

## **BEST SUMMER EVER**

### **Friendship, Accomplishment, Belonging**

At Y day camp, we are here to make your kids feel welcome. To help them quickly realize this is a place where they belong and can be themselves. Try new things. Make new friends. And be a part of something great.

We are here to help your kids grow in every way. We meet them where they are, then give them opportunities to reach levels they never imagined. New skills. New experiences. New parts of themselves.

We're here to surround every child with support, guidance and fantastic chances to discover and learn. A chance to try until they succeed. A chance to explore new talents and interests.

We are here to foster their curiosity. To encourage them to expand their comfort zones in what they do, who they know and what they believe. And discover what they are passionate about.

We're here to show kids all they can accomplish when they believe in themselves. They thrive, knowing they can relax in a safe, nurturing and inclusive environment.

We are here to create experiences that immerse them in an atmosphere that inspires, guiding them to live healthy, help others and work together, making strong friendships that often last a lifetime.

The Y is here to help them flourish socially, emotionally, cognitively and physically. Rooted in caring, honesty, respect and responsibility, our holistic approach works wonders, preparing kids for life, one fantastic summer at a time.

The Y.™ For a better us.™



**FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT®**  
**FOR HEALTHY LIVING**  
**FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY**

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**ACHIEVEMENT, RELATIONSHIPS, BELONGING**

### **GREATER SCRANTON YMCA 2018 Day Camp**

Ages 3-12



Dear Families,

Welcome to Summer Day Camp at the Greater Scranton YMCA! Whether you are one of our many returning camp families or new to the program, we would like to welcome you to another fun-filled, action-packed summer with old friends and new.

With a focus on helping campers develop character and self-confidence while having fun, Summer Day Camp activities revolve around our four core values: Caring, Honesty, Respect and Responsibility. Campers are able to explore, be creative, learn teamwork and develop leadership in a wide range of physically active programs that influence life long health. Campers will also have an opportunity to enjoy the outdoors, where they develop an appreciation of nature and an interest in community with experiences in local and global cultures.

Daily Activities include: Swimming, Team Building, Sports, Experiential Education, Arts & Crafts, Field Trips and so much more!

Great Staff have a huge impact on the camp experience! We review thousands of applications and select only the best young men and women to be role models for our campers. We check their backgrounds, their references and put them through an extensive training program to prepare them for the best summer ever with your children.

Thank you for considering the Greater Scranton YMCA's Summer Day Camp. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call us at (570) 443-CAMP (2267).

Sincerely,

Mike "Mack" McElhinney  
Director of Camping Services  
Greater Scranton YMCA/Wilkes-Barre Family YMCA  
YMCA Camp Kresge

### Greater Scranton YMCA Day Camp 2018

Session	Theme	Dates
1	Pirate Week	6/11-15/2018
2	Olympic Week	6/18-22/2018
3	Western Week	6/25-29/2018
		7/2-6/2018
4	Stars & Stripes Week	<b>No camp on 7/4</b>
5	Cosmic Week	7/9-13/2018
6	Medieval Week	7/16-20/2018
7	Carnival Week	7/23-27/2018
8	Safari Week	7/30-8/3/2018
9	Myths & Legends Week	8/6-10/2018
10	International Week	8/13-17/2018
11	Super Hero Week	8/20-24/2018

#### Looking for the best summer ever in the Greater Scranton Area?

Look no further! Campers who attend day camp at the Greater Scranton YMCA have an opportunity to participate in a variety of age appropriate programs, developing skills that each camper will carry with them throughout their lifetime. Programs include: Swim lessons, free swim, playing on inflatable Wibits in the pool, STEM activities, archery, arts & crafts, Quest, team building, weekly theme related games, Gaga Ball, free choice specialty clubs and so much more!

#### Camp Hours

Day camp day starts at 8:00 am and ends at 5:30 pm with an option for parents to register for extended care (6:30 am-8:00 am & 5:30 pm-6:00 pm) for an additional fee.

#### Fees: Traditional Day Camp (Grades 1-8)

YMCA Members \$135/Week- \$160 with extended care  
Non Members \$175/Week- \$215 with extended care

#### Sunrise Camp (ages 3-Kindergarten)

Full-Day: YMCA Members \$160/Non Members \$180.00  
Half-Day: YMCA Members \$130/ Non Members \$150.00