



KOSCIUSKO COMMUNITY YMCA

# SUMMER SPORTS CAMPS

WHERE SKILLS, CHARACTER, AND FRIENDSHIPS COME TO PLAY

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## WHY SUMMER SPORTS CAMP?

At the YMCA, our summer sports camp provides children with high-quality instruction in various sports, helping them develop their athletic abilities and specific skills. We emphasize teamwork, teaching kids to work together, supporting one another, and building lasting friendships. Our core values of caring, honesty, respect, and responsibility are woven into every aspect of our camp, creating an environment where children feel valued and encouraged. By choosing our camp, parents can be confident their children are not only improving their athletic skills but also growing as individuals and developing strong character. Join us this summer and give your child the gift of growth, learning, and fun at the YMCA.

## WHAT SUMMER SPORTS CAMPS ARE AVAILABLE?

- **BASKETBALL CAMP** | Campers will improve their basketball skills with focused drills, engaging games, and exciting scrimmages. Emphasis is placed on skill development, teamwork, and building confidence both on and off the court.
- **FLAG FOOTBALL CAMP** | Kids will learn the fundamentals of flag football through hands-on drills, exciting game play, and team-based scrimmages. This non-contact sport promotes agility, communication, and sportsmanship in a fun and engaging setting.
- **FUTSAL CAMP** | Campers will develop their futsal skills through fast-paced drills, exciting games, and competitive scrimmages. This indoor sport focuses on ball control, agility, and teamwork while reinforcing sportsmanship and personal growth.
- **SPORTS OF ALL SORTS CAMP** | Kids will experience a variety of sports and classic gym games through diverse drills, fun activities, and friendly competitions. This camp encourages physical activity, teamwork, and character development in a fun and inclusive environment.
- **SOCCER CAMP** | Your child will learn essential soccer skills through engaging drills, fun games, and thrilling scrimmages. Our coaches focus on building confidence, improving coordination, and encouraging teamwork in a supportive, values-driven environment. Whether your child is new to the sport or looking to sharpen their skills, this camp offers a fun and positive experience for every participant.

- **T-BALL / WIFFLE BALL CAMP** | Children will enjoy learning the basics of t-ball and wiffle ball through skill-building drills, playful games, and lighthearted scrimmages. The camp promotes teamwork, coordination, and a love for the game in a supportive atmosphere.
- **TRACK AND FIELD CAMP** | Children will explore various track and field events through engaging drills, fun games, and friendly competitions. This camp focuses on building athletic fundamentals while reinforcing values like perseverance, respect, and cooperation.
- **TURF VOLLEYBALL CAMP** | Campers will sharpen their volleyball skills on the turf with energetic drills, team challenges, and fun scrimmages. The program is designed to promote physical activity, teamwork, and confidence in a supportive environment.
- **VOLLEYBALL CAMP** | Participants will work on developing their volleyball techniques through dynamic drills, team-based games, and friendly scrimmages. The camp nurtures athletic development while emphasizing teamwork, encouragement, and character.

## HOW TO REGISTER?

You can register for the YMCA Summer Sport Camps online at [www.kcymca.org](http://www.kcymca.org) or in person at the Parkview Warsaw YMCA Welcome Center.



# CAMP SCHEDULES:

AGES 5-7 YEARS OLD			
WEEK	DAY & TIME	SPORT	LOCATION
WEEK 1: JUNE 2ND - 5TH	MON - THURS 9AM - 10:30 AM	SOCCER CAMP	PARKVIEW WARSAW YMCA
WEEK 2: JUNE 9TH - 12TH	MON - THURS 9AM - 10:30 AM	SPORTS OF ALL SORTS CAMP	PARKVIEW WARSAW YMCA
WEEK 3: JUNE 16TH - 19TH	MON - THURS 9AM - 10:30 AM	FUTSAL CAMP	DOWNTOWN WARSAW YMCA
WEEK 4: JUNE 23RD - 26TH	MON - THURS 9AM - 10:30 AM	T-BALL/WIFFLE BALL CAMP	PARKVIEW WARSAW YMCA
WEEK 5: JULY 7TH - 10TH	MON - THURS 9AM - 10:30 AM	BASKETBALL CAMP	DOWNTOWN WARSAW YMCA
WEEK 6: JULY 14TH - 17TH	MON - THURS 9AM - 10:30 AM	SOCCER CAMP	PARKVIEW WARSAW YMCA
WEEK 7: JULY 21ST - 24TH	MON - THURS 9AM - 10:30 AM	SPORTS OF ALL SORTS CAMP	DOWNTOWN WARSAW YMCA
WEEK 8: JULY 28TH - 31ST	MON - THURS 9AM - 10:30 AM	T-BALL/WIFFLE BALL CAMP	PARKVIEW WARSAW YMCA

AGES 8-10 YEARS OLD			
WEEK	DAY & TIME	SPORT	LOCATION
WEEK 1: JUNE 2ND - 5TH	MON - THURS 9AM - 12PM	FLAG FOOTBALL CAMP	PARKVIEW WARSAW YMCA
WEEK 2: JUNE 9TH - 12TH	MON - THURS 9AM - 12PM	TURF VOLLEYBALL CAMP	PARKVIEW WARSAW YMCA
WEEK 3: JUNE 16TH - 19TH	MON - THURS 9AM - 12PM	SOCCER CAMP	PARKVIEW WARSAW YMCA
WEEK 4: JUNE 23RD - 26TH	MON - THURS 9AM - 12PM	BASKETBALL CAMP	DOWNTOWN WARSAW YMCA
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WEEK 7: JULY 21ST - 24TH	MON - THURS 9AM - 12PM	TRACK AND FIELD CAMP	PARKVIEW WARSAW YMCA
WEEK 8: JULY 28TH - 31ST	MON - THURS 9AM - 12PM	VOLLEYBALL CAMP	DOWNTOWN WARSAW YMCA

AGES 11-14 YEARS OLD			
WEEK	DAY & TIME	SPORT	LOCATION
WEEK 1: JUNE 2ND - 5TH	MON- THURS 9AM - 12PM	VOLLEYBALL CAMP	DOWNTOWN WARSAW YMCA
WEEK 2: JUNE 9TH - 12TH	MON- THURS 9AM - 12PM	BASKETBALL CAMP	DOWNTOWN WARSAW YMCA
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## PRICING

### AGES 5-7

- MEMBERS | \$50 PER WEEK
- GUESTS | \$80 PER WEEK

### AGES 8-14

- MEMBERS | \$100 PER WEEK
- GUESTS | \$140 PER WEEK

**PAYMENT OF PROGRAM FEES** | The registration fee for camps will be charged at the time of registration, whether you register online or in person. You can sign up for multiple camps at once, but all fees will be charged immediately. If you prefer to pay weekly, you will need to register for each camp on a weekly basis. Registration for each camp closes at 4pm on the Friday before the camp starts the following Monday. Only children who are registered will be admitted. This policy is in effect to help plan and prepare for the week ahead and to ensure adequate staffing. Contact David Elsner with questions at [delsner@kcymca.org](mailto:delsner@kcymca.org) or (574)385-2615.



**REFUND POLICY** | For cancellations prior to the end of registration the YMCA will give a 100 percent credit to your Y account or a refund back to the payment type you used during the registration process. After registration ends, but before the program starts, the YMCA will give a 25 percent credit or refund. The YMCA does not issue refunds after the program has started. The YMCA does not issue refunds for weather-related cancellations. For cancellations, please email [delsner@kcymca.com](mailto:delsner@kcymca.com) so that your statement of cancellation is in writing and time stamped.

## BEHAVIOR MANAGEMENT

**PHILOSOPHY** | The Kosciusko Community YMCA is committed to providing a safe and welcoming environment for all children. To ensure safety and comfort for all, we ask children to act appropriately while they are participating in Summer Sports Camp activities. We expect children to behave in responsible way and to respect the rights and dignity of others. Staff will redirect a child's behavior and respond to inappropriate choices on an individual basis. The YMCA teaches the core values of caring, honesty, respect and responsibility. Children who attend Summer Sports Camp are expected to follow the behavior guidelines and to interact appropriately in a group.

**BEHAVIOR MANAGEMENT** | When a child chooses not to follow the behavior guidelines of the YMCA Summer Sports Camp, the following steps will be taken:

- Staff will work with the child to understand the reasoning for the behavior and work through more appropriate behaviors.
- The child will be reminded of our behavior philosophy and take a "time out" to regroup before heading back into the group.
- If behavior persists, and staff members are not able to help the child understand and change the inappropriate behavior, parents will be notified, and behavior may result in suspension from the program.
- If the child's behavior at any time threatens the immediate safety of the child, other children, or staff, the parent will be notified and expected to pick up the child immediately.
- If behaviors persist and the child continues to disrupt their camp, the YMCA reserves the right to suspend the child from the program. Expulsion from the program will be considered in extreme cases.

### REMOVAL FROM THE PROGRAM FOR INAPPROPRIATE

**BEHAVIOR** | The following behaviors are NOT acceptable and may result in the immediate suspension or removal from the program:

1. Endangering the health and safety of children and/or staff, members, or volunteers. This includes aggressive behaviors such as hitting,

- kicking, punching, biting and spitting.
2. Stealing or damaging the YMCA or personal property.
3. Leaving the Summer Sports Camp site without permission.
4. Continuing to disrupt the program.
5. Using profanity, vulgarity, or obscenity frequently. Any demonstration of sexual activity or sexual contact with another person.
6. Harassment or intimidation with words, gestures, body language or other menacing behavior.
7. Carrying or concealing any weapons or devices that may be used as weapons.

**FIRST OFFENSE** | Dismissal for current day and the following day

**SECOND OFFENSE** | Dismissal for the current day and the following week.

**THIRD OFFENSE** | Dismissal for the remainder of the summer.

**BULLYING** | The YMCA does not tolerate bullying of any kind. Any form of bullying may result in immediate expulsion of the program.

## POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

**PLEASE CONSIDER BRINGING THE FOLLOWING ITEMS TO SUMMER SPORTS CAMP EVERYDAY, AND CONSIDER LABELING THEM WITH YOUR CHILD'S NAME.**

- Sunscreen (outdoor camps)
- Packaged snack
- Water bottle or sports drink (must NOT be carbonated and MUST be sealed, non-glass container)
- Suitable clothing for the weather conditions and camp activities
- Epi-pens or asthma puffers (if applicable)

**SPORTS CAMP STAFF QUALIFICATIONS** | The YMCA recognizes the effect a positive experience will have on the development of children and youth. YMCA Summer Sport Camp staff are carefully selected based on education, qualifications, work experience, and for their ability to act as positive role models. Each of our staff has demonstrated a strong commitment to caring for children and has passed a criminal background check and drug screening. YMCA Summer Sport Camp staff hold current CPR and First Aid certification. Our team is a dedicated group that knows the importance of combining a safe and caring environment with a strong curriculum to benefit your child's development.

**NON-DISCRIMINATION POLICY** | The Kosciusko Community YMCA does not discriminate against anyone based on race, religion, color, sex, age, national origin or disability.

**PICK UP AND DROP OFF** | Parents can drop their children off at designated drop off site starting at 9:00 AM. This site will be communicated in the weekly Friday email that goes out to all parents in the program. All children must be picked up by 12:00 PM (or 10:30 AM if ages 5-7). This site will be communicated in the weekly Friday email that goes out to all parents in the program. A late fee of \$3.00 per minute will be assessed after 12:00 PM (or 10:30 AM if ages 5-7) until the child is picked up. All campers must be signed in and out of the camp by a parent or guardian 18 years of age or older with a valid ID (15 if a sibling and listed on the registration form) and will not be permitted to walk home alone. There will be a sign in table from 9:00 AM – 9:15AM and a sign out table from 11:45 PM – 12:00 PM (or 10:15 AM – 10:30 AM for 5-7 year-olds) in the designated pick-up location. If you are planning on picking up your camper at a different time, please communicate that to staff. Campers are required to store any of their packed equipment in a backpack or sealed bag.

**AUTHORIZED INDIVIDUALS FOR PICKUP** | For their safety, children are released from Summer Sports Camp only to authorized individuals. An authorized individual must be listed on the registration form, be 18 years of age, and present photo identification. A sibling under 18 can pick up his/her siblings if they are listed on the registration form as an authorized person to pick up and at least 15 years of age. Should an intoxicated or impaired individual arrive at a Summer Sports Camp site and insist on removing a child, the staff will immediately call 911 and ask for law enforcement assistance. If a court order exists preventing a particular individual from having contact with a child, a copy of the court order must be provided and on file with the YMCA.

**CHANGES IN AUTHORIZED PICK UP** | Changes in authorization must be provided to the director one week prior to implementation. Changes of authorized pick-ups can only be made by the individual that registered the child. Staff cannot release who is on the authorized pick-up list to anyone other than the individual who registered the camper.

**WEATHER** | Outdoor play is an important part of our daily sports camp schedules. Parents are asked to dress their children appropriately for the weather conditions if the camp is outdoors. A light sweater or jacket may be needed in the mornings. All precautions will be taken to prevent heat related injuries during extreme heat. Please send sunscreen with your child each day. Spray sunscreen is recommended and preferred by the

YMCA. For camps located at the Parkview Warsaw location, we will have an inclement weather location inside the Parkview Warsaw YMCA. Drop off location during this time will be directly inside the Parkview Warsaw YMCA front doors. Camps taking place at the Downtown Warsaw location do not need an inclement weather location since the camps are already located inside the Downtown Warsaw YMCA gym.

At the YMCA we are committed to the safety of all children. We will do the following for your camper

- Make sure there are frequent water breaks
- Make sure campers are in the shade or inside whenever possible on hot and humid days
- Apply sunscreen to children 8 and under when needed. Assistance might be available for older children if needed.

**ELECTRONICS** | All electronic devices, kindles, iPods, iPads, Game Systems, MP3 players, etc. will not be allowed at any Summer Sports Camp. Cell phones must be silent and in backpacks. The YMCA is not responsible for these items.

**SNACKS** | A 15–30-minute break will be part of the Summer Sport camp program each day, giving a time to children that helps them refuel and take a break from being active. The YMCA does not provide snacks for Summer Sport Camps. It must be provided by the parent or caretaker.

A couple of suggestions for parents packing snacks:

- Pack extra drinks and a refillable water bottle.
- Strive for litter free snacks (reusable containers and water bottles).
- Label your child's snacks with their first and last name.

**LOST AND FOUND** | We encourage all campers to label everything they bring to camp. All lost items will be held at the YMCA lost and found location. Items that remain lost and found for more than two weeks will be donated to local charities. The YMCA is not responsible for lost or stolen items.

**RESPONSIBLE BILLING PARTY** | The YMCA will bill only one party for program costs. We do not split costs between parents or bill two different accounts for fees.

**REMOVAL FROM PROGRAM BECAUSE OF NON-PAYMENT** | In the event that an account is past due for two weeks, participation in the program will be discontinued. Efforts will be made to contact parents by phone prior to discontinuation of a child's participation. Please be sure to maintain current contact information with the YMCA.

**MINIMUM PARTICIPATION** | The YMCA reserves the right to close any Summer Sport Camp if it does not have participation levels necessary to cover the cost of operation.

**FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE** | Financial Assistance is unavailable for Summer Sport Camps.

**MEDICATIONS** | If your child is using any medication that will need to be used taken during Summer Sport Camp hours, please make sure you confirm with the counselors the medication information that you provided at registration. Please make sure that you turn in all the medication to the counselors. Medications will be locked and stored in a safe location. Staff will not administer medications (unless there are extenuating circumstances) but will make sure that the camper takes his/her medication at the appropriate time. Nonprescription medication should not be sent to camp with campers.

**CHILD ILLNESS** | If your child is sick, they should not attend any program where other children may become ill through contact. As a guideline, the YMCA suggests that children running a fever of 100 degrees or greater and children with recurring vomiting or diarrhea should remain at home for at least 24 hours after the fever has broken or the vomiting or diarrhea has stopped. If your child has a communicable disease or lice, you are urged to notify the Summer Sports Camp they are attending within 24 hours so that the parents of other children may be notified. Children who have had a communicable disease may not return to the program unless they have a doctor's note stating that they are no longer contagious.

**INJURIES DURING THE PROGRAM** | The YMCA assumes no responsibility for injuries or illnesses which may be sustained as a result of participation in athletic activities, sports programs, and the use of any equipment, exercise or other activities. Parents or guardians assume the risk for any and all injuries and illnesses which may result from participation in these activities.

**EMERGENCY PROCEDURES** | In the event that a parent or guardian cannot be reached in an emergency, YMCA staff will call 911, so that medical personnel can provide appropriate medical treatment. This

treatment may include, but is not limited to, routine tests, X-rays and the release of any records necessary for insurance purposes. The YMCA does not carry accident or medical insurance on program participants. Payment for these services is the sole responsibility of the parent or guardian.

**CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION** | The YMCA is committed to the prevention of child abuse. All Y staff are required to complete child abuse prevention training and are ready to observe the early warning signs and report inappropriate behavior. You can help to ensure your child's safety by taking an active interest in his or her YMCA experience and asking your child specific questions about program activities and staff relationships.

As part of the association's prevention program, YMCA staff are prohibited from babysitting or transporting children at any time outside of the YMCA Summer Sports Camp. The YMCA staff do not accept gifts or tips and should not provide gifts to children. By law the YMCA must report any suspected cases of child abuse or neglect to the appropriate authorities.

**MARKETING** | On occasion, the YMCA takes photographs, film footage, or tape recordings of our programs. This media may include your child's image or voice and is used only for purposes of promoting or interpreting YMCA programs. At registration you will be asked for permission to include your child in these promotional POLICIES & PROCEDURES materials.





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