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**BEST. SUMMER. EVER.**

**2016 SUMMER CAMP | DOYLESTOWN**

**IMPACTING  
LIVES FOR**  
**50**  
YEARS  
**THEN.**  
**NOW.**  
**ALWAYS.**

# WELCOME TO CAMP



Dear Valued Families,

Thank you for your interest in the Y summer camp program. We are constantly self assessing and improving our offerings in order to provide your child with the most positive experience possible. Many hours are spent during the non-summer months to ensure that all of the themes, games, and activities are well thought out and properly developed, so that your child can have the best summer ever! However, beyond the fun and excitement, much time is spent focusing on youth development at camp. The definition of youth development is the social-emotional, cognitive, and physical processes that all youth uniquely experience from birth to career. A successful development process fulfills children and teens' innate need to be loved, spiritually grounded, educated, competent, and healthy. In order to make this positive impact on your child, friendship, accomplishment, and belonging are constant themes at camp. No matter which camp you are attending in Lower or Central Bucks County, your child will learn a new skill, make a new friend, and feel safe while doing so.



I look forward to seeing you this summer!

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J. DePue'.

Jason A. DePue  
Camp Director  
Doylestown | Warminster  
Fairless Hills | Holland | Newtown



**MELISSA LOLLAR**

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"At Summer Camp in Doylestown, it is my main focus to provide a fun and safe environment for your child that encompasses all of the elements below. I look forward to seeing you and your child this summer!"

-Ms. Melissa

**FRIENDSHIP**

We demonstrate the role positive relationships play in the well-being of a child through:

- Staff-Camper Relationships
- Camper Peer Friend-Making
- Parent Engagement

**ACCOMPLISHMENT**

We help children realize their passions, talents and potential through:

- Achievement Passport
- Skill Variety & Mastery Charts

**BELONGING**

We are a place where kids feel safe, welcomed and can express their individuality through:

- Autonomous Choices
- Rituals and Traditions
- Daily Activity Framework
- Inclusion

2016 Camp Sponsors:



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# NEW FOR 2016!

- **PRESCHOOL SWIMMING!**
- **AFTERNOON INDOOR SPECIALTY OPTIONS!**
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- **LATE CARE CURBSIDE PICKUP**
- **MORE FLEXIBLE C.I.T. OPTION**
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# ADVENTURE CAMP



**CAMP FAMILY NIGHTS**  
JULY 7TH | TALENT SHOW  
AUGUST 11TH | FAMILY OLYMPICS

## 10 WEEKS OF ADVENTURE...

### WEEK 1 | WILD LIFE | 6/20-6/24

EMPHASIS: Positive Peer Influence  
SPIRIT TUESDAY: Wear your camp group color  
WEDNESDAY TRIP (must register): Elmwood Park Zoo  
FRIDAY SPECIAL EVENT: Welcome to Y Camp

### WEEK 2 | ALL AMERICAN | 6/27-7/1

EMPHASIS: Service to Others  
SPIRIT TUESDAY: Crazy Hat Day  
WEDNESDAY TRIP (must register): Constitution Center  
FRIDAY SPECIAL EVENT: 4th of July Parade

### WEEK 3 | BROADWAY | 7/5-7/8

EMPHASIS: Sense of Purpose  
SPIRIT TUESDAY: Favorite Sports Team Gear  
WEDNESDAY TRIP (must register): Adventure Aquarium  
FRIDAY SPECIAL EVENT: Talent Show

### WEEK 4 | SUPER HERO | 7/11-7/15

EMPHASIS: Equality and Social Justice  
SPIRIT TUESDAY: Twin Day  
WEDNESDAY TRIP (must register): Battleship NJ  
FRIDAY SPECIAL EVENT: Super Hero Training

### WEEK 5 | JURASSIC | 7/18-7/22

EMPHASIS: Caring  
SPIRIT TUESDAY: Represent Your School  
WEDNESDAY TRIP (must register): Academy of Natural Science  
FRIDAY SPECIAL EVENT: Excavation

### WEEK 6 | KNIGHTS & PRINCESSES | 7/25-7/29

EMPHASIS: Peaceful Conflict Resolution  
SPIRIT TUESDAY: Pajama Day  
WEDNESDAY TRIP (must register): Iron Pigs Baseball  
FRIDAY SPECIAL EVENT: YMCA Renaissance Faire

### WEEK 7 | PIRATES! | 8/1-8/5

EMPHASIS: Integrity  
SPIRIT TUESDAY: Mismatch  
WEDNESDAY TRIP (must register): Brunswick Zone  
FRIDAY SPECIAL EVENT: Gold Rush

### WEEK 8 | OLYMPICS | 8/8-8/12

EMPHASIS: Cultural Competence  
SPIRIT TUESDAY: Crazy Socks  
WEDNESDAY TRIP (must register): Sky Zone  
FRIDAY SPECIAL EVENT: Central Bucks Olympic Games

### WEEK 9 | TIME TRAVEL | 8/15-8/19

EMPHASIS: Personal power  
SPIRIT TUESDAY: 80's Day  
WEDNESDAY TRIP (must register): Diggerland  
FRIDAY SPECIAL EVENT: Back In Time

### WEEK 10 | ALOHA SUMMER | 8/22-8/26

EMPHASIS: Interpersonal Competence  
SPIRIT TUESDAY: Inside out Day  
WEDNESDAY TRIP (must register): Movies  
FRIDAY SPECIAL EVENT: Luau

Your camper will be placed according to grade entering in September 2016...



### FROGS | PRE-K

Your Preschooler can leap into the fun of camp with a focus on socialization and play. New this summer—this camp will swim! 3-5 year olds. Must be potty trained. Morning option only.



### TIGERS | 3<sup>RD</sup> GRADERS

Earn your stripes! Tigers will express their creativity throughout all of the thrilling experiences camp has to offer.



### CUBS | GRADES K-1

Come out of hibernation for a summer filled with excitement. Your Cub will build meaningful friendships through exciting activities and play.



### LIONS | GRADES 4-5

You'll have a roarin' good time at camp this summer. Your Lion will gain a sense of empowerment. Leave your paw print on Camp at the Y.



### WOLVES | 2<sup>ND</sup> GRADERS

Be a part of our brand new group! Your child will have a howlin' good time participating in a wide variety of activities while making new friends and memories.



### EAGLES | GRADES 6-7

As our eldest Adventure group, Eagles will take a different approach to daily activities throughout the camp day. Your PreTeen will enjoy the fun environment of camp while serving as a role model for younger campers.

## SAMPLE ADVENTURE CAMP SCHEDULE

9:00 AM - 9:15 AM	SIGN-IN
9:15 AM - 9:30 AM	OPENING CEREMONIES
9:30 AM - 10:00 AM	DRAMA
10:00 AM - 10:30 AM	MUSIC
10:30 AM - 11:00 AM	SNACK/WATER/SUNCREEN
11:00 AM - 11:30 AM	CAMPER CHOICE & PLAY
11:30 AM - 12:00 PM	SPORTS
12:00 PM - 12:30 PM	LUNCH
12:30 PM - 1:00 PM	CAMPER CHOICE & PLAY
1:00 PM - 1:15 PM	CHANGE
1:15 PM - 1:45 PM	SWIMMING
1:45 PM - 2:00 PM	CHANGE
2:00 PM - 2:30 PM	SNACK/WATER/SUNCREEN
2:30 PM - 3:00 PM	NATURE
3:00 PM - 3:30 PM	ART
3:30 PM - 3:45 PM	CLOSING CEREMONIES
3:45 PM - 4:00 PM	SIGN-OUT



## SWIMMING

Campers who are enrolled in Adventure and Sports Camps in the afternoon will be swimming each day. All campers are swim tested before entering the water to ensure their safety. Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays are spent in the Waterpark Pool for rec swim. Lessons occur on Tuesdays and Thursdays in the Traditional Pool. Girls receive lessons on Tuesdays and boys on Thursdays.

Private lessons are also available during the day for your child. Contact Ashley Coticchio, 215.348.8131, x1409 or [acoticchio@cbfymca.org](mailto:acoticchio@cbfymca.org).

### PARENT TIPS:

Are you considering registering for 3-day Adventure camp? In addition to which day swim lessons take place, also keep in mind the following when choosing your days:

- Many campers begin the week on a Monday (many friendships made!)
- Your camper must attend Wednesday to add on a trip.
- The "Special Event" takes place on the Friday of each week.

Does your child need additional staff support for success? We are here for you. See page 11.

# SPECIALTY CAMPS



## ANIMATION | 3<sup>rd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

Campers will create characters and bring them to life using 2D stop motion. Campers will practice drawing and animation techniques. This camp is led by Mr. Tyler, who has been making movies for fun for 10 years and was the winner of the Best Student Film Award at the 2012 New Hope International Film Festival.



Mr. Tyler

## COOKING | 3<sup>rd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

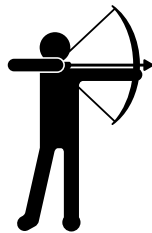
This camp allows campers to practice the basics of cooking and baking with an emphasis on the importance of eating right! All recipes will be hands-on and kid-friendly so no experience is required and all materials are provided. This camp will be led by Sarah Rose Fetter, current NYU Nutrition & Dietetics major.



Ms. Sarah

## ARCHERY | 3<sup>rd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

This fun and exciting camp option is available all summer long! Both morning and afternoon. This camp serves as an introduction to Archery. In addition to time with the bow, campers will also learn terminology, technique, history, and safety.



## DANCE | 1<sup>st</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

Dance Camp integrates technique with creativity to cultivate a holistic understanding of dance. Classes in modern, ballet and hip hop all enhance students' coordination, alignment, musicality and compositional skills. Instructor Ava Louise Untermyer danced professionally with the Lori Belilove & Isadora Duncan Dance Company and Sydnie L. Mosley Dances.



Ms. Ava

## ART | 1<sup>st</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

Morning Art camp dives deep by exploring many different medias and a splash of art history. Each week will have its own specific curriculum. Afternoon art camp sticks to the basics of daily art projects and fun! Every Friday, campers will showcase their work in a show for family and friends in the morning and afternoon camps.



## DRAMA | 3<sup>rd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

This week long camp is all about acting, moving and exploring the art of storytelling. Campers will hone their performance skills and gain confidence through lessons, fun activities and improvisational games! Parents are invited to see what their children have learned at the end of the week!



## BABYSITTING | AGES 11-14

Acquire knowledge, skills and confidence to care for infants and young children. Develop leadership and professionalism with business training and behavior management skills. Hands-on experience in the Y's Child Watch area. Certification through [www.safesitter.org](http://www.safesitter.org).



## FIBER ARTS | 4<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

Immerse yourself in the world of fiber art through weaving, knitting, sewing, and crafting. Students will learn techniques and explore materials by creating wearable art and fun projects. Knowledge of hand sewing and knitting not required. Camp is led by Beca Dunst, PA Certified art teacher with teaching experience in several public school districts and Moore College of Art.



Ms. Beca

## MUSICAL THEATER | 3<sup>rd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

Let's put on a show! Act, sing, dance, make props and costumes, design sets and experience musical theater both on stage and behind the scenes. Campers will have fun while learning about what it takes to put on a musical theater production. The culminating experience is the performance of 101 Dalmatians Kids for friends and family. We welcome all levels of experience to join in the fun! The Director, Katie Piperno, holds a BA and MA in music education from Montclair State University. She spent 10 years teaching vocal music and directing school musicals, concerts and productions in New Jersey public schools. Transportation is available to and from extended care at the Y.



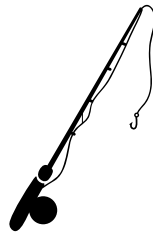
**Katie Piperno**



This camp will be held at the Life Sciences Auditorium at Delaware Valley University.

## FISHING | 1<sup>st</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

In addition to fishing, campers will learn outdoor skills such as orienteering, knot tying, wilderness first-aid, and more! This camp travels off-site each day to different parks throughout Bucks County. All campers must provide their own fishing rod. Bait is provided by the camp.



## GIRLS ON THE MOVE | 3<sup>rd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

Spend a fun and healthy morning in the "Girls On The Move Camp," with joyful exercise and uplifting activities for girls in 3rd-7th grade. Celebrate being a girl through physical activity, journal writing, crafts and meditation with the ultimate goal of fostering confidence and positive self-reflection.



## GUITAR | 3<sup>rd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

Campers will learn the fundamentals of how to play the guitar. They will explore playing chords, melodies, and riffs through fun songs of all different styles. They will also play music games, learn about famous bands and guitarists, and have tons of fun! This camp is led by guitar and vocal instructor, Sean Kelly. \*GUITAR REQUIRED\*



**Mr. Sean**

## JEWELRY MAKING | 3<sup>rd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

Do you love jewelry, but find that it's just too expensive? Make your own! Students will create wearable art using art media and recycled materials. Students are encouraged to brainstorm new uses for recyclables and found materials, making art that is both ecologically sustainable and fun!



**Ms. Beca**

## MAKE A MOVIE | 3<sup>rd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

Lights, camera, action! Campers experience all aspects of moviemaking as they work together to write, direct, star in, and edit a short film. At the end of the week, parents are invited to the world premiere! Tyler Mertens has been making movies for fun for 10 years and was the winner of the Best Student Film Award at the 2012 New Hope International Film Festival.



**Mr. Tyler**

## PHOTOGRAPHY | 3<sup>rd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

This one week camp starts with a focus on learning the basics of how a camera works, and then exploring the many processes of image making. It is optional to bring your own camera but it is not required for this camp.

## SWIMMING | AGES 5-8

Participate in both in-water and deck sessions. Students learn basic water safety and fundamental swimming skills. Designed for students new to the pool or that want to improve their swimming technique. This camp is led by the Y's Dolphin Swim Team coach Tim Ryan.



**Tim Ryan**

**Camp instructors subject to change without notice. Please contact Melissa Lollar for more information, 215.348.8131, x1117.**

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# SPORTS CAMPS



## BASEBALL | 3<sup>rd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

Players are split into teams by age and are taught the fundamental skills of fielding, throwing and batting. Coaches will also focus on game strategy, pitching and base running techniques. Campers participate in baseball games every day. The week wraps up with the World Series.



## DODGEBALL | 3<sup>rd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

This exciting new camp will be held indoors and will prove to be an immediate favorite. Campers will be split into two age groups for gameplay, in order to ensure safety and enjoyment for all. Beyond traditional dodgeball, this camp will utilize gymnastics equipment during gameplay to make quite the dodgeball experience!



Ms. Maddie

## BASKETBALL | K-7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

Players are divided into teams by age and participate in four skill stations each day. Stations help develop dribbling, shooting, passing and defensive skills. Players take part in game play each day as well. The week concludes with our Final Four and NBA Finals games. This camp will be led by the Director of Sports & Play, Coach Andrew.



Coach Andrew

## FLOOR HOCKEY | 3<sup>rd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

Learn the basics of hockey indoors at our Y. Participants will learn stick handling, passing, shooting, and terminology. Campers will take part in game play each day. The week will conclude with a final game that will be open to parents that will feature music and player announcements.



## CHEERLEADING | K-7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

Campers will be introduced to the fundamentals of cheerleading, including; chants, motions, tumbling, stunting, and jumps. They will have the opportunity to demonstrate their support and enthusiasm by performing a routine and cheering on other campers from the sidelines. Cheerleading camp will be led by Emily, a current cheerleader at CB West.



Ms. Emily

## GYMNASTICS | K-3<sup>rd</sup> GRADE

This camp will serve as an introduction to skills on the Gym Kids Circuit. It will also progress during the week to independent and more complex tumbling skills. This camp is the perfect way to see if your child may have an interest in gymnastics.



## CROSS COUNTRY | K-7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

This camp helps both boys and girls master the fundamentals of running, while they strengthen race techniques and improve upon proper mechanics. Running can be a great release for both younger and older kids. This camp is led by Boston marathon qualifier, former collegiate cross country/track runner and certified special educator, Dana Zuiderhof.



Ms. Dana

## INDOOR SUPER SPORTS | K-7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

Beat the heat and learn a different sport each day of the week! Older participants will learn basketball, indoor soccer, floor hockey and volleyball. The younger group will participate in two days of basketball, indoor soccer and floor hockey. Each week will close with a multi-sports day. This camp is led by Maddie, a current Elementary Education major at Bloomsburg University.



Ms. Maddie





**KELLY MCKINSTRY**

**SPORTS CAMP SUPERVISOR | DOYLESTOWN**

## AFTERNOON SPORTS | 3<sup>rd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

Campers are split into two groups by age. The Rookies consist of ages 5 to 8 and the Veterans are ages 9 to 12. Participants will stay active in the afternoon by playing a variety of sports and cooperative games throughout the week. Campers will swim for 30 minutes each day.

## SANKEY LACROSSE | 3<sup>rd</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> GRADE

Campers are taught cradling, passing, shooting and defense. Skills are taught in a learning environment. This camp is great for beginners and players looking to develop their skills. This camp is led by Joey Sankey, UNC All Time Leader In Points and the 2015 MLL Rookie of the Year. **THIS CAMP IS HELD AT TURK PARK III. TRANSPORTATION AND EXTENDED CARE ARE NOT AVAILABLE. VISIT CBFYMCA.ORG/CAMP/SANKEY**



**Joey Sankey**

## NFL FLAG FOOTBALL | K-7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

Players are divided into teams by age and participate in four skill stations each day. Stations help develop passing, running, route running and defensive skills. Players compete each day in games and learn to call their own plays as the week progresses. The week concludes with the Y Super Bowl. All players receive their own NFL Flag jersey and belt to take home!



## RUGBY | 3<sup>rd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

Be a part of this brand new camp for one of the fastest growing sports in the country! This beginner camp is open to both boys & girls and will be a fun and safe way to learn the sport of rugby. Campers will learn skills, gameplay, rules, and terminology. The week will conclude with a match that is open for parents to come spectate.

## SOCCER | K-7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

Players are divided into teams by age and participate in four skill stations each day. Stations help develop dribbling, shooting, passing and defensive skills. Players take part in game play each day as well. Players show off their country pride at our World Cup on Friday. This camp is led by Ms. Erin, who currently plays soccer at Salisbury University where she is an Elementary Education major.



**Ms. Erin**

"Our sports camps reflect the Seven Pillars of YMCA Youth Sports. The pillars below are emphasized in all of our sports camps. Our goal is to provide children with the opportunity to develop skills in a safe, friendly environment. Campers will learn skills and compete against their fellow campers each day."

-Ms. Kelly

1. Safety First
2. Everyone Plays
3. Fair Play
4. Positive Competition
5. Family Involvement
6. Sport for All
7. Sport for Fun

## SOFTBALL | 3<sup>rd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

Players are split into teams by age and are taught the fundamental skills of fielding, throwing and batting. Coaches will also focus on game strategy, pitching and base running techniques. Campers participate in game play every day.



## TENNIS | K-7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

Learn the basics of tennis in a fun environment through drills and games. Players will learn ground strokes, volleys, serves and footwork in this camp. Participants will also learn to keep score during their game play. The week ends with a Friday tournament. Racquet required. This camp is led by Mr. Jeff, a current Social Studies teacher at Central Bucks High School West.



**Mr. Jeff**

## TRACK & FIELD | 3<sup>rd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

Campers explore different events and set challenging goals for themselves. Participants have the ability to focus on a specific event like sprinting, distance, long jump, triple jump, hurdles or shot put. This camp is led by Womens Track Coach at Pennridge HS, Bill Smith, who has worked at the Central Bucks Family YMCA for 42 years.



**Mr. Bill**

## VOLLEYBALL | 3<sup>rd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

Participants are introduced to skills such as serving, passing and digging. Coaches will also focus on the rules and strategy of the game. Players will play games each day during the week. This camp is led by Ms. Kelly, a current Kinesiology/Exercise Science major and volleyball player at East Stroudsburg University.



**Ms. Kelly**

# PRESCHOOL CAMPS



**JENNY APPLE**

**PRESCHOOL SUPERVISOR | DOYLESTOWN**

## HALF DAY OPTION AT THE YMCA

Are you looking for a great introduction to Adventure Camp? Your preschooler can leap into the fun of camp with a focus on socialization and play. New this summer - this camp will swim! 3-5 year olds. Must be potty trained. Morning option only. Extended care is not available. This camp is led by Ms. Jenny, a graduate of North Penn High School and she currently attends Penn State Main, majoring in Elementary Education. Jenny's high-energy and caring nature will make a positive impact on the camp environment. "I really love the energy and enthusiasm of the children at camp."



**JASMINE CRAIG**

**DIRECTOR OF YOUTH EDUCATION**  
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## FULL DAY OPTION AT LENAPE VALLEY CHURCH

Central Bucks Family YMCA Preschool is excited to offer summer learning experiences to children ages 2 – 5 years, and those entering Kindergarten in September. The program combines indoor and outdoor activities in an academic framework. A curriculum is implemented during summer school to encourage academic growth throughout the summer months. The Y is an exciting and challenging place helping preschoolers stretch their skills while building positive relationships with caring adults and peers. This summer school option at Lenape Valley Church is available on a weekly and monthly basis and will follow the weekly themes found on page 4. To register, please contact the Preschool at 215.348.4214



**Kids and teens ages 7-16 explore science, entrepreneurship, applied engineering, media, aerospace, equine and more!**

**Registration is now open! | [delval.edu/kidsu](http://delval.edu/kidsu)**

- Full-day programs
- Extended care is available through the Central Bucks Family YMCA.
- One-week specialty camps and academies on our campus.
- Kids learn from seasoned faculty, educators and industry professionals.



### AREAS OF EXPLORATION

- Animal Science
- Lego™ STEM Robotics
- Equestrian
- Entrepreneurship
- Veterinary Science
- Applied Engineering with K'NEX™
- NASTAR™ Aerospace
- Bug Science
- Media Arts
- Sports Management
- Leadership Academy
- Technology
- Hydroponics



**DELAWARE VALLEY UNIVERSITY**

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# ABILITY CAMPS



Ability Camp at Central Bucks Family YMCA is a “camp within a camp” designed for campers who, in order to be safe and successful, require smaller ratios than what you may find in a traditional summer camp environment.

For the majority of the day, campers participate side by side with their typical peers in activities like arts & crafts, sports & games, and swimming. For one period each day, campers focus on social skills, individual goals, or may choose to “take a break.”

There will be swimming instruction and recreational swim under the direction of YMCA trained swim instructors and American Red Cross lifeguards.

To be most successful in this camp, it is the expectation that campers are mainstreamed without support for at least part of the day in their school environment while designed for all disabilities; the camper must be independent in toileting and feeding. Parent input and involvement in planning and managing behaviors is also expected. Prior to enrollment in Ability Camp at the Y, parents and campers must schedule a meeting with Camp Directors to establish relationships, and discuss the campers needs and goals for the summer. An IEP must be submitted during this meeting.

## SPORTS, SPECIALTY, TEEN AND EXTENDED CARE ALSO AVAILABLE!

# SUMMER LEARNING



## WRITING

This camp uses mentor texts to inspire writers to create daily pieces in their writer’s notebooks. Writers focus on the components of language arts, and the writing process, as well as the mechanics of writing. Writing Camp will be taught by a certified elementary school teacher with experience in the Upper Dublin School District. Rebekah Massey is also a Fellow of the Pennsylvania Writing and Literacy Project through West Chester University.



Ms. Rebekah



MEGHAN HALBERSTADT

## ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR OF ABILITY PROGRAMS

Ability Camp prices for individuals with special needs reflect the smaller camp counselor/camper ratio and additional care/time spent with each camper. For other Ability Camp prices, contact Meghan Halberstadt, 215.348.8131, x1136 or mhalberstadt@cbfymca.org or view online at www.cbfymca.org under Programs>Camp>Ability Camp.

	Time	Member Price	Non-Member Price
<b>TRADITIONAL CAMPS</b>			
<b>FULL DAY - 5 DAY</b>			
Kindergarten to 1st Grade	9-4	\$339	\$455
2nd to 3rd Grade	9-4	\$315	\$425
4th to 7th Grade	9-4	\$305	\$410
<b>HALF DAY - 5 DAY</b>			
AM Only	9-12	\$185	\$225
PM Only	12-4	\$195	\$235

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## MATH

Campers will get a head start for next school year by brushing up on their math skills through a variety of hands-on practice activities. This camp is led by Mr. Tyler, a current math teacher in the Penn-Delco school district.



Mr. Tyler

## READING

Summer Reading Camp is designed to motivate young readers in a fun and engaging environment. Campers will learn to employ strategies for comprehension, and improve fluency, phonics, and vocabulary through a variety of texts and literacy activities. The Central Bucks Summer Reading Lists will be incorporated. Brenda Brown is a former public school teacher/reading specialist.



Ms. Brenda

# TEEN CAMPS



**SHANNON RYAN**  
**TEEN CAMP SUPERVISOR | DOYLESTOWN**  
[sryan@cbfymca.org](mailto:sryan@cbfymca.org)

Take part in the most fun and impactful summer of your life! Whether you choose to be a Counselor in Training (CIT) or Leader in Training (LIT), both paths develop teens into positive role models. CITs partner with Camp Staff to work with young campers and learn responsibility, while LIT camp focuses on self-development and positive peer socialization. Teens in both programs will experience the fun and high energy environment of the Y.

For LITs and CITs, every Wednesday is an intentional day of fun, reflection, and leadership development. This day at the Y includes special activities and a guest speaker.

All first year CITs must obtain a letter of recommendation (from a teacher or coach) to be turned in before the first day of camp.

## COUNSELOR IN TRAINING | 8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE-AGE 15

Our widely popular teen camp puts your teen into an environment where he/she will begin to develop into a young leader. CITs have the opportunity to be a part of sports, specialty and Adventure camps. New this year, CITs can begin their summer on the week of their choice. A minimum of 4 weeks is required; however, attending at least 5 weeks is recommended.

## LEADER IN TRAINING | 8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE-AGE 15

Service to self and others is at the heart of the LIT program. The Y is focused on giving teens the tools to bring positive change to their community and create lasting relationships with their peers.

## TEEN TRIP WEEK!

All Teen Campers, during the week of August 1<sup>st</sup>, will hit the road and enjoy a week of fun. All Teens must participate in trips this week.

8/1/16 BRUNSWICK ZONE  
8/2/16 DUTCH SPRINGS  
8/3/16 DORNEY PARK  
8/4/16 SKYZONE  
8/5/16 LAKE NOCKAMIXON

# SKATEPARK CAMPS



## SKATEBOARDING | 1<sup>ST</sup>-7<sup>TH</sup> GRADE

Whether you are new to riding a skateboard or more experienced, spend your summer at the park! This popular morning camp not only teaches campers how to ride, but also focuses on aspects such as terminology, how to put together a board, and how to ride safely. Participants are separated into smaller instructional groups based on age and experience. Each day of camp includes both "free skate" and instruction. During weeks 2 and 8, campers receive their own YMCA skate deck that they will paint and customize at camp! This camp is led by everyone's favorite skate counselor- Mr. Henry! SKATEBOARD, HELMET, ELBOW AND KNEE PADS REQUIRED.



**Mr. Henry**

## SCOOTERING | 1<sup>ST</sup>-7<sup>TH</sup> GRADE

Campers learn tips and tricks from a qualified scooter counselor! Includes both instruction and supervised "free skate." All participants must provide their own scooter. SCOOTER, HELMET, ELBOW AND KNEE PADS REQUIRED.

**In addition to group instruction, please note that Skatepark camps consist of supervised "free skate." Constant movement on the board is the best way to learn. For questions about curriculum, please contact Jay DePue, 215.348.8131, x1143**

# TRIP ADD-ONS



Enhance an already wonderful summer by adding on a trip to your camp week. In order to register for a trip, you must already be registered for that full-day of camp (see parent handbook for details). Campers must wear their 2016 summer camp t-shirts.

A new trip every Wednesday! Register for trips at least one week in advance to ensure your spot. Spaces fill up quickly. Transportation for all trips is provided by First Student.

## ELMWOOD PARK ZOO

\$29 | 6/22/16  
Departure: 9:15 AM  
Return: 4:00 PM\*



## IRON PIGS BASEBALL GAME

\$29 | 7/27/16  
Departure: 9:15 AM  
Return: 4:00 PM\*



## NATIONAL CONSTITUTION CENTER

\$39 | 6/29/16  
Departure: 9:15 AM  
Return: 4:00 PM\*



## BRUNSWICK ZONE

\$39 | 8/3/16  
Departure: 9:15 AM  
Return: 4:00 PM\*



## ADVENTURE AQUARIUM

\$39 | 7/6/16  
Departure: 9:15 AM  
Return: 4:00 PM\*



## SKY ZONE

\$49 | 8/10/16  
Departure: 9:15 AM  
Return: 4:00 PM\*



## BATTLESHIP NEW JERSEY

\$39 | 7/13/16  
Departure: 9:15 AM  
Return: 4:00 PM\*



## DIGGERLAND

\$49 | 8/17/16  
Departure: 9:15 AM  
Return: 4:00 PM\*



## ACADEMY OF NATURAL SCIENCES

\$39 | 7/20/15  
Departure: 9:15 AM  
Return: 4:00 PM\*



## MOVIES

\$19 | 8/24/16  
Departure: 9:15 AM  
Return: 4:00 PM\*



\*TRAFFIC AND OTHER FACTORS MAY AFFECT RETURN TIME.

# FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE



## CAMP FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE INFORMATION

1. First, register in person at the Welcome Center for all of the camps you are requesting assistance for by:

  - Completing all camp registration paperwork (can be obtained on-line or at the Welcome Center).
  - Paying a discounted deposit of \$10 per camp, per week, per child, to hold your spot while your financial assistance request is being processed.

Example: If you are requesting Early Care, Late Care, and Full Day Camp for Week 1 for one child – we require a \$30 deposit for that week.

If you are requesting separate morning and afternoon camps for any week, you will need to pay a deposit for each of those camps. Camps that run in two week sessions require a \$10 deposit per week, even though they are listed as one session.
2. Next, submit the completed Financial Assistance Application with all required paperwork (2015 tax return and current financial information – pay, support, welfare, social security, unemployment, etc.) to the Welcome Center.
3. Allow at least 3 weeks for processing of the financial assistance application. June camp requests must be submitted by June 1, July camp requests must be submitted by June 15, and August camp requests must be submitted by July 1. Steps 1 and 2 above MUST be completed by these deadline dates.
4. After receiving your qualification for financial assistance, if you would like to register for more camps than you initially requested, please visit the Welcome Center and register for the additional camps at least 10 days prior to the start of those camps. There is no additional paperwork required – just the additional deposits.

## FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE GUIDELINES

% Individual pays of the program fee

Please note: 0% receives maximum assistance granted, which correlates to a nominal fee.

Extenuating circumstances are considered including:

- change in family status
- diagnosis of long-term medical condition
- recently unemployed

Everyone deserves the Y. Please connect with us to see if you qualify: [crefice@cbfymca.org](mailto:crefice@cbfymca.org), or 215-348-8131, x1139.

Gross Annual Income	# INDIVIDUALS IN THE FAMILY					
	1	2	3	4	5	6
\$15,000-\$19,000	15%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
\$20,000-\$24,000	30%	15%	0%	0%	0%	0%
\$25,000-\$29,000	45%	30%	15%	0%	0%	0%
\$30,000-\$34,000	60%	45%	30%	15%	0%	0%
\$35,000-\$39,000	75%	60%	45%	30%	15%	0%
\$40,000-\$44,000	90%	75%	60%	45%	30%	0%
\$45,000-\$49,000	100%	90%	75%	60%	45%	15%
\$50,000-\$54,000	100%	100%	90%	75%	60%	30%



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## QUESTIONS? COME TO AN OPEN HOUSE TO SPEAK TO CAMP STAFF AND TOUR OUR FACILITY...

Saturday | Apr. 30th | 10 AM-1 PM  
Healthy Kids Day

Wednesday | May 11th | 5-7 PM  
Y Main Lobby

Saturday | May 21st | 9-Noon  
Y Main Lobby

Tuesday | May 24th | 5-7 PM  
Y Main Lobby

Thursday | Jun. 2nd | 5-7 PM  
Y Main Lobby

Monday | June 6th | 5-7 PM  
Y Main Lobby

## MEET YOUR COUNSELOR DAY

Saturday | Jun. 18 | 10 AM-NOON | Camp Pavilion

