

Chatham DAY CAMP

YMCA Day Camps create experiences that last a lifetime!

Laughing, outdoor adventures, making new friends; this is what awaits your child at Y Camp. Making crafts, playing outdoors, or learning a new game; camp is an excellent way to offer adventure and new experiences this summer!

Built on the principles of YMCA Healthy Child Development and our Y values (caring, honesty, respect, responsibility, inclusiveness), our experienced and well-trained staff ensure your children receive the highest level of care.

YMCA DAY CAMP (Campers 4-12 years old)

CHATHAM-KENT YMCA

Members: \$165/week, \$132/short week Non-members: \$190/week, \$152/short week

AGE GROUPS

Junior | Ages 4 to 7

Junior campers explore creativity and imagination through outdoor adventures, crafts and so much more! By learning through play, campers develop an increased awareness of self and others while cooperating with each other and adults.

Senior | Ages 8 to 12

Senior campers discover new skills and talents by learning new games and activities! Throughout the week, campers develop more responsibility and empathy for others, with opportunities for leadership.

EXTENDED CARE

Members: No charge Non-members: \$40/week

Extended Care is available to support families who need an earlier drop-off and/or later pick-up time. Supervision begins at 7:00am and closes at 5:30pm.

Extended Care is free for YMCA members.

SWIM CAMP (Campers 6-12 years old)

Members: \$185/week | Non-members: \$210/week

Campers in traditional camp, can work on their swim level by adding a one hour daily swim lesson to their camp experience.

CAMP BIG DAY FRIDAYS

YMCA Day Camps hold a special BIG DAY every Friday to celebrate another awesome week at camp. Themes may include Carnival, Superhero, and more! Please ask your camp supervisor for more information.

WEEKS & DATES

WK 1: July 2 - 5* Back to the Future WK 2: July 8 - 12 Superhero July 15 - 19 WK 3: Silly Science Animal Planet WK 4: July 22 - 26 July 29 – Aug 2 WK 5: **Detective Days** Aug 6 - 9* WK 6: Construction Camp WK 7: Aug 12 - 16 Around the World WK 8: Aug 19 - 23 Shipwrecked WK 9: Aug 26 - 30 Happy Allidays!

* All day camps closed on Monday, July 1 and Monday, August 5, 2024

Typical Day At Camp	
7:00am-8:30am	Optional extended care
8:30am-9:00am	Camper drop-off
9:00am-9:30am	Opening circle and morning announcements
9:30am-12:00pm	Camper group fun! (craft, active games & circle activities)
12:00pm-12:30pm	Lunch time!
12:30pm-3:30pm	More camper group fun! (nature exploration, swimming & cooperative games)
3:30pm-4:00pm	Closing Circle & Core Values Based Activity
4:00pm-4:30pm	Camper pick-up
4:30pm-5:30pm	Optional extended care

LEADERSHIP (Campers 13-16 years old)

Members: \$216/week Non-members: \$270/week

Dates: Week 4 & 5 (July 22 - August 2)

Leadership is a program developed for teenagers looking to gain work experience and have a blast while doing it! Youth in this program will earn 40 hours of volunteer experience towards their high school diploma and complete basic camp training.











THEME CAMP (Campers 6-12 years old)

Members: \$185/week | Non-members: \$210/week

WEEK 3 & WEEK 7 – All Sorts of Sports

A fun and inclusive sports camp for all skills levels to explore the world of sports, teamwork, and athletics! Some sports include basketball, soccer, lacrosse, badminton, pickleball, baseball and more!

WEEK 4 – At Home Alone Camp (Ages 9-12) Designed to increase confidence and provide hands on experience and skills to be home alone. This fun and active course helps prepare kids to be at home alone and how to respond to medical emergencies.

WEEK 6 – Silly Science Camp

If you have a passion for exploring and experimenting, you will have an outstanding time discovering the silly side of science. Learn about nature, biology, chemistry and engineering through fun, hands-on experiences, and activities.

SUBSIDY & FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Subsidy is available for all camps through your local municipality. Financial assistance is also available through the Y.

INCLUSION

1:1 camp inclusion is available at all locations for campers who require additional support. Registration for this program is only available by contacting daycamp@swo.ymca.ca.



Day Camp Registration Begins January 23, 2024

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For more information, visit ycamp.ca