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YMCA SUMMER CAMP

2026 Summer Camp Guide

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MISSOULA YMCA SUMMER CAMP

Here at the Missoula Family YMCA, we revel in the excitement and energy brought about by summer camp season! With so many camp options, there's something for everyone. Whether for a week, a month, or all summer long, YMCA Summer Camp staff are prepared to offer every child a safe, fun, and fulfilling camp experience

2026 Camp Schedule

- Week 1 (June 15–19): **Be the Hero**
- Week 2 (June 22–26): **Blast into Tomorrow**
- Week 3 (June 29–July 3): **Out of this World**
- Week 4 (July 6–10): **Step into the Storybook**
- Week 5 (July 13–17): **Camp Rivalry Week**
- Week 6 (July 20–24): **All the Buzz**
- Week 7 (July 27–31): **Camp's Got Talent**
- Week 8 (August 3–7): **Hear Me Roar!**
- Week 9 (August 10–14): **Splish Splash**
- Week 10 (August 17–21): **Y Marks the Spot**

Week-Long Camps (Full- & Half-Day Camps)

Our week-long day camps offer a mix of half- and full-day options. Full-day camps offer programming from 9:00 a.m.–4:30 p.m. and include Sunrise and Sunset Care. Half-day camp times vary. Morning half-day camps are eligible for Sunrise Care and Afternoon Camp Add-Ons. See below for details about Sunrise/Sunset Care and Afternoon Camp Add-Ons.

Month-Long Camps (Full-Day Camps)

The YMCA is proud to offer two summer learning loss prevention camps – Camp Imagination and Camp Horizon. Both summer learning camps are offered in month-long sessions and accept Best Beginnings. Turn to page 5 for details, hours, and locations for our month-long camps.

Hours of Care

Supervised care runs from 7:30 a.m.–6:00 p.m. five days a week with intentional camp programming running from 9:00 a.m.–4:30 p.m. Half-day camps have varied start and end times. See individual camps for specifics.

Sunrise & Sunset Care / Check In & Check Out

Full-day camps offer before and after care to all campers. Sunrise Before Care is offered 7:30–9:00 a.m. and Sunset After Care is offered 4:30–6:00 p.m. (5:30 p.m. for camps at Hellgate Elementary). Photo ID is required for every pick up, every time. Sunrise Care and Sunset Care are included in full-day camp fees. Sunrise Care is included in morning half-day camp fees.

Afternoon Camp Add-On

Half-Day Rookie & Kinder Campers • \$158/week

All Other Half-Day Campers • \$128/week

For our morning half-day camp participants who want to stay the full day, we will enjoy lunch and an afternoon full of summer camp activities. This option gives campers the experience of a full day's routine.

Half-day Rookie and Kinder campers will join KinderKubs.

All other half-day campers will join Full-Day Sports Camp.

WHERE MEMORIES ARE MADE!



Check-In & Check-Out Locations

Camp Horizon and KinderHawks check in and out at Hellgate Elementary School. All other camps will check in and out at conveniently located sites throughout south-central Missoula. You will be sent your camp's check in/out locations the week prior to the start of camp. Locations for the 2026 camp season are:

- Hellgate Elementary
- Lewis & Clark Elementary School
- Paxson Elementary School
- Russell Elementary School
- YMCA

Meals & Snacks

A breakfast, lunch, and afternoon snack are provided daily. Campers are welcome to eat breakfast before arriving at camp and may bring their own healthy lunch if they prefer.

What to Bring

In a labeled backpack or bag:

- Reusable water bottle
- Sunscreen
- Swimsuit/Towel
- Extra clothes as weather necessitates
- Sack lunch (optional)

What to Wear

Water activities happen daily. Consider sending your camper in their swimsuit.

- Close-toed tennis shoes (NO flip flops)
- Comfortable active wear
- Layers

Leave At Home

- Cell phones/Electronics
- Money/Valuables
- Knives/Weapons—real or pretend
- Toys/Games/Trading cards
- Candy/Junk food/Soft drinks

Please label each item with the camper's full name. Contact staff ASAP about lost items. The YMCA, its programs, and its staff are not responsible for lost or stolen items. Please check with afternoon staff to see the YMCA's Lost & Found.

Financial Assistance

Financial assistance is available for all camps. Applications are available at ymcamissoula.org/financial-assistance. Submit applications 7 days prior to camp registration. Best Beginnings scholarships are accepted for Camp Imagination and Camp Horizon. Learn more about Best Beginnings at childcareresources.org/families/paying-for-child-care/.

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CURIOUS MINDS



Summer Learning Loss Prevention Camps

The Missoula Family YMCA offers two summer learning loss prevention camps for children entering grades 1-5 that are designed to strengthen math and reading skills while keeping summer fun. Camps are offered in month-long sessions at two locations and help prevent summer learning loss through a seamless blend of academics and adventure. Campers will explore engaging books, tackle math challenges, and discover patterns in nature—all while playing camp games, singing songs, and making new friends. Best Beginnings is accepted, and Y financial assistance is available for both camps. Includes breakfast, lunch, and snack.

Partnership with the Phyllis J. Washington College of Education

Through a partnership with the Phyllis J. Washington College of Education, the YMCA is recruiting camp program staff who are pursuing careers in elementary education. This partnership will provide hands-on experience to future teachers while helping the Y continue to offer robust summer learning programs for Missoula youth.



SUMMER LEARNING LOSS PREVENTION CAMPS

June • July • August

Registration & Pricing for Licensed Summer Camp

A paper or PDF application is required for all summer learning loss prevention camps. Applications are available online at ymcamissoula.org or at the YMCA at 3000 S. Russell St. Open to children entering grades 1-5. There is a one-time supply fee of \$55 (\$75 for families enrolling 2+ children) that must be paid at time of registration. Contact Director Lindsay Hutson at schoolage@ymcamissoula.org or 532-6272 to register. Space is limited. See locations below.

JUNE

starts June 15

\$684

JULY

July 1-31

\$1,311

AUGUST

ends August 14

\$570

Licensed Camps & State Scholarships

YMCA Summer Learning Loss Prevention Camps are licensed through the State of Montana and accept the Best Beginnings Scholarship. Families using the scholarship are responsible for a co-payment and any fees not covered by their authorization plan. Applications and information about Child Care Resources can be found online at childcareresources.org/families/paying-for-child-care/.



Camp Horizon

Hellgate Elementary School
2385 Flynn Ln.
Offered 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

Camp Imagination

Russell Elementary School
3216 S. Russell St.
Offered 7:30 a.m.-6:00 p.m.

KINDER & ROOKIE CAMPS

Camps for Littles

Rookie Sports (Half Day AM* – Week 2 and Half Day AM* or PM – Weeks 4 & 8)

Ages 4–6 • \$108

An introduction to a variety of sports and games, including basketball, t-ball, soccer, and football! Learn sport fundamentals, group games, and team play.

Half-day camp runs 9:00–11:00 a.m. or 1:30–3:30 p.m.



KinderCamps (Weeks 1–10)

Grades K–1 • \$266

A big step into the wide world of summer camps! Join us for outdoor activities, field trips, story time, crafts, group games, and more. Small group sizes make this the perfect introduction to YMCA summer camps.

KinderHawks at Hellgate runs 7:30 a.m.–5:30 p.m.

KinderKubs at Russell runs 7:30 a.m.–6:00 p.m. (Week 10 operates from the YMCA)

KinderAdventure (Half Day AM* – Week 10)

Grades K–1 • \$128

Join your friends on a week of adventure in and around Missoula! Venture to new parks, climb Mt. YMCA, explore Bancroft Pond, and more.

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.–11:00 a.m.

KinderArt (Half Day AM* – Week 4)

Grades K–1 • \$128

An elementary exploration of art mediums and introduction to new projects. This half day camp is the perfect place for budding artists to find their new favorite techniques!

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.–11:00 a.m.

KinderSTEM (Half Day AM* – Week 9)

Grades K–1 • \$128

An awesome half-day camp for young engineers! Build, test, & troubleshoot structures & circuits as we tinker with technology.

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.–11:00 a.m.

Rookie Basketball (Half Day AM* – Week 7)

Ages 4–6 • \$108

An introduction to basketball in a fun, positive environment. Learn fundamental skills such as dribbling, passing, shooting and basic game concepts.

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.–11:00 a.m.

Rookie Dance (Half Day AM* – Week 1)

Ages 4–6 • \$138

Try various styles of dance including, ballet, modern, and jazz. You'll learn a group routine to perform for families!

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.–11:30 a.m.

Rookie Fun & Fit (Half Day AM* – Week 6)

Ages 4–6 • \$108

Develop strength, coordination, and confidence through group games, sports, and activities. Campers will also make their own healthy snacks.

Half-day camp runs 9:00–11:00 a.m.

Rookie Gymnastics (Half Day AM* or PM – Week 5)

Ages 4–6 • \$108

Develop creative movement using mats, balance beams, and spring boards. Learn tumbling, handstands, and cartwheels. Perform for families on Friday!

Half-day camp runs 9:00–11:00 a.m. or 1:30–3:30 p.m.

Rookie Soccer (Half Day AM* – Week 3)

Ages 4–6 • \$108

An introduction to soccer. Campers will learn fundamental soccer skills while playing games and having fun.

Half-day camp runs 9:00–11:00 a.m.


STRONG STARTS HERE

A photograph of two young boys running through a field of tall grass and small purple flowers. The boy on the left is wearing a white t-shirt and black shorts, while the boy on the right is wearing an orange t-shirt and brown shorts. They are both captured in mid-stride, looking forward with determination. The background is a soft-focus green field under bright sunlight.

***Afternoon Camp Add-On**

Entering Grades K-1 • \$158

For our half-day Kinder and Rookie Camp participants who want to stay the full day, we will join KinderKubs for lunch and an afternoon of summer activities.



DREAM BOLD

with Dream Hackerz

Dream Hackerz FAQ

What is Dream Hackerz?

The Missoula Family YMCA is partnering with Coding for Kids and the University of Montana Summer Office to offer nine cutting-edge S.T.E.A.M. camps for kids entering grades 3-8. This partnership, known as Dream Hackerz, strives to expand access to technology opportunities for youth. Journey to the University of Montana to learn in state-of-the-art labs, from experts in their respective fields.

Who teaches Dream Hackerz camps?

Each camp is led by a local expert employed by Coding for Kids. Camps are supported by YMCA summer camp counselors.

Where are Dream Hackerz camps held?

Camper check-in/-out is held at Paxson Elementary School. Campers are bussed from Paxson to the University of Montana, where camps are held in labs and classrooms. Campers return to Paxson at the end of the day.

Does my camper need to attend all five days of camp?

Dream Hackerz camps take a progressive learning approach. Activities and challenges are built on the previous day's lessons and every camp features a Thursday Showcase for camper families. It is highly recommended that your camper attend all days in full.

ACADEMIC SUMMER CAMPS

In Collaboration with Local Partners

Carnival Creations (Week 2 & 8)

Grades 3-5 • \$321

Explore the world of engineering and construction by designing and building simple machines! Dive into the science of levers, pulleys, ramps, circuits, and more, while using these machines to create fun, working models of miniature carnival rides and events.

Cool Cat Coding (Weeks 2 & 4)

Grades 3-5 • \$321

Love LEGO, robots, and video games? Spend the morning coding and creating your own games, then build and experiment with LEGO robots in the afternoon. It's a full day of hands-on fun, creativity, and tech adventure!

Digital Art Adventures (Week 4)

Grades 3-5 • \$321

Dive into digital art using online drawing platforms and digital drawing tablets. Learn the basic elements of illustration such as line work, basic color theory, and creative thinking. Practice with tools and techniques that are commonly used across online drawing platforms and software.

NEW! Digital DaVinci (Week 2)

Grades 6-8 • \$321

Discover the world of digital art using Sketchbook Pro and a drawing tablet! Learn design and illustration basics from line work and color theory to create your own digital projects. Returning artists can take their skills further with advanced techniques and complex creations.

NEW! Pi-thon Circuits (Week 8)

Grades 6-8 • \$321

Explore programming with Python and discover how Raspberry Pi computers interact with the physical world, experiment with cybersecurity concepts, and use the command line like real engineers. Each day combines guided lessons with time for students to design and build their own mini projects, encouraging problem-solving and teamwork.

Logo Masters: Branding (Week 4)

Grades 6-8 • \$321

Learn the basics of logo design and branding for products and businesses. Create thumbnails, roughs and comps using pencil sketches and digital online tools as we move through the design process. Color, typography and composition will be covered and applied to business cards, t-shirts and other branding components.

NEW! Robot Carnival (Week 8)

Grades 6-8 • \$321

Can your robot rule the midway? Students build and code their own Vex IQ robot to compete in a week of carnival-inspired challenges. Step right up for a week of nonstop fun, prizes, and robotics excitement!



NEW! Pollinator Protectors (Week 6)

Grades 6-8 • \$321

Bee Aware Before You Sign Up!

This unique introductory academic camp invites campers to discover the amazing world of pollinators and their impact on our environment. While no prior knowledge is needed, campers must be comfortable around live insects, especially bees, respectful of their space, and be able to follow instructor and staff guidance to ensure the safety of all participants and animals.



TEEN CAMPS

Camps for Middle Schoolers

Active 6 (Half Day AM – Week 10)

Grades 6-7 • \$25 w/ FREE Active 6 Membership**

Engage with middle schoolers through games and sports, gain independence, and learn to stay active and healthy.

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

**Visit ymcamissoula.org to learn more about FREE Active 6

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Teen Big Sky Adventures (Week 3)

Grades 7+ • \$321

Raft, swim, hike, and climb in our Teen Big Sky Adventures day camp! It's a week of adventures to some of Missoula's favorite outdoor spots.

Teen Climbing (Week 7)

Grades 7+ • \$321

Reach new heights as you learn climbing safety, knot tying, belaying, and all the skills needed to safely scale Missoula's local rock faces. Climb indoors at the YMCA and outdoors at local favorite climbing spots.

Babysitting 101 (Half Day AM* – Weeks 1 & 4 and Half Day PM – Week 9)

Grades 6+ • \$191

Develop the skills to be an engaging and safety-conscious babysitter. Study alongside peers and engage YMCA staff in conversation about working with children. Receive CPR training and bring home your very own babysitting tool kit!

Half-day camp runs 9:00-12:00 p.m. or 1:00-4:00 p.m.

Teen Culinary

Grades 7+ • \$321

Get creative in the kitchen! Tackle advanced dishes from countries around the world. Join us for a week of cooking tasty food in the Missoula Food Bank community kitchen.



BELONG HERE



Junior Counselors Program

Grades 7+ • \$191/week

Spend the week engaged with peers and camp coordinators developing leadership skills through team building activities. Gain valuable hands-on experience by shadowing camp program staff in other Y camps. Application required. Scan the QR code to the right to apply!



WEEK 1: JUNE 15-19

Be the Hero



MVP Football (Half Day AM*)

Grades 4-7 • \$138

Advanced drills will improve passing, receiving, rushing, and defensive skills. Learn positions, formations, and game strategies. Group games, contests, and scrimmaging. For campers familiar with football fundamentals.

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

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Half-day camp runs 9:00-12:00 p.m.

Basketball (Full/Half Day)

Grades 1-6 • \$256 (Full)/\$128 (Half)

Learn basketball fundamentals such as dribbling, passing, shooting, and defense. This week is filled with drills, contests, shooting games, and scrimmaging! Bring gym shoes and a water bottle.

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Dance (Half Day PM) &

Rookie Dance (Half Day AM*)

Grades 1-6 & Ages 4-6 • \$138

Spend a week trying various styles of dance including, ballet, modern, and jazz. The group will learn a routine together to perform at the end of the week for families!

Ages 4-6: Half-day* camp runs 9:00 a.m.-11:30 a.m.

Grades 1-6: Half-day camp runs 1:00-3:30 p.m.

Junior Mad Scientists

Grades 2-3 • \$321

Explore the fascinating disciplines of chemistry, engineering, physics, and biology! Put on your lab coat and fasten your safety goggles to get ready for a week of mad science!

MVP Strength & Conditioning (Half Day PM)

Grades 4-7 • \$138

Take your game to the next level with MVP Strength and Conditioning Camp! Strength training will focus on teaching form and technique, using body weight and light weights. Space is limited.

Half-day camp runs 1:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.

KinderCamps (Russell & Hellgate)

Grades K-1 • \$266

Outdoor activities, field trips, story time, crafts, group games, swimming, and more. See page 6 for details.

Survival

Grades 4-6 • \$321

Develop your wilderness skills such as shelter building, fire starting, knots, and navigation! Put your new skills to the test at the end of the week in a survival challenge!

Trail Running (Half Day AM*)

Grades 3-6 • \$138

Spend the week running and exploring Missoula's trails! Learn the basics of training and nutrition, and play fun group games. Compete in a fun run event on Friday!

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

ZooTown – Be the Hero

Grades 1-6 • \$256

Unleash your inner superhero! Save the day with epic quests of heroic fun. Lake outings, group games, swimming, and crafts give the camp a familiar feel, while weekly camp themes spice up the summer.

WEEK 2: JUNE 22-26

Blast Into Tomorrow

Beginning Taekwondo (Half Day AM*)

Grades 1-6 • \$138

Learn Taekwondo fundamentals in a fun, supportive team environment that instills the core values of courtesy, integrity, perseverance, self-control, and indomitable spirit. Led by Championship Training Taekwondo.

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Dream Hackerz

Grades 3-8 • \$321

Develop tech skills in our academic S.T.E.A.M. partnership camps! Turn to page 9 to see which Dream Hackerz camps are offered this week.

Junior Art

Grades 2-3 • \$321

Explore a variety of art mediums and practice new techniques while learning the elements of design. Enjoy field trips to various Missoula art attractions.

Junior Survival

Grades 2-3 • \$321

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Pickleball (Half Day AM*)

Grades 3-6 • \$138

Get in on the fun of pickleball! Campers will learn basic strokes and paddle skills, footwork, rules and scoring. This week will include games, competitions and scrimmaging!

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Super Skippers (Half Day AM*)

Grades 1-5 • \$138

The Y is partnering with Montana Super Skippers to put on this camp! Children of all skill levels are welcome to join. Jumpers learn skills with single ropes, double dutch, and long rope all while having fun, gaining confidence, and improving their coordination.

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

MVP Basketball (Half Day PM)

Grades 4-7 • \$138

Advanced drills will focus on improving dribbling, passing, shooting, defense, and game strategy skills. Group games, contests, and scrimmaging. For campers familiar with basketball fundamentals.

Half-day camp runs 1:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.

Rookie Sports (Half Day AM*)

Ages 4-6 • \$108

This camp is designed to introduce young campers to a variety of sports and games, including basketball, t-ball, soccer, and football! Campers will learn sport fundamentals, group games, and team play.

Half-day camp runs 9:00-11:00 a.m.

Soccer (Half/Full Day)

Grades 1-6 • \$256 (Full)/\$128 (half)

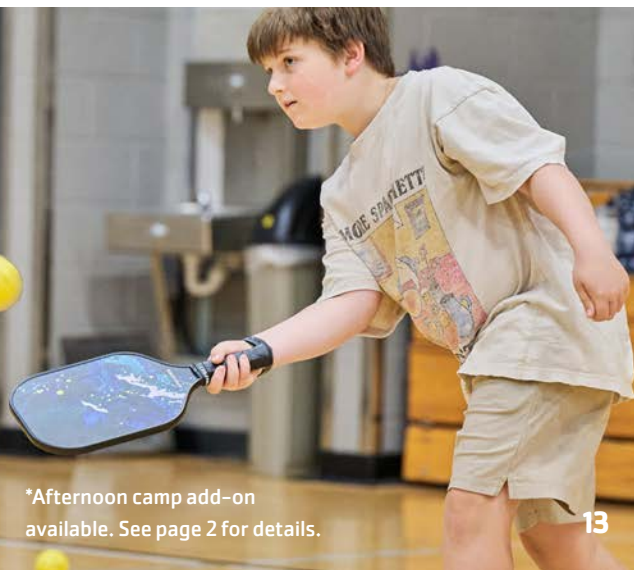
Develop dribbling, passing, and shooting skills. Get ready for PK shootouts, world cup, and scrimmages. Please bring shin guards and tennis shoes or cleats.

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

ZooTown – Blast Into Tomorrow

Grades 1-6 • \$256

Blast off into a future full of innovation and discovery! Lake outings, group games, swimming, and crafts give the camp a familiar feel, while weekly camp themes spice up the summer.



*Afternoon camp add-on available. See page 2 for details.

WEEK 3: JUNE 29–JULY 3

Out of this World

ZooTown – Out of this World

Grades 1-6 • \$256

Launch into cosmic adventures! Stellar games, stargazing and thrills for an interstellar summer escape. Lake outings, group games, swimming, and crafts give the camp a familiar feel, while weekly camp themes spice up the summer.

Baseball (Half/Full Day)

Grades 1-6 • \$256 (Full)/\$128 (half)

Throw, field, hit, and run the bases! Join us for fun competitions, scrimmaging, and the Home Run derby! Please bring a mitt to camp (we have some to lend if needed). Bats will be provided – leave yours at home.

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.

Culinary

Grades 4-6 • \$321

Expand on your skill from Jr. Culinary to learn more about how to use herbs, preserve food and make non main course food. Join us for a week of cooking tasty food in the Missoula Food Bank community kitchen.

KinderCamps (Russell & Hellgate)

Grades K-1 • \$266

Outdoor activities, field trips, story time, crafts, group games, swimming, and more. See page 6 for details.

Junior Space Explorers

Grades 2-3 • \$321

Blast into space for a week of STEM camp that includes rocket building, drone flight, a trip to the planetarium, and LEGO rovers. Finish the week off with a mission simulation using all of our new skills.

Rookie Soccer (Half Day AM*)

Ages 4-6 • \$108

An introduction to the sport of soccer for our youngest athletes. Campers will learn fundamental soccer skills while playing games and having fun.

Half-day camp runs 9:00-11:00 a.m.

Softball (Half Day AM*)

Grades 1-6 • \$138

Throw, field, hit, and run the bases! Join us for fun competitions, scrimmaging, and the Home Run derby! Please bring a mitt to camp (we have some to lend if needed). Bats will be provided—leave yours at home.

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Teen Big Sky Adventures

Grades 7+ • \$321

Raft, swim, hike, and climb in our Teen Big Sky Adventures day camp! It's a week of adventures to some of Missoula's favorite outdoor spots.

Touch Rugby (Half Day AM*)

Grades 2-6 • \$138

An introduction to rugby for young athletes! Through non-contact drills and scrimmages campers will learn basic ball passing skills, game rules, and strategies.

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.

WEEK 4: JULY 6-10

Step into the Storybook

Babysitting 101 (Half Day AM*)

Grades 6+ • \$191

Develop the skills to be an engaging and safety-conscious babysitter. Study alongside peers and engage YMCA staff in conversation about working with children. Receive CPR training and bring home your very own babysitting tool kit!

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Dream Hackerz

Grades 3-8 • \$321

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Flag Football (Half/Full Day)

Grades 1-6 • \$256 (Full)/\$128 (Half)

Practice football skills through fun drills, competitions, obstacle courses, and scrimmaging. Learn specifics about positions, formations, and types of plays. Football camp begins with Signing Day and ends with the Super Bowl!

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Fly Fishing (Half Day AM*)

Grades 3-5 • \$138

Learn about basic equipment, casting, fish and bug types, and fly and knot tying. Catch fish at local streams and ponds! Fly rods provided.

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

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ZooTown – Step into the Storybook

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WEEK 5: JULY 13–17

Camp Rivalry Week

Girls Flag Football (Half Day AM*)

Grades 3–6 • \$138

Calling all gridiron girls! Girls will have the opportunity to learn football fundamentals and skills while making friends and building confidence. This week will include fun drills, team challenges, and scrimmaging.

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.



Big Sky Adventures

Grades 4–6 • \$321

Raft, swim, hike, and climb in our Big Sky Adventures day camp! It's a full week of adventures to some of Missoula's favorite outdoor spots.

Junior Engineering & Inventions

Grades 2–3 • \$321

Unlock the fun of summer camp with this STEM camp! Brainstorm ideas, evaluate prototypes, and create solutions to real-life challenges.

KinderCamps (Russell & Hellgate)

Grades K–1 • \$266

Outdoor activities, field trips, story time, crafts, group games, swimming, and more. See page 6 for details.

Multi-Sport (Half/Full Day)

Grades 1–6 • \$256 (Full)/\$128 (half)

Learn the basics of basketball, soccer, baseball, football, and other sports. Enjoy a week-long Olympic-style competition of relays, group games, and team contests.

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.

MVP Strength & Conditioning (Half Day PM)

Grades 4–7 • \$138

Take your game to the next level! Strength training will focus on teaching form and technique, using body weight and light weights.

Half-day camp runs 1:00 p.m.–4:00 p.m.

Pickleball (Half Day AM*)

Grades 3–6 • \$138

Get in on the fun of pickleball! Campers will learn basic strokes and paddle skills, footwork, rules and scoring. This week will include fun games, competitions and lots of scrimmaging!

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.

Rookie Gymnastics (Half Day AM* or PM)

Ages 4–6 • \$108

Develop creative movement using mats, balance beams, and spring boards. Campers will learn tumbling, handstands, and cartwheels. The group will learn a routine together to perform for families at the end of the week!

Half-day camp runs 9:00–11:00 a.m. or 1:30–3:30 p.m.

Teen Culinary

Grades 7+ • \$321

Get creative in the kitchen! Tackle advanced dishes from countries around the world. Join us for a week of cooking tasty food in the Missoula Food Bank community kitchen.

ZooTown – Camp Rivalry Week

Grades 1–6 • \$256

Teams clash in epic showdowns. Bring your spirit – represent your camp. Lake outings, group games, swimming, and crafts give the camp a familiar feel, while weekly camp themes spice up the summer.

*Afternoon camp add-on available. See page 2 for details.

WEEK 6: JULY 20–24

All the Buzz

Big Sky Adventures

Grades 4–6 • \$321

Raft, swim, hike, and climb in our Big Sky Adventures day camp! It's a full week of adventures to some of Missoula's favorite outdoor spots.

Camp Ponderosa – All the Buzz

Grades 1–6 • \$256

Join this bee-utiful camp filled with the sweet sounds of nature. It will be abuzz with music and insects. Venture to Gilman Ranch for BB Guns, Gaga Ball, and Disc Golf! Afternoon swims and weekly trips to local lakes give the camp a familiar feel while activities based on the weekly theme keep each week feeling fresh.

Junior Music

Grades 2–3 • \$321

Don't miss a beat! Grab your drumsticks and jam with us. Build instruments, hear from local musicians, sample a variety of instruments, and more. Each camper gets their very own recorder to keep.

KinderCamps (Russell & Hellgate)

Grades K–1 • \$266

Outdoor activities, field trips, story time, crafts, group games, swimming, and more. See page 6 for details.

Outdoor Recreation

Grades 1–6 • \$256

Experience recreation and develop lifelong hobbies in one of the best cities to explore the great outdoors! Activities will include hiking, disc golfing, climbing, archery, lawn games, and a variety of outdoor sports.

NEW! Pollinator Protectors

Grades 6–8 • \$321

Bee Aware Before You Sign Up!

This unique introductory academic camp invites campers to discover the amazing world of pollinators and their impact on our environment. While no prior knowledge is needed, campers must be comfortable around live insects, especially bees, respectful of their space, and be able to follow instructor and staff guidance to ensure the safety of all participants and animals.

Rookie Fun & Fit (Half Day AM*)

Ages 4–6 • \$108

Develop strength, coordination, and confidence through group games, sports, and activities. Campers will make their own healthy snacks and learn new ways to have a healthy mind, body, and spirit.

Half-day camp runs 9:00–11:00 a.m.

Topnotch Trickshots (Half Day AM*)

Grades 2–6 • \$138

Join us for individual challenges and friendly competitions! Campers will have a chance to show their creative side while coming up with trick shots for a variety of sports.

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.

Volleyball (Half Day AM*)

Grades 3–6 • \$138

Pass, set, and spike in Volleyball Camp! Campers will learn the fundamentals of passing, setting, hitting, serving, and defense. Learn basic rotations and strategies while working your way up to the end of the week championship scrimmage.

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.

*Afternoon camp add-on available. See page 2 for details.

LEGO Creators

Grades 4–6 • \$321

Bring your imagination to life! Enjoy themed projects, collaborative challenges, and creative construction while using our favorite building materials—LEGO!



WEEK 7: JULY 27-31

Camp's Got Talent

Fly Fishing (Half Day AM*)

Grades 3-5 • \$138

Learn about basic equipment, casting, fish and bug types, and fly and knot tying. Catch fish at local streams and ponds! Fly rods provided.

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Junior LEGO Creators

Grades 2-3 • \$321

Bring your imagination to life! Enjoy themed projects, collaborative challenges, and creative construction – all using our favorite building materials – LEGOS!

KinderCamps (Russell & Hellgate)

Grades K-1 • \$266

Outdoor activities, field trips, story time, crafts, group games, swimming, and more. See page 6 for details.

Rookie Basketball (Half Day AM*)

Ages 4-6 • \$108

An introduction to the sport of basketball in a fun, positive environment. Campers will learn fundamental skills such as dribbling, passing, shooting and basic game concepts.

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m.

Soccer (Half/Full Day)

Grades 1-6 • \$256 (Full)/\$128 (Half)

Develop dribbling, passing, and shooting skills. Get ready for PK shootouts, world cup, and scrimmages. Please bring shin guards and tennis shoes or cleats.

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Theater

Grades 4-7 • \$321

Break a leg! Get involved in all aspects of the theater, including casting roles, building props and sets, and rehearsing and performing your play for families at the end of the week.

Track & Field (Half Day AM*)

Grades 2-6 • \$138

Practice sprints, middle-distance running, relays, jumping, and throwing. Learn the basics of training and nutrition. Campers will compete in their own field day at the end of the week.

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

*Afternoon camp add-on available. See page 2 for details.

Camp Ponderosa – Camp's Got Talent

Grades 1-6 • \$256

From singing to dancing and everything in between... Come watch, or show us all the great talent Missoula has to offer. Venture to Gilman Ranch for BB Guns, Gaga Ball, and Disc Golf! Afternoon swims and weekly trips to local lakes give the camp a familiar feel while activities based on the weekly theme keep each week feeling fresh.

Teen Climbing

Grades 7+ • \$321

Reach new heights as you learn climbing safety, knot tying, belaying, and all the skills needed to safely scale Missoula's local rock faces. Climb indoors at the YMCA and outdoors at local favorite climbing spots.



WEEK 8: AUGUST 3-7

Hear Me Roar!

Art

Grades 4-7 • \$321

Explore using a variety of art mediums and practice new techniques, all while learning the elements of design. We'll connect with the art museum and other artistic attractions around Missoula.



Camp Ponderosa – Hear Me Roar!

Grades 1-6 • \$256

Roar with jungle power! Channel your fierce side with games, crafts and untamed summer excitement. Venture to Gilman Ranch for BB Guns, Gaga Ball, and Disc Golf! Afternoon swims and weekly trips to local lakes give the camp a familiar feel while activities based on the weekly theme keep each week feeling fresh.

Dream Hackerz

Grades 3-8 • \$321

Develop tech skills in our academic S.T.E.A.M. partnership camps! Turn to page 9 to see which Dream Hackerz camps are offered this week.

Flag Football (Half/Full Day)

Grades 1-6 • \$256 (Full)/\$128 (Half)

Practice football skills through fun drills, competitions, obstacle courses, and scrimmaging. Learn specifics about positions, formations, and types of plays. Football camp begins with Signing Day and ends with the Super Bowl!

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Junior Climbing

Grades 2-3 • \$321

Reach new heights as you learn climbing safety, knot tying, belaying, and all the skills needed to safely scale Missoula's local rock faces. Climb indoors at the YMCA and outdoors at local favorite climbing spots.

KinderCamps (Russell & Hellgate)

Grades K-1 • \$266

Outdoor activities, field trips, story time, crafts, group games, swimming, and more. See page 6 for details.

Lacrosse (Half Day AM*)

Grades 2-3 • \$138

Learn the skills, techniques, and rules of the growing sport Lacrosse! Practice cradling, scooping, throwing, and catching while preparing for the championship scrimmage at the end of the week. Equipment provided.

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

MVP Basketball (Half Day AM)

Grades 4-7 • \$138

Advanced drills will focus on improving dribbling, passing, shooting, defense, and game strategy skills. Group games, contests, and scrimmaging. For campers familiar with basketball fundamentals.

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Rookie Sports (Half Day AM* or PM)

Ages 4-6 • \$108

This camp is designed to introduce young campers to a variety of sports and games, including basketball, t-ball, soccer, and football! Campers will learn sport fundamentals, group games, and team play.

Half-day camp runs 9:00-11:00 a.m. or 1:30-3:30 p.m.

WEEK 9: AUGUST 10-14

Splish Splash



Camp Ponderosa – Splish Splash

Grades 1-6 • \$256

Make a splash with water games and aquatic fun. Dive into waves of laughter and refreshing adventures all day long. Venture to Gilman Ranch for BB Guns, Gaga Ball, and Disc Golf! Afternoon swims and weekly trips to local lakes give the camp a familiar feel while activities based on the weekly theme keep each week feeling fresh.

KinderCamps (Russell & Hellgate)

Grades K-1 • \$266

Outdoor activities, field trips, story time, crafts, group games, swimming, and more. See page 6 for details.

Babysitting 101 (Half Day PM)

Grades 6+ • \$191

Develop the skills to be an engaging and safety-conscious babysitter. Study alongside peers and engage YMCA staff in conversation about working with children. Receive CPR training and bring home your very own babysitting tool kit!

Half-day camp runs 1:00-4:00 p.m.

Basketball (Full/Half Day)

Grades 1-6 • \$256 (Full)/\$128 (Half)

Learn basketball fundamentals such as dribbling, passing, shooting, and defense. This week is filled with drills, contests, shooting games, and scrimmaging! Bring gym shoes and a water bottle.

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Beginning Taekwondo (Half Day AM*)

Grades 1-6 • \$138

Learn Taekwondo fundamentals in a fun, supportive team environment that instills the core values of courtesy, integrity, perseverance, self-control, and indomitable spirit. Led by Championship Training Taekwondo.

Junior Big Sky Adventures

Grades 2-3 • \$321

Raft, swim, hike, and climb in our Junior Big Sky Adventures day camp! It's a full week of adventures to some of Missoula's favorite outdoor spots.

KinderSTEM (Half Day AM*)

Grades K-1 • \$128

An awesome half-day camp for young engineers! Build, test, & troubleshoot structures & circuits as we tinker with technology.

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m.

Theater

Grades 4-7 • \$321

Break a leg! Get involved in all aspects of the theater, including casting roles, building props and sets, and rehearsing and performing their play for families at the end of the week.

*Afternoon camp add-on available. See page 2 for details.

WEEK 10: AUGUST 17-21

Y Marks the Spot

Active 6 (Half Day AM)

Grades 6-7 • \$25 w/ FREE Active 6 Membership**

Engage with other middle-schoolers through games and sports, gain independence, and learn ways to stay active and healthy.

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

**Visit ymcamissoula.org to learn more about FREE Active 6

Climbing

Grades 4-6 • \$321

Reach new heights as you learn climbing safety, knot tying, belaying, and all the skills needed to safely scale Missoula's local rock faces. Climb indoors at the YMCA and outdoors at local favorite climbing spots.

Junior Culinary

Grades 2-3 • \$321

Learn the basic skills needed to cook meat, vegetables, carbs and put a full meal together. Join us for a week of cooking tasty food in the Missoula Food Bank community kitchen. Create your own cookbook, visit local gardens, and learn about nutrition.

KinderAdventure (Half Day AM*)

Grades K-1 • \$128

Join your friends on a week of adventure in and around Missoula! Venture to new parks, climb Mt. YMCA, explore Bancroft Pond, and more.

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.-11:30 a.m.

KinderCamps (YMCA & Hellgate)

Grades K-1 • \$266

Outdoor activities, field trips, story time, crafts, group games, swimming, and more. See page 6 for details.

Multi-Sport (Half/Full Day)

Grades 1-6 • \$256 (Full)/\$128 (Half)

Learn the basics of basketball, soccer, baseball, football, and a variety of other sports. Enjoy a week-long Olympic-style competition of relays, group games, and team contests.

Half-day camp runs 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

*Afternoon camp add-on available. See page 2 for details.

Camp Ponderosa – Y Marks the Spot

Grades 1-6 • \$256

There is gold in them there hills!!! Missoula is full of golden adventures. Let's explore our city together. Venture to Gilman Ranch for BB Guns, Gaga Ball, and Disc Golf! Afternoon swims and weekly trips to local lakes give the camp a familiar feel while activities based on the weekly theme keep each week feeling fresh.



CONTINUE THE FUN!

A photograph of two children sitting at a table, focused on playing a board game, likely chess. The child on the left has blonde hair and is wearing a green t-shirt with a rainbow stripe. The child on the right has dark hair and is wearing a grey Champion t-shirt. They are both looking intently at the chessboard. In the background, another child is partially visible, wearing a green t-shirt with a circular logo.

The Missoula YMCA is proud to offer a variety of programs to support families during the school year. Financial assistance is available for all programs. Visit ymcamissoula.org to learn more or to register!

After School

Continue the fun with familiar staff and quality care! Our licensed after school program is led by responsible counselors and provides healthy snacks, aerobic activity, and enriching activities including STEM, arts and crafts, and games in a small group setting.

Care is offered Monday–Friday from school release to 6:00 p.m. Advanced registration is required. Best Beginnings scholarships are accepted.

School's Out Day Camp

No school? No problem! Care is offered on most MCPS and Hellgate Elementary no-school days. Meals and snacks are included. We also offer Winter and Spring Break camps.

Youth & Teen Clubs

YMCA Clubs offer a group environment for youth and teens to hang out alongside friends. Programs are held in the YMCA's Youth Activity Center. Registration is required for most clubs, although some drop-in options are available.

PARENT HANDBOOK

Registrations, Deposits, and Financial Assistance

Register in person at the YMCA, over the phone, or online at ymcamissoula.org. A one-time \$15 registration fee is required for each camper. A non-refundable, non-transferable \$25 deposit per camp is due at the time of registration. This deposit is required to hold your child's place and will be applied to the total balance due. The balance of each camp is due no later than one week prior to the first day of each camp session. Unpaid balances during this week will result in your child's spot in the camp being forfeited. Turn to page 7 for information on licensed summer camp registration, financial assistance, and fee schedules.

We pride ourselves on working with families and community organizations to offer camp experiences for all children, regardless of ability to pay. Financial assistance is available for YMCA Summer Camp. Applications are available at the YMCA Welcome Center or online at ymcamissoula.org. Financial assistance applications must be completed and approved prior to registration. Please allow 7 days to process applications. Scheduled auto-draft payments are required.

Week	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Pmnt. due by 5:00 p.m.	June 8	June 15	June 22	June 29	July 6	July 13	July 20	July 27	Aug. 3	Aug. 10

Attendance, Refunds, and Credits

Unless noted, all Missoula YMCA Summer Camps are week-long opportunities. In addition to standard YMCA policies, participants are subject to the following:

- **Deposits** and one-time registration fees are **non-refundable** and **non-transferable**.
- Cancellations and transfers must be made at least 10 days before camp dates to be eligible for credits minus the deposit.
- **No credits or refunds** will be given for cancellations or transfers less than 10 days prior to camp.
- Credits or refunds will only be issued if a parent/guardian provides written or verbal notice to a Camp Director, even if a child does not attend.
- Changes in schedules or registrations must be approved by the Camp Director.
- If your child is expelled from YMCA Camp as a result of behavioral concerns, a refund (minus deposits) will be issued for all registered camp sessions starting the full week after expulsion.
- For questions about Camp Imagination or Camp Horizon, contact us at schoolage@ymcamissoula.org.
- Credit and/or refunds will not be issued due to camp closures based on unforeseen circumstances (ex: extreme weather, power outages, etc.)

Camper Check Out

Photo ID is required for every checkout every time. Many camp activities take place off site. Any authorized adult wishing to check out a full-day camper before 4:30 p.m. must arrange checkout details in advance with camp staff.

Families will be charged a late fee of \$30/child for any checkouts after 6:00 p.m. (5:30 p.m. for camps at Hellgate Elementary). Camp registration may be suspended if balances are not paid within 5 business days. The camper will remain with two adult counselors at all times. The following steps will be taken should a camper not be picked up:

1. Every effort will be made to reach parent(s)/guardian(s) via provided phone numbers.
2. Alternate emergency contacts will be called if primary contacts can't be reached.
3. In the event that no one can be reached 30 minutes after programs end, the police will be notified.

FAMILY HANDBOOK



Food and Purchases

Breakfast and lunch are provided through Missoula County Public Schools' Summer Food Service Program, and a nutritious afternoon snack is provided through our participation in the USDA Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP). Additional food items are provided through a partnership with the Missoula Food Bank. Breakfast is offered from 7:30–8:45 a.m. Sack lunches and milk are offered at lunchtime, and an afternoon snack is provided before 4:30 p.m. Food also follows the YMCA's HEPA (Healthy Eating and Physical Activity) Standards and includes at least one serving of fruit or vegetable and one serving of whole grain.

Campers in the YMCA's care are not permitted to purchase items from stores or vending machines. Do not send money with your child. If you would like to purchase a snack for your child, do so before checking your child into camp.

Inclusion

All Missoula YMCA programs operate in accordance with all state and federal policies. We work to ensure that everyone, regardless of ability, age, cultural background, ethnicity, faith, gender, gender identity, ideology, income, national origin, race, or sexual orientation has the opportunity to reach their full potential with dignity.

YMCA Summer Camps are designed to provide accessibility for children with moderate visual, auditory, orthopedic, mental, and emotional challenges. Call Camp Directors to discuss your child's specific needs prior to registering.

Safety and Supervision

All camp staff are certified in CPR and First Aid, and participate in a week-long training of YMCA policies and procedures. Campers are supervised by staff at all times. At no time will one YMCA staff member be alone with one child. At no time will YMCA Junior Counselors supervise campers without a YMCA Camp Counselor present.

FAMILY HANDBOOK

Safety and Supervision (continued)

When transporting campers, YMCA staff follow a Child Safety System that requires staff to conduct vehicle sweeps to ensure no child is left on board when the destination is reached. Every bus is equipped with booster seats for campers who weigh fewer than 60 lbs and/or are under six years old. Booster seat assignments are based on information provided at registration. Contact a Camp Director if this information has changed.

For campers' safety, no unauthorized person will be permitted to enter YMCA camp areas, interact with campers, or pick up a camper from camp programming. Only persons designated by a parent or legal guardian on the camp registration form will be authorized to interact with campers or have a camper released into their care. A photo ID is required every time when picking up a camper. This policy applies to all campers.

Behavior Management and Expectations

Camp staff are trained to use behavior management techniques that include positive guidance and redirection. Staff are also trained to set clear limits and expectations. Campers are held accountable for their actions and are expected to adhere to the YMCA's four core values of Honesty, Caring, Respect, and Responsibility.

Camps are designed for group participation and interaction. Attempts to correct negative or disruptive behavior may include action plans, behavior contracts, and parent/guardian meetings. Behavior that disrupts programming, endangers self or others, disrespects property, or requires repeated one-to-one attention from staff may result in the camper being suspended and/or expelled from camp.

Emergencies, Wildlife, and Inherent Risk

Any camper involved in an emergency situation will immediately be attended to by YMCA staff. First aid and/or CPR will be administered, and an ambulance will be called if necessary. YMCA staff will contact the Camp Director and the child's emergency contact(s) listed on the registration form.

YMCA Summer Camps offer children opportunities to visit and explore natural areas. Should wildlife be encountered or wildlife situations escalate, camp staff will place themselves between all campers and the animal. Campers will then be moved to a safe area, and FWP will be contacted if necessary.

YMCA Summer Camps include activities with inherent risks such as hiking, rafting, cycling, sports, climbing, archery, BB guns, rope courses and more. YMCA staff are trained to provide the safest possible experience for all campers.

Weather and Air Quality

Weather is monitored and camp schedules are subject to change. If the weather is warm and rain is light, outdoor activities will continue as planned. Pack a raincoat and an extra set of clothes. Activities will be adapted and moved indoors during more inclement weather. In the case of severe weather, all campers will remain at an official Missoula YMCA location or safe area. Do not come to the YMCA to retrieve your camper until severe weather has passed.

During periods of heavy fire and smoke, air quality is monitored via the Missoula City-County Health Department. Camp activities will be adjusted as needed. All campers will be kept indoors at air quality Stage 2 or above.

FAMILY HANDBOOK

Medication

Parents must notify a Camp Director if their child takes medication during the camp day. Medicine, its schedule, and a completed Authorization to Administer Medication form must be turned into camp staff on the first day of camp. Any medication to be administered at camp must be accompanied by a signed doctor's note or prescription container with specific instructions, dosage amounts, and dosage times. No over-the-counter medications will be given to campers without prior parental approval. All unused medicine not retrieved by the parent or legal guardian will be locked up and discarded one week after the camper's last day of camp. Insurance for health-related matters must be covered by the parent or legal guardian.

Illness

Keep sick children home and notify YMCA Summer Camp of their absence by calling 721-9622. Children who have had diarrhea or a fever, had a positive COVID test, or who have vomited within the last 24 hours cannot attend camp. Parents/guardians will be notified immediately if a camper becomes ill while at camp. Parents/guardians are expected to arrange immediate pickup of ill campers. Campers who become ill at camp will be cared for away from the group by staff until an authorized adult picks them up. Children with (or showing signs/symptoms of) a communicable illness cannot attend camp until they have been evaluated by a healthcare professional. Camp Directors must receive written approval by a healthcare professional before children return to camp.

As a reminder: Refunds and credits will not be issued for single-day based absence and/or illnesses.

Insect Repellent and Sunscreen

Bring sunscreen and insect repellent to camp each day. Before going outside, or every two hours outside, camp staff will monitor every camper applying sunscreen. Camp staff will provide sunscreen for any camper who forgets or runs out. Indicate at registration if you would prefer the YMCA not to provide sunscreen/insect repellent to your camper.



FAMILY HANDBOOK



USDA Food Program and Permits

As a participant in the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Food Program, the YMCA makes afternoon snack available to enrolled children following USDA Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP) guidelines.

In accordance with Federal civil rights law and U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) civil rights regulations and policies, the USDA, its Agencies, offices, and employees, and institutions participating in or administering USDA programs are prohibited from discriminating based on race, color, national origin, sex, disability, age, or reprisal or retaliation for prior civil rights activity in any program or activity conducted or funded by USDA.

Persons with disabilities who require alternative means of communication for program information (e.g. Braille, large print, audiotope, American Sign Language, etc.), should contact the Agency (State or local) where they applied for benefits. Individuals who are deaf, hard of hearing or have speech disabilities may contact USDA through the Federal Relay Service at 800-877-8339. Program information may be made available in languages other than English.

To file a program complaint of discrimination, complete the USDA Program Discrimination Complaint Form (AD-3027) found Online. You can also file that complaint at any USDA office or write a letter addressed to USDA. If you send a letter, provide all of the information requested in the form. To request a copy of the complaint form, call 866-632-9992. You can submit your completed form of letter to USDA by mail, fax or email.

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THIS IS WHERE MEMORIES ARE MADE!

Choose from a variety of camps including sports, adventure, art, and more.

Campers will enjoy field trips to local parks, lake days, and activities.

Sign your camper up at ymcamissoula.org.



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