



Lancaster Family YMCA
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 Lancaster, NY 14086
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**Passport to Summer
 YMCA Carnival of Fun
 Saturday, May 9, 2009**

YMCA Buffalo Niagara is hosting the fifth annual Passport to Summer Carnival of Fun summer camp preview. Participants will have an opportunity to experience the type of activities planned for day camp.

Activity stations include:

- Bounce House
- Crafts
- Carnival Games
- Face Painting
- And More!

LANCASTER FAMILY YMCA

**YMCA
 Camp
 Tahigwa
 Summer 2009**



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YMCA Camp Tahigwa

Welcome to YMCA Camp Tahigwa!

YMCA Camp Tahigwa is the ideal environment for children who love the great outdoors. While our camp offers traditional day camp activities such as arts and crafts and swimming we also have archery, hiking, canoeing, fishing, a low ropes course, and so much more! We even offer a basic mountain biking camp so children can perfect their skills and learn new techniques in a safe and fun environment.

Geared for children in grades K-10, there is something for everyone! Campers will enjoy fun-filled days exploring the picturesque landscape, engaging in hands on activities and sports, and making new friends all while being cared for by responsible and caring camp counselors. Parents can feel confident that their child will enjoy a safe camp experience as the camp is county Health Department certified and is subject to on-site inspections.

Camp Tahigwa is located in Corfu, NY, and is easily accessible as we offer five different pick up and drop off locations for bus transportation to the camp. (See Registration Form for locations.)

We encourage you to learn more about Camp Tahigwa by visiting the YMCA Web site at www.ymcabuffaloniagara.org or by contacting us through our Lancaster YMCA at 716-684-2395.

Day Camp

Grades 1-6

YMCA Day Camp is geared for fun, exploration, and adventure! Campers spend time swimming, exploring the environment through outdoor education, developing their creative skills in arts and crafts, playing group games and sports, learning how to work together as a group, and participating in a variety of outdoor activities like archery, fishing and low ropes.

Mountain Biking Camp

Grades 3-8

Basic mountain biking skills and techniques are taught in a safe, fun environment at Camp Tahigwa. Campers will bike through our nature trails nestled in the woods. The program also provides campers access to other outdoor activities such as swimming, canoeing, and archery.

Wilderness Getaway

Grades 1-10

(Aug. 31 - Sept. 2 only)

Campers will spend time engaged in the wilderness of Camp Tahigwa, taking part in the traditional day camp activities offered at the camp. Activities include swimming, archery, arts and crafts, athletics, and more. A field trip to Darien Lake Theme Park will also take place on Tuesday during the week.

Busing available at William Street School only.



2009 Camp Dates

Weeks Offered

June 29 - July 3	July 6-10	July 13-17*
July 20-24	July 27-31*	Aug. 3-7
Aug. 10-14*	Aug. 17-21	Aug. 24-28
Aug. 31 - Sept. 2 (Wilderness Getaway)		

Each week, camp activities will correspond with a fun and exciting theme.

Children will be able to express themselves creatively by designing works of art, dressing up in costumes, and playing games with other campers.

* An overnight option is available for these weeks for children in grades 4-10. Overnight stays take place on Thursday of the corresponding week.

Leaders In Training

Grades 7-8

This challenging program reaps endless rewards through new friendships, an increased self-awareness and self esteem, and new interests. In addition to helping plan and participate in a variety of age-appropriate camp activities, LIT's also take part in additional activities focusing on effective leadership traits.

Counselors In Training

Grades 9-10

This program is for teens interested in gaining practical experience working with young children. It is designed to prepare participants for positions as camp counselors. CIT's work closely alongside our camp counselors, helping to plan and lead activities for the younger campers. CIT's are required to participate in an interview and training process and must commit to attend a minimal number of weeks of camp (see registration form for details).

YMCA BUFFALO NIAGARA – CAMP TAHIGWA

Child's Name:		Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	Date of Birth:	Age as of July '09:	Grade as of Sept. '09:
Address, City, Zip:				Home Phone:	
Mother's Name:	Address, City, Zip:			E-mail:	
Mother's Occupation:	Date of Birth:	Day Phone:		Cell Phone:	
Father's Name:	Address, City, Zip:			E-mail:	
Father's Occupation:	Date of Birth:	Day Phone:		Cell Phone:	
Select Camp: <input type="checkbox"/> Day Camp (5-Day) <input type="checkbox"/> Day Camp (3-Day) <input type="checkbox"/> Mountain Biking Camp <input type="checkbox"/> Counselors in Training <input type="checkbox"/> Leaders in Training (5-Day) <input type="checkbox"/> Leaders in Training (3-Day) <input type="checkbox"/> Wilderness Getaway					
Camp Hours: 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Select Extended Hours: <input type="checkbox"/> AM (7:00 - 8:30 a.m.) <input type="checkbox"/> PM (4:30 - 6:00 p.m.) <input type="checkbox"/> BOTH				T-shirt Size: Youth S M L Adult S M L XL	
Select Bus Stop: Bust transportation pick up and drop off is provided at the following locations: <input type="checkbox"/> Alden Elementary <input type="checkbox"/> Cheektowaga High School <input type="checkbox"/> Clarence High School <input type="checkbox"/> Maple West Elementary <input type="checkbox"/> Northeast Family YMCA <input type="checkbox"/> William Street School					

CAMP SESSIONS & THEMES – SELECT WEEKS ATTENDING *(Themes subject to change without notice.)*

<input type="checkbox"/> June 29 - July 3 M T W TH F	Stars & Stripes	<input type="checkbox"/> Aug. 3 - 7 M T W TH F	Under the Sea
<input type="checkbox"/> July 6 - 10 M T W TH F	County Fair	<input type="checkbox"/> Aug. 10 - 14 M T W TH F	It's Great to be an American <i>Overnight Week</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> July 13 - 17 M T W TH F	Splish Splash <i>Overnight Week</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Aug. 17 - 21 M T W TH F	Everyone's an All-Star
<input type="checkbox"/> July 20 - 24 M T W TH F	Around the World	<input type="checkbox"/> Aug. 24 - 28 M T W TH F	The Mad Scientist
<input type="checkbox"/> July 27 - 31 M T W TH F	Blast from the Past <i>Overnight Week</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Aug. 31 - Sept. 2	Wilderness Getaway <small>(Field Trip: Darien Lake)</small>

**** Please Note:** For 3-Day option, must commit to Monday or Friday, and select two additional days.

DAY CAMP WEEKLY COSTS (YMCA Member/Non-Member)

Day Camp: \$105/\$115 (3-Day) \$150/\$160 (5-Day)	Mountain Biking Camp: \$155/\$170 Wilderness Getaway: \$135/\$145	Leaders in Training: \$110/\$120 (3-Day) \$155/\$170 (5-Day)	Counselors in Training: \$60/\$70 (Per week)
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PAYMENT INFORMATION

YMCA Member? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Deposit Enclosed: \$_____ (\$25 per week; \$5 per week before February 28, 2009)
Membership Type: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Check <input type="checkbox"/> MasterCard <input type="checkbox"/> Visa <input type="checkbox"/> Discover <input type="checkbox"/> AMEX
Exp. Date: _____	Card No: _____ Exp. Date: _____ Signature: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Please send information	

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION - If parents are unavailable in an emergency, please notify:

Name	Relation	Phone Number
Name	Relation	Phone Number
Names of individuals authorized to pick up child who are NOT listed above:		
Name	Relation	Phone Number
Name	Relation	Phone Number

Field Trip/Overnight Acknowledgement

I give my son/daughter _____ permission to attend all YMCA day camp field trips and/or overnights for the sessions that he/she is registered for. My child also has my permission to participate in swimming activities on field trips, including aquatic amusement park activities.

Camper Information Form Content

I also acknowledge that the information stated above is accurate and factual.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____

Return the completed form with deposit to: Lancaster Family YMCA, 5 West Main Street, Lancaster, NY 14086

Office use only: Registration packet with receipt Date: _____ Initials: _____

MORE ABOUT YOUR CAMPER

Siblings Names & Ages:

Child's Swimming Ability (0 = Never Swam; 5 = Excellent): 0 1 2 3 4 5

Has child participated in YMCA progressive swim lessons? No Yes When/What Level?

Child's favorite interests (games, sports, toys, hobbies):

May we use your child's picture in publicity photos? Yes No

Please list any additional information you would like us to know:

CAMPER HEALTH HISTORY

The following information must be filled in by the parent/guardian. The intent of this information is to provide camp staff the background needed to provide appropriate care. Provide complete information so that the camp can be aware of your child's needs.

Allergies:	List Allergy:	Describe reaction and management:
<input type="checkbox"/> Medications (e.g. penicillin)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Food (e.g. eggs, dairy)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (e.g. insect stings, hay fever)		

Medications: Medications require a separate form. Please contact the camp director or staff for more information.

Immunization History - Please list the month, day, year administered

DPT Series	__/__/__	__/__/__	__/__/__	__/__/__	__/__/__	__/__/__	MMR	__/__/__	__/__/__
Tetanus/Diphtheria	__/__/__	__/__/__	__/__/__	__/__/__	__/__/__	__/__/__	or measles	__/__/__	__/__/__
Tetanus	__/__/__	__/__/__	__/__/__	__/__/__	__/__/__	__/__/__	or mumps	__/__/__	__/__/__
Polio OPV (Sabin)	__/__/__	__/__/__	__/__/__	__/__/__			or rubella	__/__/__	__/__/__
HIB Vaccine	__/__/__	__/__/__	__/__/__	__/__/__			Varicella	__/__/__	__/__/__
Hepatitis B	__/__/__	__/__/__	__/__/__				TB Mantoux Test	__/__/__	
Haemophilus Influenza B	__/__/__						TB Test Results	<input type="checkbox"/> Positive	<input type="checkbox"/> Negative

DOCTOR/INSURANCE INFORMATION

Is participant covered by family medical/hospital insurance? Yes No

Carrier/plan name:	Carrier Address:
Policy holder SS# or insurance ID #:	Group #:
Name of insured:	Relationship to participant:
Name of Family/Child Physician:	Physician Phone #:

HEALTH HISTORY

Date of last physical:

Has participant had:

1. Measles	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	15. Recent injury, illness or infectious disease	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
2. Chicken Pox	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	16. Chronic or recurring illness/condition	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
3. German Measles	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	17. Heart defect/disease/murmur	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
4. Mumps	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	18. Eating disorder	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
5. Hepatitis A/B/C	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	19. Diarrhea/constipation	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
6. Mononucleosis	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	20. Wear glasses, contacts or protective eye wear	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
7. Frequent ear infections	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	21. Orthodontic appliance (e.g., retainer)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
8. Asthma	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	22. Hypertension (high blood pressure)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
9. Diabetes	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	23. Emotional difficulties for which professional help was sought	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
10. Seizures/Convulsions	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	24. Any specific activities that child cannot participate in or needs assistance	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
11. Frequent headaches	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	25. Dizzy/passed out after physical activity	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
12. Head Injury	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No			
13. Knocked unconscious	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No			
14. Skin Problems (e.g., itching rash, acne)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No			

Please explain any "YES" answers, noting the number of the questions:

Any additional information about the participant's behavior and physical, emotional or mental health the camp should be aware of:

PERMISSION TO PROVIDE NECESSARY TREATMENT OR EMERGENCY CARE

I hereby give permission to the medical personnel selected by the camp director to order x-rays, routine tests, treatment; to release any records necessary for insurance purposes; and to provide or arrange necessary related transportation for me/or my child. In the event I cannot be reached in an emergency, I hereby give permission to the physician selected by the camp director to secure and administer treatment, including hospitalization, for the person named above. This completed form may be photocopied for trips out of camp.

Parent / Guardian Signature ONLY:

Date: