

PACK AWAY THE SCREEN THIS SUMMER



2020 SUMMER CAMP & YOUTH PROGRAM GUIDE



DON SJOGREN COMMUNITY YMCA
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WELCOME



AT YMCA SUMMER CAMP, kids get to explore nature, make new discoveries, build lasting friendships and learn the real meaning of face time. Whether they register for a week or the entire summer, we want to surround your kids with fantastic chances to try new experiences and show them all they can do when they believe in themselves.

CAMP SCHOLARSHIPS: Available based on financial need thanks to our generous donors! Apply at the front desk.
REGISTRATION: Opens April 1 for Summer Camps. Register online at www.ymcaoftheprairie.org or at the front desk.



HERE FOR KIDS ALL YEAR

KIDS' CAFE FREE Summer Lunch Program JUNE 1-JULY 31

Kids of all ages are invited to the YMCA summer Kids' Cafe, where they can socialize with friends, eat a FREE nutritious meal and enjoy crafts and games.



MONDAYS-FRIDAYS, NOON-1 P.M.
First Presbyterian Church
1103 Sheridan, Holdrege



SUMMER FUN FOR EVERYONE

Details Coming Soon on These Summer Youth Programs:

- Leaders In Training
- Youth Golf
- Youth Tennis
- Youth Volleyball Academy
- Disc Golf



FULL-DAY CAMPS



CAMP KICKOFF: JUNE 1-5

We'll kick off Summer Day Camp with all the thrills of camp: swimming, parks, backyard games, crafts and a visit to our local museum.

FIELD TRIP: Nebraska Prairie Museum

MAD SCIENTIST: JUNE 8-12

Lab coats and thinking caps will be needed for this week of STEM exploration. Campers will build new creations using friend power and their imaginations, and they will explore science with hands-on experiments that may result in some explosive fun!

FIELD TRIP: Edgerton Explorit Center

FINE ARTS: JUNE 15-19

Campers will discover their creative potential while exploring the fine arts, including dancing, painting, acting and music.

FIELD TRIP: Hastings Museum

STAR WARS: JUNE 22-26

The force will be with the YMCA camp this week as kids make their own light-sabers, fly through space discovering new planets and embark on a quest to become a Jedi by completing the Padawan obstacle course.

FIELD TRIP: Big Apple Laser Tag

JULY 4TH: JUNE 29-JULY 3

Campers will make American flags and red, white and blue crafts as we celebrate the land of the free and the home of the brave! **FIELD TRIP: Heartland Museum of Military Vehicles**

EUREKA GOLD!: JULY 6-10

Campers will learn about history while having a blast playing old-fashioned games and assembling crafts.

FIELD TRIP: Lincoln County Museum



WET 'N WILD UNDER THE SEA: JULY 13-17

Summer is not complete without a week of water fun! Campers will keep cool all week as the temperatures rise with water games and activities, and they won't dry off until it's time to go home.

FIELD TRIP: Hastings Aquatic Center

FISH, FROGS & FORTS: JULY 20-JULY 24

Kids will build forts and discover insects, fish and frogs in this week of exploration and environmental education. The fun includes experiencing the great outdoors with a fishing trip to the North Park.

FIELD TRIP: TBA

DOG DAYS OF SUMMER: JULY 27-31

Campers will have a doggone good time learning about faithful and furry friends. Activities will include creating canine art and collecting donations for an animal shelter.

FIELD TRIP: The Crossroads of America Bigfoot Museum in Hastings

OLYMPIC SUMMER: AUGUST 3-7

Teamwork and cooperation will be a focus this week as children make team flags and medals and enjoy Olympics-inspired activities, including an opening ceremony.

FIELD TRIP: UNK ROCK-CLIMBING WALL

FULL-DAY CAMP DETAILS: 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday. Children should bring a sack lunch, swimsuit and sunscreen/bugspray each day.

AGES: Children entering grades K-5.

FEE: \$90 per week Members/\$125 per week Non-Members

LOCATION: Don Sjogren Community YMCA



PRESCHOOL CAMPS

Preschoolers will be learning, growing and having fun in the YMCA's summer enrichment camps. The camps will engage young minds and encourage social skills and new friendships.



DR. SEUSS: JUNE 9-11

Get your preschooler excited about books this summer with Dr. Seuss! We will be doing Dr. Seuss-themed crafts and activities. We will read books and rhymes in a fun interactive way and even get our hands dirty making Oobleck!

SPACE CAMP: JUNE 22-25

3,2,1...blastoff! We will learn more about space through books, songs and games. Your little astronaut will create space-themed crafts and will experience "moon exploration" as we jump in our inflatable bounce house.

HAWAIIAN LUAU: JULY 7-9

Aloha! Beat the summer heat while we play water and beach-themed games, learn to hula dance and create crafts inspired by Hawaiian culture; including making our own Hawaiian leis.



DINOSAUR CAMP: JULY 21-23

Travel back in time as we "walk like the dinosaurs!" We will learn more about dinosaurs as we engage in dinosaur-themed games, books and activities as well as dancing and moving like the dinosaurs. We will become archaeologists as we search for dinosaurs during a "Dino Dig."

SUPERHERO CAMP: AUGUST 4-6

This camp is designed to bring out the superhero in your preschooler! We will build large motor skills as we complete an obstacle course and other superhero training activities. No superhero would be complete without learning more about friendship and kindness as we work together.

PRESCHOOL CAMP DETAILS:

TIME: 9-11 AM, Tuesday-Thursday

AGE: Ages 3-5

FEE: \$25 Per Camp Members/\$45 Per Camp Non-Members

LOCATION: YMCA





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