

Birmingham Youth Assistance List of Summer Camps

Day Camps:

- <u>Birmingham Community Education Summer Camps</u> –They offer a variety of 1 week day camp opportunities for children grades 1-8. Please refer to the Community Education website for more information: <u>www.communityed.net</u> or call 248-203-3800 to request a brochure mailed to your house.
- <u>Birmingham YMCA</u> The YMCA offers a variety of choices of summer camp opportunities for pre-school aged children through 8th grade. For more information about the YMCA camp experience please refer to their website: <u>www.ymcadetroit/birmingham</u> or call 248-644-9036 to request a brochure mailed to your home. Please be aware that the YMCA may have additional registration fees that you will be responsible for. They do have scholarship opportunities. Call them with further questions about their scholarship program.

Overnight/Residential Camps:

- <u>Camp Copneconic</u> Camp Copneconic is a Residential YMCA Camp located in Fenton, Michigan, about an hour north of Birmingham. Camp Copneconic offers summer camp opportunities for youth ages 7-17. They have Adventurers (age 7-entering 4th grade), Trailblazers (entering 5th grade-7th grade), Voyagers (entering 8th -10th grade) and many more options on their website. For more information, visit: <u>www.campcopneconic.org</u>.
- <u>Camp Ozanam (St. Vincent de Paul Detroit)</u> This week-long overnight summer camp is located on the shores of Lake Huron. This is a Christian camp, however campers may choose not to participate in chapel time.
 Transpiration is available from designated locations at no charge. To learn more, go to their website: www.svdpdetroit.org or call 313-393-2871.
- <u>Camp Wonder</u> –Located in Howell, MI within the Howell Nature Center. Camp Wonder offers overnight camps for youth entering 3rd 8th grade and other overnight specialty camps for youth entering 7th grade High School. In addition to traditional camp activities, campers enjoy progressive nature-based programming, creating a deeper understanding and value of wildlife and caring for our environment. To learn more, go to their website: www.howellnaturecenter.org or call (517) 546-0249.
- <u>Camp Ohiyesa</u>-YMCA Camp Ohiyesa is located on the shores of Fish Lake in Holly, MI. Unplug and experience the magic of overnight camp. The nurturing, genuine, and enthusiastic staff hail from all over the world. At camp there are towers to climb, slides to ride, roaring campfires to gather around, and memories to be made. Overnight campers gain independence, build friend-making skills, challenge their limits, explore the natural world, and create lifelong habits of healthy living. For more information visit: www.ymcadetroit.org/ohiyesa
- <u>Camp Nissokone</u>-YMCA Camp in Oscoda is located near Lake Huron. The camp offers overnight camps for children 5-18. Bus transportation is available for a fee from the Birmingham YMCA. For more information visit: www.ymcadetroit.org/nissokone
- Other: If you are interested in considering another camp that is not on our list, we will work with other camps. Please be aware that there may be extra costs involved that you will need to consider.

All 2023 Camp Scholarship Applications are due by Friday, May 12, 2023

IMPORTANT NOTES

- ✓ If we receive your application after the due date your child will be placed on a waiting list.
- √ The Camp experience often costs \$200 \$250 for one week of day camp and \$350 \$400 for one week of overnight camp.
- ✓ You will be asked to contribute to your child's camp experience based upon your indicated level of income. Approved camp scholarships will ONLY be paid directly to the camp provider.
- ✓ Please be aware that **you are responsible for arranging transportation** for your child/children to get to and from camp.

If you have any questions, please call the BYA office at 248-203-4300 Or email office@birminghamyouthassistance.org