass | 9 | Jul 30-Aug 3 | \$230/\$270 |
| Thrill | 10 | Aug 6-10 | \$250/\$290 |



SUMMER CAMP



Sports Camps / Ages 5-8

| Camp Name | Session | Date | M/NM |
|--------------------|---------|--------------|-------------|
| Basketball | 1 | Jun 4-8 | \$200/\$240 |
| Aquatics | 2 | Jun 11-15 | \$200/\$240 |
| Soccer | 3 | Jun 18-22 | \$200/\$240 |
| T-Ball | 4 | Jun 25-29 | \$200/\$240 |
| Basketball | 5 | Jul 2-6* | \$160/\$192 |
| Karate | 6 | Jul 9-13 | \$200/\$240 |
| Soccer | 7 | Jul 16-20 | \$200/\$240 |
| T-Ball | 8 | Jul 23-27 | \$200/\$240 |
| Olympic Games | 9 | Jul 30-Aug 3 | \$200/\$240 |
| Aquatics | 10 | Aug 6-10 | \$200/\$240 |
| Sports Spectacular | 11 | Aug 13-17 | \$200/\$240 |

Sports Camps / Ages 9-12

| Camp Name | Session | Date | M/NM |
|--------------------|---------|--------------|-------------|
| Baseball | 1 | Jun 4-8 | \$200/\$240 |
| Soccer | 2 | Jun 11-15 | \$200/\$240 |
| Archery | 3 | Jun 18-22 | \$200/\$240 |
| Basketball | 4 | Jun 25-29 | \$200/\$240 |
| Soccer | 5 | Jul 2-6* | \$160/\$192 |
| Frisbee Golf | 6 | Jul 9-13 | \$200/\$240 |
| Aquatics | 7 | Jul 16-20 | \$200/\$240 |
| Karate | 8 | Jul 23-27 | \$200/\$240 |
| Dodgeball | 9 | Jul 30-Aug 3 | \$200/\$240 |
| Flag Football | 10 | Aug 6-10 | \$200/\$240 |
| Sports Spectacular | 11 | Aug 13-17 | \$200/\$240 |

Teen Camp / Ages 12-15

| Camp Name | Session | Date | M/NM |
|--------------------|---------|--------------|-------------|
| Survivor | 1 | Jun 4-8 | \$200/\$240 |
| Fear Factor | 2 | Jun 11-15 | \$200/\$240 |
| Minute To Win It | 3 | Jun 18-22 | \$200/\$240 |
| Teen Cuisine | 4 | Jun 25-29 | \$200/\$240 |
| Independence Day | 5 | Jul 2-6* | \$160/\$192 |
| Back to the Future | 6 | Jul 9-13 | \$200/\$240 |
| Y Factor | 7 | Jul 16-20 | \$200/\$240 |
| The Amazing Race | 8 | Jul 23-27 | \$200/\$240 |
| Olympics | 9 | Jul 30-Aug 3 | \$200/\$240 |
| Teen vs. Wild | 10 | Aug 6-10 | \$200/\$240 |
| Grand Finale | 11 | Aug 13-17 | \$200/\$240 |

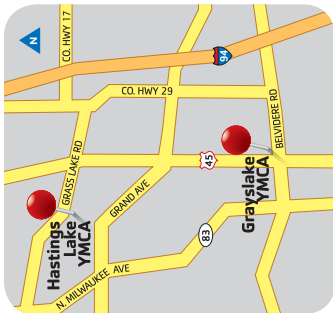
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