BUILDING CONFIDENCE IN KIDS 1 WEEK AT A TIME

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WELCOME TO CAMP!

We offer a wide array of summer camp options to meet every camper’s needs at our beautiful Cherokee Outdoor Family YMCA at 201 East Bells Ferry Road in Woodstock on Lake Allatoona. Transportation options are available. All of our camps are designed to make summer fun, exciting, and safe while focusing on the Y’s values of caring, honesty, respect and responsibility.

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**SESSION DATES**

- **Session 1:** June 1 - June 5
- **Session 2:** June 8 - June 12
- **Session 3:** June 15 - June 19
- **Session 4:** June 22 - June 26
- **Session 5:** June 29 - July 3
- **Session 6:** July 6 - July 10
- **Session 7:** July 13 - July 17
- **Session 8:** July 20 - July 24
- **Session 9:** July 27 - July 31
Half Pint Camp: This camp was designed with our youngest campers in mind. Campers will be enjoying fun games, activities, and engaging with counselors who care. Campers will visit our playground, pool and other special destinations around Cherokee Y Camp. Drop off at 9:00 am and pick-up at 1:00 pm.

Half-Day Preschool Camp for ages 4 & 5
Monday – Friday
Drop Off at 9:00 am & Pick Up at 1:00 pm
Offered All Sessions • MEM: $100  PRO: $130

Register
Choose your camp based on the grade your child will be going into for the fall of 2020. DOB cutoff date is the registered week of camp. Rising Kindergarteners must be age 5 to attend full day camp. All campers will participate in Traditional Camp activities, but we cannot guarantee they will do all activities due to availability and time constraints.

**Traditional Camp Activities**

- Swimming outdoor, life-guarded pool
- Paddle Boards (Grades 4+)
- Rock Climbing Tower
- Teambuilding Games
- Field Games
- Survival Skills/Shelter Building
- Arts and Crafts/Tie-Dye
- Playground (Grades 3 and below)
- Learning Y Values (Caring, Honesty, Respect & Responsibility)

- Nature Hikes
- Archery (Grades 4+)
- Canoeing
- Sports
- Kayaking
- Fishing
- Ga-Ga Ball
- 9 Square in the Air
Splash Camp grades K-3: This one week camp allows campers more time at the pool than a traditional camper. If your camper loves to swim and play in the water they will get an additional hour of pool time to fill that need for fun. **This camp does not include swim lessons but does include an additional hour at the pool.**

Sessions 1 & 6–9 • MEM: $205  PRO: $235

Swim Camp grades K-3: These are beginner/advanced beginner level classes. Campers will participate in traditional camp games and activities, including a daily trip to the pool for free swim. Lessons will be given M–TH and Friday we will offer a make-up day in the event of inclement weather. These are beginner/advanced beginner level classes.

All Sessions • MEM: $200  PRO: $230

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**SPECIALTY CAMP**

**Full-Day Specialty Camps: Monday – Friday**
Drop Off: 7:00-8:45 am & Pick Up: 4:00-6:30 pm

Specialty campers will participate in the selected camp for 1-2 hours/day while also enjoying Traditional Camp activities.

**Little Princess Camp grades K-3:** Join the Camp Cherokee Royal Family as we create a week of fairy tale fun. Each little princess will learn about different princesses around the world and in fairy tales. They will decorate their very own tiara and wand, learn etiquette manners for a tea party and have a spa day. On Fun Friday there will be a show to share their royalty with the other campers and their royal family. Costumes are encouraged.
Sessions 2 & 8 • MEM: $185  PRO: $215

**Little Jedi Camp grades K-3:** Every camper wants to learn the art of becoming a Jedi. Join this exclusive group as they train with soft light sabers, accomplish Jedi agility courses, and master self control through Jedi mind strength. On Fun Friday the newly inducted Jedi’s will demonstrate their skills for other campers and their parents during the Jedi Show. Costumes and dress-up are encouraged.
Sessions 3, 4 & 7 • MEM: $185  PRO: $215

**S.T.E.M. Camp grades K-5:** Join us for hands on S.T.E.M. (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math) fun each day! An educational activity and lesson is planned each day to explore a number of fun and engaging science concepts as we learn about different types of energy...
MON: Rocket Round-Up  
TU/WED: Super Solar  
TH: Magical Magnets  
FRI: Wonderful Wind  
Sessions 4, 5 & 7 • MEM: $215  PRO: $245

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Arts & Crafts grades K-3: If your camper enjoys art, making things and fun hands-on activities, then this is where they will want to be this summer. Campers will go to our Arts & Crafts Cabin where they will enjoy a variety of age appropriate activities and projects. Daily projects range from 1-2 hours.
Sessions 1, 2, 3, 5, 7 & 9 • MEM: $175  PRO: $205

Jr. Cake Boss grades K-3: Does your camper like to bake and decorate? Campers will spend time at Cherokee Y Camp preparing different baked goods each day. Campers will learn the art of baking and decorating and of course, sampling their own baked goods. On Friday parents can join us for our Jr. Cake Boss Show where your camper can show off what they learned and all the tasty treats they prepared during the week.
Sessions 2, 4, 6 & 8 • MEM: $205  PRO: $235

Jr. Outdoor Adventures grades 2-3: Campers will be introduced to basic outdoor skills that will help them become more experienced and confident outdoor campers. They will participate in various activities including, fort/shelter building, fire building and fire safety, canoeing, rock climbing, archery and more. The highlight of each week is on Thursday, campers have a chance to test out their new skills by working together to set up a campsite and enjoying some marshmallow mania. This camp provides the introductory skills and experiences for the more advanced Outdoor Adventure Camp which is available to camper in 4th and 5th grades.
Offered All Sessions • MEM: $200  PRO: $230
**Fishing Camp grades 2–7:** Lake Allatoona is known for its great fishing. Fishing Camp allows campers to take full advantage of this great resource. Campers spend a couple hours each day making new friends and engaging in a fun outdoor activity they will enjoy for a lifetime. Campers will have the opportunity to fish every day from our docks and along the camp’s shoreline. Campers will learn about different species of fish, tackle, bait, handling of fish, safety and rigging. Campers will need to bring their own traditional pole and tackle. The Y will provide bait. Please do not bring any type of non-traditional fishing gear.

Sessions 1–4, 8 & 9 • MEM: $205  PRO: $235

Outdoor Adventure grades 4–5: Getting out and enjoying the great outdoors is what Outdoor Adventure Camp is all about. Campers will learn skills and traits that will make them a more self-reliant outdoor camper for life. They will gain hands-on experience in fire-building techniques, knot tying, shelter and campsite set-up, archery, canoeing, trail etiquette, rock climbing, and more! Every Thursday campers will be invited to stay for an overnight camp-out under the stars. Dinner will be provided by the YMCA and prepared by campers under the supervision of YMCA Staff. There will also be extra swim time in the evening with a lifeguard present. Breakfast and lunch is also included on Friday. Campers will test themselves with a week of fun and adventure! A complete list of overnight camping supplies will be provided the week of camp or can be found in our parent handbook.

Offered All Sessions • MEM: $220  PRO: $250
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Drama & Theatre Camp grades 4-7: Campers will assemble to provide the best theatrical story production of the summer. Each camper will take part in organizing, rehearsing, and presenting a fabulous performance. Costumes, scripts, and the enjoyment of putting on a live performance will create an extraordinary opportunity to unleash a camper’s inner acting abilities.
Sessions 6 • MEM: $175  PRO: $205

Leather & Wood Camp grades 4-7: If your camper loves to work with their hands and may be a future “do it yourself-er” this is the perfect class for them. Campers will create and design their own walking stick, leather keychain and take on a wood-working project. Campers will also gain hands-on experience, learning how to sand and stain and learn about basic hand tools.
Sessions 3 & 6 • MEM: $210  PRO: $240

Water Sports Camp grades 4-10: Lake Allatoona is perfect place for boating and water sports. Campers will enjoy a variety of paddle sports, including canoeing, kayaking and even SUPing (Stand Up Paddle Boarding). They will practice and learn new skills and techniques through lessons, games, and challenges all lead by our experienced waterfront staff. Campers will also have the opportunity to go out on the lake to go tubing, and knee-boarding or wakeboarding. Thank you to Marietta Marine for their on-going support and partnership, providing us with boats and certified drivers. When we are on the water, safety is first and fun comes naturally! All boating activities are conducted under the direct supervision of a Certified Lifeguard.
Offered All Sessions
MEM: $240  PRO: $270

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Survivor Camp grades 6–7: Campers will challenge themselves as they learn and advance their skills in survival and outdoor living, using teamwork in the wilderness while taking on outdoor challenges. Activities include climbing tower, shelter building, fire building, campsite set-up, low ropes elements, canoeing, trail etiquette, archery and overall teamwork. Campers will experience an overnight campout on Thursday night at our very own primitive campsite at “Survivor Island.” Dinner’s provided and will be prepared by campers under the staff supervision. Enjoy extra, evening swim time with a lifeguard supervision. Breakfast and lunch is included on Friday. A list of overnight supplies can be found in our parent handbook. 
Sessions 1–4, 7–9 • MEM: $220  PRO: $250

Mountain Bike Camp grades 6–10: If riding through the mud and zipping down trails sounds like fun to you then this is your perfect camp. Campers will learn basic trail riding techniques, bicycle care and trail safety. Riders will explore the miles of trails on the Y property, and travel to Blankets Creek Mountain Bike Course to improve skills on an actual mountain bike course. Bring your own bicycle, helmet and plenty of water to drink.
Sessions 4 & 7 • MEM: $195  PRO: $225

Trailblazers Camp grades 6–10: Trailblazers will venture off camp property and travel to beautiful locations on field trips three times a week. Locations include Kennesaw Mountain, Pine Mountain, our overnight Y camp, and other fun destinations. All costs are included in price. Campers will learn about the great outdoor activities right in their own area.
Sessions 3, 6 & 7
MEM: $240  PRO: $270
SPORTS CAMP

Full-Day Sports Camps: Monday – Friday
Drop Off: 7:00–8:45 am & Pick Up: 4:00–6:30 pm
Sports campers will participate in the selected camp for 1–2 hours/day while also enjoying Traditional Camp activities.

Sporties for Shorties grades K–1: This camp provides the ultimate combo of youth sports and traditional camp excitement. Each day we will provide a hands-on introduction to a variety of different sports.
Sessions 2, 5, 8 & 9 • MEM: $200  PRO: $230

Soccer Camp grades 2–7: This camp will allow campers to work on every aspect of the game including passing, shooting, dribbling, ball control, and all around technical skill development. Organized game times will provide campers an opportunity to practice their new skills at game speed.
Sessions 2, 3 & 8 • MEM: $195  PRO: $225

Basketball Camp grades 2–5: Campers will participate in a variety of lessons and drills lead by experienced basketball players. Campers will be introduced to and work on building overall technique including: passing, dribbling, shooting, teamwork, communication, and court awareness. We will also lead game times to help campers learn the rules of basketball in a game setting.
Sessions 4 & 5 • MEM: $195  PRO: $225

Volleyball Camp grades 4–7: Campers will participate in a variety of lessons and drills lead by experienced volleyball players. Campers will be working on overall technique including: serving, setting, bumping, teamwork, communication, and court awareness. We will be also leading structured game times to allow camper to put their skills to the test at game speed.
Session 6 • MEM: $195  PRO: $225

Register
Our teens are our future and we believe that we must invest in them wisely. By investing in them we feel that those who are interested and those who possess the skills will become leaders of camp and our community. The entire Teen Program is called ALA (Advanced Leadership Academy). Under this Inspired Teen Leadership umbrella there are different available tracts, through the Y, for teens to choose from and become involved in the community, build leadership skills, make new friends, learn job related skills, and provide opportunities of overall enrichment of teen development. This program can provide the tools to aid in making positive healthy decisions, while expanding their knowledge of all the Y has to offer and setting them up to be an inspired teen leader through valuable community service and professional development opportunities.

Navigators: This leadership camp allows teens to learn and explore new and exciting themes each week while making new friends.
Offered All Sessions • MEM: $165  PRO: $195

Leader In Training (LIT): LITs will shadow seasoned counselors, learn skills and curriculums counselors need when running program areas, go through a written evaluation process, and prepare themselves for future staffing opportunities. This program creates impactful leaders who understand the importance of servitude leadership and leadership by example. Teens will engage in leadership development, problem-solving, task management, and group dynamic activities. Our LITs receive first-hand experience working in the community’s areas of need and the amazing organizations that serve them. Along the way, they’ll have fun engaging in traditional camp activities, forge life-long friendships and earn valuable and meaningful community service hours. After completing this program, teens will be invited to join Leaders Club at no cost to be involved at the Y all year long.
Sessions: 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8
MEM: $155  PRO: $185
Register in person at the G. Cecil Pruett Community Center Family YMCA (151 Waleska Street in Canton) or online through our website.

YMCA Membership: Camp prices are listed for YMCA Facility Members (MEM) and Program Members (PRO). Facility Members enjoy reduced rates as a benefit of membership. For those who wish to participate in Y programs without use of the facility, a YEARLY family program membership ($40) is required before registration in the program of choice. Become a facility member today and save up to $240 per child on camp for the entire summer. Learn more about the value of Y membership or stop by the G. Cecil Pruett YMCA for a tour of the facility. Facility memberships must remain current throughout the summer to qualify for MEM rates.

Payment Methods: A weekly, non-refundable deposit of $25 is required for all camps. Cancellations must be made two weeks prior to the registered week of camp to receive a credit of the balance of payment. When registering for any of our day camp programs, you may choose from the following payment options.

Pay in Full – If you are registering for a session starting in less than 10 days, full payment is due when you register.

Auto Draft – Your credit card will be charged 10 days prior to the first day of the camp session. Select this option at time of registration if you only want to pay the minimum deposit. You can update auto-draft as needed.

A late fee of $20 will be applied to all registrations processed after the Saturday before the registered week of camp.

Transportation Options:
G. Cecil Pruett Y to COY Bus Stop – Pick Up: 7:00 am • Drop Off: 6:10 pm
Little River Elementary School – Pick Up: 7:45 am • Drop Off: 5:35 pm
**Financial Assistance:** We believe every child and family should have the opportunity to participate in any Y program. Those not able to pay the full fee may be awarded partial financial assistance based on their ability to pay and the Y’s ability to fund the subsidy. Since demand is great, **applications are due by May 1.** If you would like to donate to help send a child to camp, visit our giving page.

**Camper Needs:** Before camp, all campers must provide the following items:

1) **Medical waiver**
2) **Authorized Camper Pickup Form**
3) **Copy of your child’s shot records** on the school health form (3231)

**Important Dates:**

- **May 2:** *Spring Fling and Camp Open House*
- **June 1:** *First Day of Summer Camp*
- **July 31:** *Last Day of Camp*

*Spring Fling:* On Saturday, May 2, from 12:00 to 3:00 pm, the Cherokee Outdoor Y will be hosting a FREE Spring Fling which will be open to members and the public. This afternoon of family fun is a perfect way for you and your family to come out and enjoy all the fun of camp while meeting our staff and learning more about our world-class summer programs. Activities will include...

- Camp Tours  
- Rock Climbing  
- Carnival Games  
- Bounce House  
- And more

To learn more, please call us at 770-345-9622.

**Camp Questions:** If you have specific questions about any of our summer camps, please contact Camp Director Bob Bentley at (678) 880-3502 or RobertBe@ymcaatlanta.org.