



2018 Summer Youth Programs
Ages 3 - 16

Summer programs

NEW this year
Online Registration





Back again this year, Centre Residence Camping Program!

This summer we are offering two exciting opportunities to explore the North Woods! Island Camp is five days and includes cabin accommodations as well as rock-climbing, nature hikes and activities, canoeing day trips, campfires, swimming, service projects, games, berry picking, fishing and more. Our Hybrid Camp is seven days and builds on the adventure of Island Camp with additional time exploring Boundary Waters trails in tent accommodations.

The Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness (BWCAW) is a unique and pristine place, home to moose, black bear, loon, gorgeous lakes and waterfalls and brilliant sunsets. You will be traveling throughout the lakes and portages of the BWCAW, setting up and taking down camp, cooking meals, hiking, swimming, games and learning about Leave No Trace Camping. The simplicity of life in the North Woods inspires an appreciation for the small and essential things in life. You will have time for discussion, self-reflection and rejuvenation.

The basis of the camp is to celebrate the principles of gratitude, compassion, acceptance, meaning and forgiveness. Integrating the pristine Boundary Waters locale with the daily integration of the principles crafts a unique experience paired with regular camp activities.

Each of the camps (Island/Hybrid) allows for 7 campers. The Boundary Waters only allows a maximum of 9 per group. We will have one program counselor and one guide with each camp. Find stillness and serenity in the forest and on the lakes and streams of the Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness.

Island Camp

Age: 11 – 16 years old
Date: Sunday, July 29 - Thursday, August 2
Cost: \$317.00 per participant
Registration Deadline: Monday, May 29 or until full
Maximum participants: 7 participants

Hybrid - Island/Canoe

Age: 11 – 16 years old
Date: Sunday, July 29 - Saturday, August 4
Cost: \$420.00 per participant
Registration Deadline: Monday, May 29 or until full
Maximum participants: 7 participants

Register at campwapo.org

Registration begins Saturday, February 3. At time of registration you will enter personal and health information but payments will be collected by the Centre. For more information please contact Darian Blattner, Executive Director, at dblattner@nracentre.com or 715-246-2252.



Centre Residence Camp

11 - 16 years

Example of Schedule

Island Camp

Day 1

- 1:30 PM - 3:00 PM Arrival
- 2:30 PM - 5:30 PM Orientations (Swim & Swamp, Nature, Health, & Safety)

Days 2 -4 (example of activities)

- 7:00 AM Rise & Shine
- 7:30 AM Breakfast
- 8:30 AM Photo Scavenger Hunt
- 10:30 AM Rock Climbing
- 12:30 PM Lunch
- 1:30 PM Blueberry Picking
- 3:30 PM Swimming, Games, Solitude Time, Camp Store
- 6:00 PM Dinner
- 7:30 PM Bake Blueberry Pie!
- 8:00 PM Games
- 9:30 PM Star Gazing
- 10:00 PM Bedtime

Day 5

- 10:30 AM Reflections, share trip stories, evaluations
- 12:30 PM Lunch
- 1:30 PM Head home

Hybrid - Island/Canoe

Day 1

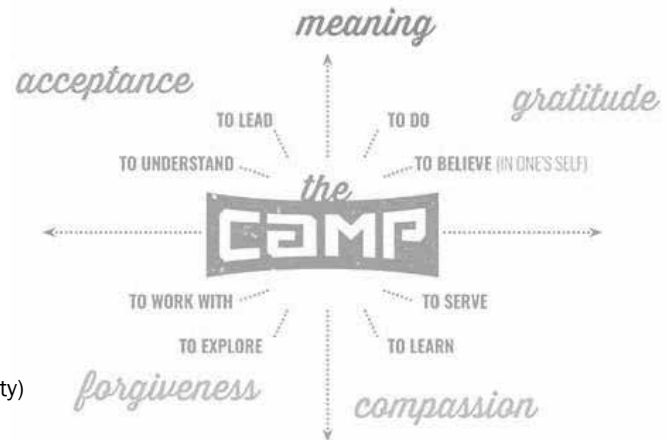
- 1:30 PM - 3:00 PM Arrival
- 2:30 PM - 5:30 PM Orientations (Swim & Swamp, Nature, Health, & Safety)
- 6:00 PM Dinner
- 8:30 PM Plan Route/Week, Packing

Days 2 - 6

- 7:00 AM Rise & Shine
- 7:30 AM Breakfast
- 8:30 AM Pack Canoes, Paddle/Portage practice, get permit, go on trail!
- 12:00 PM Lunch at campsite, story, devotion, etc.
- 1:00 PM Travel to campsite, set up camp
- 2:00 PM - 4:30 PM Swim, play games, fist, etc.
- 5:30 PM Cook Dinner
- 7:00 PM Clean Up
- 7:30 PM Highs & Lows
- 8:30 PM Bed

Day 7

- 7:00 AM Paddle back to camp
- 7:30 AM Clean gear, re-pack personal items
- 8:30 AM Sauna - warm up and jump in the lake!
- 9:30 AM Blockhouse (camp store)
- 10:30 AM Reflections, sharing stories about the trip, evaluations
- 12:30 PM Lunch
- 1:30 PM Head home



Camp Centre & Preschool Camp

3 - 8 years

Camp Centre

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In Camp Centre your child will be in for some fun and excitement this summer! This is a full day enrichment program with flexible 3, 4, or 5 day per week options. Your child will participate in age-appropriate activities lead by enthusiastic and qualified counselors. Each week features a different theme with activities such as arts & crafts, group games, songs, and weekly field trips. The kids will also spend time in the pool twice a week. Register for one week or the whole summer to give your kids an experience they won't forget!

Age: 4 - 8 years old
 Date: Monday - Friday, June 11 - August 31
 Time: 6:00 AM - 6:00 PM
 Cost:

	Centre Members	Community Participants
5 days/week:	\$138	\$150
4 days/week:	\$120	\$132
3 days/week:	\$99	\$111

Tentative Schedule (subject to change):

6:00 AM - 8:30 AM	Before Care
8:30 AM - 9:00 AM	Morning Meeting
9:00 AM - 9:30 AM	Snack
9:30 AM - 12:00 PM	Outside Activities
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM	Lunch
1:00 PM - 1:30 PM	Rest
1:30 PM - 3:30 PM	Group Activities
3:30 PM - 4:00 PM	Snack
4:00 PM - 6:00 PM	After Care

Camp Centre Weekly Field Trips

	Themes	Field Trips
June 11 - 15	Over in the Forest	Mixed Nuts Comedy Show
June 18 - 22	Bugs, Bugs, Bugs!	Cock-A-Doodle Zoo
June 25 - 29	Commotion in the Ocean	Snake Discovery
July 2 - 6	Dinosaur ROAR!	No Camp Centre on July 4
July 9 - 13	Wombat Walkabout	The Works Museum
July 16 - 20	Down by the Barn	Como Park Pool
July 23 - 27	Rumble in the Jungle	Battle Creek Aquatic Center
July 30 - Aug 3	In the Small, Small Pond	Sky Zone
August 6 - 10	Over in the Grasslands	Wakanda Waterpark
August 13 - 17	Polar Opposites	Lookout Ridge Indoor Playground
August 20 - 24	Doggone Dogs & Other Pets	Cascade Bay Waterpark
August 27 - 31	The View at the Zoo	New Richmond 8 Theatre

Camp Centre Half Days

If your child will be attending Summer Stretch with the New Richmond School District, we offer a reduced rate for Camp Centre during those weeks. For the afternoon, your child will join their age group for activities including games, art, and swimming. The field trips will be in the afternoon on Wednesdays so your child can still participate!

Date: Monday - Friday, June 11 - 29
 Time: 6:00 AM - 7:30 AM and 11:30 AM - 6:00 PM
 Cost:

	Centre Members & Community Participants
1 week:	\$95

Preschool Camp

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The Centre Preschool Camp is a wonderful opportunity for your preschooler to continue learning and growing after the school year ends. They will get the chance to explore science and nature, engage in creative art, listen to stories, and spend time on the playground. The first week the kids will spend time exploring a forest theme and then move into discovering insects for the second week. The group will splash up fun during the final week as they do ocean activities. Children can be enrolled for one, two, or all three weeks. Your child must be potty trained to attend.

Age: 3 - 4 years old
 Date: Monday - Friday, June 11 - 29
 Time: 8:30 AM - 11:00 AM
 Cost:

	Centre Members	Community Participants
1 week:	\$60	\$75



Youth Character Initiative (YCI)

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What is your child doing this summer? Will they be sitting in front of their tablet or TV while you're at work? Or are they registered for the adventure and experience of YCI at the Centre?! This year our groups and activities will be tailored to your child's interests, not their age! Each day participants will choose one of three paths: PLAY, CREATE, or INVESTIGATE. Your child will design their perfect summer. Each week will be themed and will focus on one aspect of character development. We will also layer on the principles of gratitude, compassion, acceptance, meaning, and forgiveness. To top it all off, we've moved our field trips to Wednesdays and scheduled specifically for YCI. Register online for three, four, or five day options and prepare your child for an awesome experience!

Age: 9 - 12 years old
 Date: Monday - Friday, June 11 - August 31
 Time: 6:00 AM - 6:00 PM
 Cost:

	Centre Members	Community Participants
5 days/week:	\$130	\$142
4 days/week:	\$112	\$124
3 days/week:	\$93	\$105

YCI Half Days

If your child will be attending Summer Stretch with the New Richmond School District, we offer a reduced rate for YCI during those weeks.

Date: Monday - Friday, June 11 - 29
 Time: 6:00 AM - 7:30 AM and 11:30 AM - 6:00 PM
 Cost:

	Centre Members & Community Participants
YCI 1 week:	\$70
CIT 1 week:	\$40

YCI Weekly Field Trips

	Themes	Field Trips	Character
June 11 - 15	Community Servants	Local Facilities	Diversity
June 18 - 22	On the Road Again	Gibby's Lanes	Service
June 25 - 29	Under the Moon	Perch Lake	Accountability
July 2 - 6	Stars & Stripes	No YCI on July 4	Respect
July 9 - 13	Reality	Saints Game	Honesty
July 16 - 20	Survivor-Australia	Minnesota Zoo	Perseverance
July 23 - 27	Hawaiian Vacation	Bunker Beach Waterpark	Collaboration
July 30 - August 3	Gold, Silver & Bronze	Sky Zone	Integrity
August 6 - 10	The Fabulous Me	Vertical Endeavors	Self-Esteem
August 13 - 17	Hooray for Hollywood	NR Movie Theatre	Creativity
August 20 - 24	Fear Factor	Nickelodeon Universe	Courage
August 27 - 31	Inventor's Workshop	Bakken Museum	Resourcefulness

Counselors in Training (CIT)

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Are you ready to take your leadership skills to the next level? If so, then our YCI CIT group might be a good fit for you. We will spend the summer as counselors in training helping the Camp Centre groups by leading games, activities, and stories. We will put our leadership skills to work by holding summer book drives, coordinating a summer carnival fundraiser, and working together to find other ways to be leaders in our community. The CIT group will have a blast on Wednesday field trips throughout the summer. This group will be limited to 10 committed, dedicated, and motivated 13 - 14 year old leaders.

Age: 13 - 14 years old
 Date: Monday - Friday, June 11 - August 31
 Time: 6:00 AM - 6:00 PM
 Cost:

	Centre Members	Community Participants
5 days/week:	\$57	\$69
4 days/week:	\$49	\$61
3 days/week:	\$42	\$54



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Frequently Asked Questions

How do I drop off and pick up my child?

You will receive a Child Care Pass that you must show the Welcome Center when you walk in or you can scan your Centre Member Keytag. If unable to do either of these, you will must sign a Visitor Log. You then go to the classroom, drop off/pick up, and sign your child in/out. At the classroom, a teacher will ask to see your driver's license so they can ensure your child is going with the right person. This is for the safety of your child and must be done every time!

My child will be attending JumpStart. Will you prorate my fees to attend the Centre? How does my child get to and from JumpStart?

If your child will be attending JumpStart, you are still responsible for the entire fee. Our fees are set up as daily rates and are not based on the number of hours your child attends the Centre. A bus with the school district is available to pick up at the Centre and drop off at the Middle School, where kids will join their group.

When will my child get their Camp Centre/YCI shirt?

Your child will get their shirt on the first field trip they attend. Your child will get the size that you choose when you register.

What if my child does not wear the Camp Centre/YCI shirt on the field trip?

If your child has received their shirt and isn't wearing it on a field trip day, you will be charged \$10 and given another shirt.

Can I drop a day of care?

Calendars may be changed at no cost until April 15. After that any dropped days will be partially billed. Change requests must be emailed to Sarah Altena at saltena@nracentre.com.

What if I only want my child to attend one or two days?

We have a three day minimum requirement that you will be charged for even if you only want your child to attend 1 or 2 days.

Can I add a day of care for my child?

Yes as long as there is a spot open on the day that you want to add. You can log in to your online account and check.



Do I need to register early?

Yes! Our summer programs fill quickly so be sure to register early.

What will my child do if it is raining or too hot?

If the weather is not cooperating, we will stay at the Centre for our activities. We will do group games in the gym and classrooms.

Do I have to pay extra for before and/or after care for Camp Centre, YCI, and Adventure Camps?

No, your fee covers care from 6:00 AM - 6:00 PM and all field trip costs.

What does my child need to bring with them each day?

Your child should come with lunch (see below), water bottle, sunscreen, and a sweatshirt if the weather is a bit cooler.

Does the Centre provide lunch?

The Centre does not provide lunch. **Camp Centre and YCI** will walk to the Middle School for free hot lunch each during Summer Stretch and JumpStart. Children should bring lunch the remainder of the weeks. We will provide a calendar at the beginning of summer that indicates which days to pack a lunch and which days we will walk to the Middle School. The Centre provides an AM and PM snack along with juice or milk. **Adventure Camps** need to bring a lunch every day.

Financial Assistance

The Centre welcomes everyone who wishes to participate in programs and activities at the Centre. We are committed to making that possible and provide financial assistance through our Centre Cares program. Please let us know if we may serve you or your family in this way. For more information please contact Darian Blattner, Executive Director, at 715-246-2252 or dblattner@nracentre.com.

We Are Hiring for the Summer

The Centre is looking for individuals interested in working with Camp Centre and YCI. Children that attend our summer programs range from 3 - 14 years old. Summer staff lead games and activities, oversee behavior management, plan activities, supervise children on weekly field trips, and ensure that children have a great summer at the Centre!

Applicants must:

- Be available Monday - Friday, June 11 - August 31, between 6:00 AM - 6:00 PM.
- Have experience with and a passion for children.
- Possess a positive and flexible attitude ready for adventure.
- Be able to multi-task.
- Be a creative and optimistic problem solver.

Contact Megan Lyons or Julie Griepentrog at 715-246-2252 or mlyons@nracentre.com or julieg@nracentre.com.

Adventure Camps

9 - 14 years

Adventure Camps

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- Each Adventure Camp is limited to 13 participants.
- Ages for camps are 9 - 14 years old.
- Registration is open up to one week prior to the first day of class or the class fills.
- Adventure Camp schedules are:
 - 6:00 AM - 9:00 AM Before Care
 - 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM Adventure Camp
 - 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM After Care
- The prices include all materials and Before and After Care.

Pro-Sports Adventure Camp

What's it like to be in the big leagues? Come find out at our Pro-Sports Adventure Camp! We will tour Target Field, US Bank Stadium, Target Center, and attend a St Paul Saints game at CHS field. We will also practice our skills at a batting cage and play pick-up games and swim at the Centre.

Date: Monday - Friday, July 9 - 13
Cost: \$176 for Centre Members
\$186 for Community Participants

Animal Adventure Camp

Why limit yourself to lions and tigers and bears when you can explore animals from all over the world? We will go underwater at Sealife at the Mall of America, pet and feed the animals at Fawn De Rosa, and check out all the wildlife at the Minnesota Zoo. Then we will learn about caring for animals by visiting the local shelters, veterinarians, and SoulSpace Sanctuary!

Date: Monday - Friday, July 16 - 20
Cost: \$156 for Centre Members
\$166 for Community Participants



Cheesehead Adventure Camp

Wisconsin is full of great adventure! Discover all our area has to offer with trips to Crystal Caves, Willow River State Park, Cady Cheese, Chippewa Valley Museum, and Dome Ranch. We will also splash down at Bunker Beach Waterpark - it's in Minnesota, but it will still be a great addition to our adventures!

Date: Monday - Friday, July 23 - 27
Cost: \$156 for Centre Members
\$166 for Community Participants

Outdoor Rec Adventure Camp

Enjoy the adventure of outdoor recreation! Try your hand at archery, rock climbing at Vertical Endeavors, and fishing, including a trip to the Star Prairie Trout Farm. We will have a special opportunity to enjoy Ox Lake including a ropes course, canoeing, and horseback riding.

Date: Monday - Friday, August 6 - 10
Cost: \$176 for Centre Members
\$186 for Community Participants

Art Adventure Camp

Discover your creative side! Our Art Adventure Camp will take us to the Sculpture Garden at the Minneapolis Institute of Art and the Weisman Art Museum. We will meet local artists and create several works of art of our own! On Wednesday, we'll join the YCI group in the afternoon for a field trip to New Richmond Theatre for a movie. Later in the week we will explore the culinary arts with special visits to The SPACE here in New Richmond. Our final adventure will be a program held for families Friday at 4:00 PM at the SPACE. Our artists will be able to showcase their masterpieces and parents will enjoy noshing our edible creations.

Date: Monday - Friday, August 13 - 17
Cost: \$156 for Centre Members
\$166 for Community Participants



Amusement Adventure Camp

Do you like the thrill of rides, the speed of go karts, and the fun of laser tag? This camp is definitely full of adventure and is only for the brave. We will visit Action City in Eau Claire, Zero Gravity Trampoline Park in Mounds View, Apple Valley Aquatic Center, and join the YCI group on Wednesday for a trip to Nickelodeon Universe at the Mall of America. To top it all off, we will go to one of the biggest amusement parks around, Valleyfair!

Date: Monday - Friday, August 20 - 24
Cost: \$196 for Centre Members
\$206 for Community Participants

Science Adventure Camp

Calling all curious minds! This adventure camp combines visiting three different science and engineering museums and lots of hands on experiments! Our travels include The Works Museum, Bakken Museum, and a visit to the Science Museum of Minnesota, complete with an IMAX movie! Back at the Centre, we will explore basic electricity, chemical reactions, and science in the kitchen. We might even EAT an experiment!

Date: Monday - Friday, August 27 - 31
Cost: \$176 for Centre Members
\$186 for Community Participants

Registration for summer begins Saturday, February 3

Stop by the Centre from 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM, we'll help you get registered ONLINE and answer questions.

How to Register

If this is your first time registering for Child Care Programs, please contact us during our business hours at 715-246-2252. Our Welcome Center team will help you get your online account established.

1. Go to our website www.nracentre.com
2. Click Register Online (green box from any page on our website)
3. Click Login and enter your email and password
4. Choose Registration, Childcare Registration
5. Choose the program you want to register for
6. Select the child you are registering and the days
7. Click Continue
8. You will be directed to your cart and asked to sign a waiver.
9. You can pay in full or you may choose a payment schedule.



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