

TRADITIONAL CAMP

The traditional camp experience provides the most opportunity for making friends, learning new skills and creating magical summer memories. Campers will have time for archery, ropes challenge course, swimming, arts & crafts, camp crafts such as outdoor cooking, sports, games, and lots more. Campers are grouped based on age and the staff tailor the experience to maximize fun and excitement.

EXPLORERS (entering grade K)

A fun day of exciting and stimulating activities specifically designed for the younger camper. Campers will play active games and sports and participate in arts & crafts, nature activities and much more. The goal is to have fun while focusing on learning how to make friends and learn about caring, honesty, respect and responsibility. Explorers do not participate in archery.

TRAVELERS (entering grades 1-3)

Campers get more advanced use of specialty areas such as archery and ropes. In addition, they participate in activities that will challenge them to work together and problem solve.

RANGERS (entering grades 4-5)

These campers are ready for more advanced concepts, challenges and skills. The program is designed to make sure that activities are more in-depth and challenging, whether its sports, games, or arts & crafts projects.

TRAILBLAZERS (entering grades 6-8)

More emphasis on teambuilding, problem solving and leadership development. Fun activities are selected with the older camper in mind and campers have more say in choosing activities that appeal to them the most.

CIT (Counselor-In-Training ages 14-16)

This is a four-week leadership training experience for campers who are interested in learning and experiencing what it takes to be a camp counselor. There will be some meeting time with leadership staff and opportunities to work with younger campers. CIT must attend all four weeks, no prorating will be allowed.

SESSION DATES

9 WEEKS OF SUMMER FUN!

CAMP HOURS 9AM-4PM

BEFORE AND AFTER CARE AVAILABLE.

Session 1: June 24-28

Session 2: July 1-5*

*NO camp July 4.

Session 3: July 8-12

Session 4: July 15-19

Session 5: July 22-26

Session 6: July 29-August 2

Session 7: August 5-9

Session 8: August 12-16

Session 9: August 19-23



Every day at YMCA Camp Shore includes swimming in the YMCA pool.

SPECIALTY CAMPS

Our specialty camps are designed to provide more focus on one particular area to experienced campers or children with a specific interest. Each specialty camp meets in the morning from 9 a.m. until 12 noon, when the camper then joins their traditional camp group for the afternoon. This way campers get to do a little bit of everything and a lot of the thing they like most!

ADVENTURE CAMP (entering grades 4-8) – This end of the summer celebration is a combination of exciting events and field trips! Space is limited and spots fill quickly. Trips will be to exciting local attractions like amusement parks or adventure centers. Final schedule will be available on May 1st.

BLOCKS & BRICKS (entering grades 1-3) – Imagine, design and create some of the most outrageous structures featuring brand name brick products and other building materials! Campers will enjoy creative solo builds, team builds, and a variety of challenges (car races, tallest towers, strongest bridges and more!).

BUILDER'S WORKSHOP (entering grades 4-8) – Older campers get to show off their creativity and engineering skills as they design and build a number of interesting structures using name brand blocks and a variety of materials. There will be great challenges and competitions to keep it exciting.

CHEER/DANCE SPIRIT CAMP (entering grades 2-5) – Camp will begin with daily conditioning, motion drills and team building games. During Spirit workshop campers will learn how to create excitement and engage the crowd during game day. Campers will work on jump drills and flexibility and learn chants, sideline cheers and band dances. In addition, each camper will create game day props: signs, flags.... To incorporate into routine. We will work all week to develop a routine to showcase on the last day.

FARM TO TABLE GARDENING & COOKING CAMP (entering grades 1-5) – With a generous grant from the Rockfall Foundation, Camp Shore will be educating children on the importance of growing, harvesting and preparing fresh foods while being stewards of the earth.



Each day will feature a hands-on lesson in our garden teaching beds and then fresh, healthy food preparation. In addition, campers will learn the value of community service as they harvest and deliver fresh produce to the local food pantry. Scholarships specifically for this program are available.

SPA CAMP: SUGAR & SPICE (entering grades 4-8) – Pamper yourself, relax and experiment with lavish creations. We will be making face masks, fizzing bath balm, salt and sugar rubs, oatmeal soap, lip gloss, blend perfume and learning about aromatherapy. Each camper will decorate their own spa flip flops.

SPORTS SPECTACULAR (entering grades 2-5) – A fun and instructional introduction to all things sports! With an emphasis on teamwork and good sportsmanship, campers will play the classics (soccer, football, basketball, etc.) as well as some new and exciting non-traditional games.

UK INTERNATIONAL SOCCER (entering grades 4-8) – The Best Possible Soccer Experience! UK Soccer provides the highest level of soccer instruction available. The goals are to build confidence and teach fundamentals through fun, exciting games, to help players improve technical development and skill building in a stimulating environment, and to increase technical knowledge through challenging game related situations. UK Soccer runs 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and includes the fun of Camp Shore, swimming, games, crafts, and more.

ULTIMATE WARRIOR CAMP (entering grades 4-8) – This active program will feature fitness professionals leading workouts and exercises, a martial arts instructor teaching some basic self-defense, an archery instructor and lots more.

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Explorers	K	<input type="checkbox"/> \$225	<input type="checkbox"/> \$205	<input type="checkbox"/> \$225	<input type="checkbox"/> \$225	<input type="checkbox"/> \$225	<input type="checkbox"/> \$225	<input type="checkbox"/> \$225	<input type="checkbox"/> \$225	<input type="checkbox"/> \$225
Travelers	1-3	<input type="checkbox"/> \$225	<input type="checkbox"/> \$205	<input type="checkbox"/> \$225	<input type="checkbox"/> \$225	<input type="checkbox"/> \$225	<input type="checkbox"/> \$225	<input type="checkbox"/> \$225	<input type="checkbox"/> \$225	<input type="checkbox"/> \$225
Rangers	4-5	<input type="checkbox"/> \$225	<input type="checkbox"/> \$205	<input type="checkbox"/> \$225	<input type="checkbox"/> \$225	<input type="checkbox"/> \$225	<input type="checkbox"/> \$225	<input type="checkbox"/> \$225	<input type="checkbox"/> \$225	
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CIT*	AGE 14-16	*CITs must select at least 4 weeks @ \$150/week (\$600 total minimum)								
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SPECIALTY CAMP ADD-ONS: ADD AN ADDITIONAL HALF DAY OF SPECIALTY CAMP PROGRAMMING FOR ONE LOW PRICE!										
Ultimate Warrior	4-8	<input type="checkbox"/> +\$30				<input type="checkbox"/> +\$30				
UK Soccer Full Day	2-8			<input type="checkbox"/> +\$45			<input type="checkbox"/> +\$45			
Farm to Table	1-5								<input type="checkbox"/> +\$80	
Blocks & Bricks	1-3	<input type="checkbox"/> +\$30				<input type="checkbox"/> +\$30				
Sugar & Spice: Spa Camp	4-8			<input type="checkbox"/> +\$45			<input type="checkbox"/> +\$45			
Cheer & Dance: Spirit Camp	2-5				<input type="checkbox"/> +\$45			<input type="checkbox"/> +\$45		
Sports Spectacular	2-5								<input type="checkbox"/> +\$45	
Builder's Workshop	4-8				<input type="checkbox"/> +\$45			<input type="checkbox"/> +\$45		
TRIP: Adventure Camp	4-8									<input type="checkbox"/> \$325
Before & After Care	All Ages	<input type="checkbox"/> \$45 Before <input type="checkbox"/> \$45 After	<input type="checkbox"/> \$36 Before <input type="checkbox"/> \$36 After	<input type="checkbox"/> \$45 Before <input type="checkbox"/> \$45 After	<input type="checkbox"/> \$45 Before <input type="checkbox"/> \$45 After	<input type="checkbox"/> \$45 Before <input type="checkbox"/> \$45 After	<input type="checkbox"/> \$45 Before <input type="checkbox"/> \$45 After	<input type="checkbox"/> \$45 Before <input type="checkbox"/> \$45 After	<input type="checkbox"/> \$45 Before <input type="checkbox"/> \$45 After	<input type="checkbox"/> \$45 Before <input type="checkbox"/> \$45 After

REGISTER ONLINE!
vsymca.org

YMCA CAMP SHORE REGISTRATION FORM

Please detach this page and return to the Valley Shore YMCA with payment. PLEASE PRINT.

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Address: _____ Town: _____ Zip Code: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Age (as of 9/19) _____ Grade (as of 9/19) _____ Sex: Female Male

Guardian's Name: _____ Cell Phone: _____ Business /Home _____

Guardian's Employer: _____ Email Address: _____

Guardian's Name: _____ Cell Phone: _____ Business /Home _____

Guardian's Employer: _____ Email Address: _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION (OTHER THAN LISTED ABOVE):

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

The following people are authorized to pick up my child:

1. Name _____ Relationship: _____ Phone: _____

2. Name _____ Relationship: _____ Phone: _____

3. Name _____ Relationship: _____ Phone: _____

Special Information or Allergies: YES NO If YES please supply information here: _____

PAYMENT INFORMATION:

Credit Card Number: _____ Exp. Date _____ CVV _____ Signature of Card Holder: _____

Charge me in full

Enroll me in MONTHLY AUTO PAY (not available after June 1) (See payment description on page 1).

Enroll me in TRADITIONAL AUTO PAY (See payment description on page 1).

My signature below signifies that I agree with all information on this application and in the camp brochure. I understand that State Law prohibits my child from attending camp without a medical form completed by a physician within 36 months prior to the beginning of camp. Permission is also granted for the YMCA to take and use photographs of the person named on this application. I authorize YMCA officials to secure medical/emergency attention and treatment for the camper listed above. I have enclosed a \$50.00 non-refundable deposit per child/per camp session, non-transferable after April 30, 2019. I also agree to provide a valid credit card in order to pay the balance of camp fees – due two weeks prior to the beginning of the camp session(s). The YMCA charges a \$20 fee for declined credit cards and returned checks. Permission is granted for the signed camper to participate in all planned camp activities including field trips and walking trips. The undersigned voluntarily agrees to hold the YMCA harmless for injuries or accidents resulting in bodily injury or property damage during my child's participation in programs at YMCA Camp Shore I further waive, release, absolve, and indemnify the Valley Shore YMCA, YMCA Camp Shore, its directors, volunteers, officers or employees for injuries or accidents occurring while participating in the programs of YMCA Camp Shore.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date Signed: _____

FOR CAMP USE: Deposit included: \$50 per Camper/per week _____ Registration Form signed (above) Physical Received

REGISTER IMMEDIATELY ONLINE AT VSYMCA.ORG!

YMCA CAMP SHORE

IN WESTBROOK



WELCOME TO YMCA CAMP SHORE

Welcome to Camp Shore! I am so excited to be returning for a third year as Camp Director. We have been working hard to make sure this summer will be one filled with lasting memories for your camper. We will be introducing several new ideas and programs to further enhance the Camp Shore experience. Through thoughtful feedback from families, detailed curriculum planning, and staff leadership development, we will create stronger programs for our campers that encompass the YMCA core values (caring, honest, respectful and responsible). Camp is a wonderful place for kids to grow physically, mentally and emotionally by building self esteem, character and leadership qualities. At Camp Shore our goal is to provide campers the opportunity to expand their horizons, challenge themselves, and build lasting memories. I am looking forward to spending the summer with positive, committed staff, campers and families. Thank you for giving your camper the opportunity to participate in Camp Shore. We are grateful to have you as part of our family and genuinely appreciate your trust in us. Please feel free to call me with any questions regarding camp.

Rebekah Coffey, Summer Camp Director, 860-399-9622



BEST SUMMER EVER

FRIENDSHIP, ACCOMPLISHMENTS, BELONGING

LIVE IN EAST LYME?

YMCA CAMP ECHO ROCK IS NOW AVAILABLE!
 Go to vsymca.org for more details!



Why Choose Camp Shore?

Our day camp program helps children learn about who they are and become who they want to be. It's about developing new skills and healthy habits, reaching goals and building relationships. We help children gain self-confidence and build character while focusing on the whole child in spirit, mind and body.



YMCA Camp Shore Promise

Your child's safety and best interest will be at the heart of all we do. All of our staff hiring practices, training designs and program plans are centered around creating the most supportive and rewarding experience for your child.

NEW AND IMPROVED!

NO MEMBERSHIP NEEDED!

We no longer require a YMCA membership for registration, so be sure to tell a friend to join you this summer at Camp Shore!

ONLINE REGISTRATION

We've added the convenience of online registration! Register now to lock in your summer plans! Go to VSYMCA.org.

ADVENTURE AND ENRICHMENT

Our specialty camps have been improved to really focus on adventure based or enrichment programming. Check out the exciting options!

TRADITIONAL CAMP ENHANCEMENTS

We are adding specialty area staff to make sure that our traditional camp experience is unique, exciting and fresh.

AUTO CREDIT CARD PAYMENT OPTION

Provide us with your credit card or bank information and we will divide your camp balance into even installments and charge them automatically. This option provides you with convenience and avoids the risk of losing a spot due to late payment of a balance.



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

REGISTRATION

Complete the registration form entirely, one per camper and return it to the Valley Shore YMCA. You may also register instantly online at vsymca.org. A \$50 non-refundable deposit per session is due upon registration.

PAYMENT OPTIONS

1. PAY IN FULL at time of registration.
2. MONTHLY AUTO PAY: If you register early, we will divide your balance into equal installments and charge the credit card on file the first of each month up to the last month your child is registered.
3. TRADITIONAL AUTO PAY: We auto-charge the credit card on file two weeks prior to each session your child is registered.

SCHEDULE

Camps run one week sessions from June 24 to August 23. Regular camp hours are 9 AM to 4 PM. Extended care is available beginning at 7 AM and ending at 6 PM.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

We strive to provide camp to every child regardless of their ability to pay. Please visit the YMCA or vsymca.org to obtain an application. All financial aid requests must have a completed registration form attached. Please know that awards are made as they come in and funds may not be available to all.

GENERAL INFORMATION

LOCATION: 201 Spencer Plains Road,
 Westbrook-Outdoor Pavilion
VALLEY SHORE YMCA INFORMATION:
PH: 860-399-9622 | FX: 860-399-8349
WEBSITE: www.vsymca.org

YMCA CAMP SHORE OPEN HOUSE DATES:

Saturday, April 27, 11 AM-1 PM

EXTENDED CAMP CARE

BEFORE CARE: 7-9 AM **AFTER CARE:** 4-6 PM
 Before **OR** After care: add \$45/session