



Summer Day

CAMP



Play, Explore & Connect!



Rome, Oneida & Whitesboro

June 30th – August 29th

- 9 Weeks of Camp
- Three convenient locations
- Kindergarten – 12 years old
- Counselor in Training Program
- YMCA Member Discounts
- Scholarships Available
- New themes each week
- County Childcare Subsidies Accepted



WELCOME TO DAY CAMP AT THE YMCA OF THE GREATER TRI-VALLEY



**CAMP BEGINS
JUNE 30TH**

**CAMP ENDS
AUGUST 29TH**



**K-12 YEARS
OLD***

CIT AGES 13+



**3 CAMP
LOCATIONS**

**ROME
ONEIDA
WHITESBORO**

The recipe for a wonderful childhood includes adventure, learning, safety, friends, and fun! The YMCA of the Greater Tri-Valley uses these components to design our Summer Day Camp program, which will help your children grow by nurturing a sense of belonging as they meet new people and develop lifelong friendships. We have become more intentional in these areas by adding more opportunities for our campers.

All of our staff aim to create a fun, adventurous atmosphere so all campers will have the best summer ever! Before your child arrives at camp, our team is trained according to the NYS Office of Children and Family Services and Department of Health regulations, CPR, AED, First Aid, Child Abuse Prevention, and more.

Our exciting activities will draw your child in, but the relationships formed at camp are why they want to come back year after year. We look forward to making new memories with your camper! Find your fun here at the YMCA of the Greater Tri-Valley Summer Day Camp!

Sincerely,

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CAMP LOCATIONS

WHAT TO BRING TO CAMP EACH DAY

To help your child keep track of their belongings, please add your child's name on everything they bring to camp. Please send your child in comfortable clothing that is okay to get dirty.

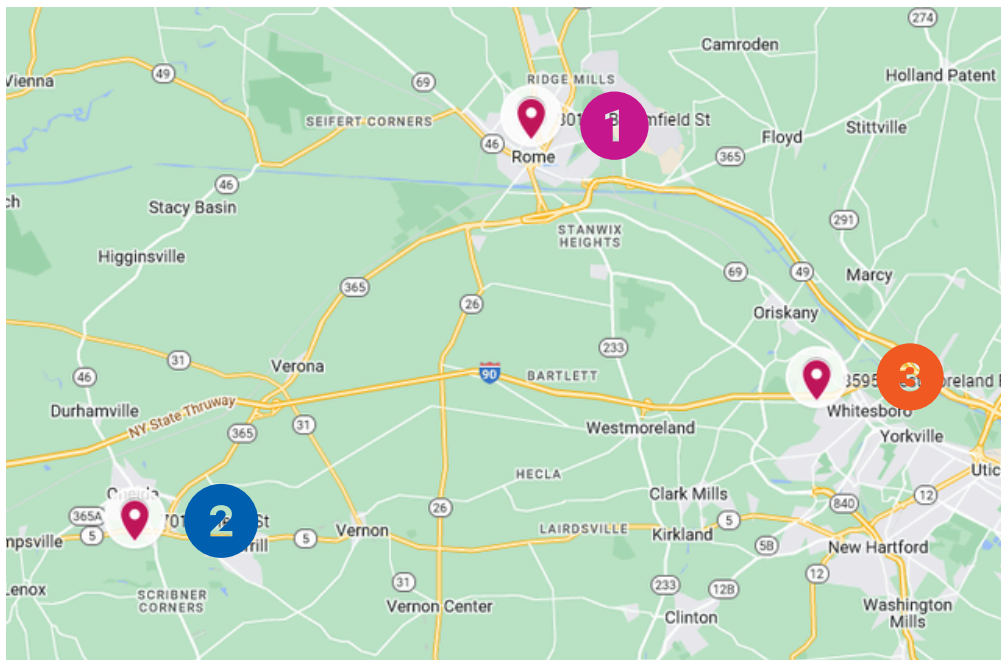
- Backpack
- Bathing Suit
- Towel
- Flip Flops
- Bag Lunch with icepack
- 2 Snacks
- Refillable Water Bottle
- Sunscreen
- Insect Repellent
- Extra Clothes
- Close-Toed Shoes/Sneakers
- Sweatshirt

WHAT TO LEAVE AT HOME

To provide the best experience for your child, and help them focus on each fun activity, please leave these items at home:

- Cell phones and electronic devices
- Toys and stuffed animals
- Money
- Trading Cards
- Make up
- Excessive Jewelry

Lost items are placed in our Lost & Found area. Please let us know immediately when an item is lost. The YMCA is not responsible for lost or stolen items.



1

Rome Day Camp
Gryziec Field
 South James Street and Muck Road, Rome

2

Oneida Day Camp
Oneida Family YMCA
 701 Seneca Street, Oneida

3

Whitesboro Day Camp
TreeHouse at Trinity Church
 8595 Westmoreland Road, Whitesboro



SAMPLE SCHEDULE

7am - 8am	Early Care Arrival / Breakfast	Special Activities
8am - 8:30am	Group Attendance	
8:30am - 9am	Morning Circle (Review of the Day, Rules & Announcements)	
9am - 12pm	Group Rotations Between Activities (Arts & Crafts, Music, Sports, Nature)	
12pm - 1pm	Lunch	
1pm - 3pm	Group Rotations Between Activities (Arts & Crafts, Music, Sports, Nature)	Oneida- Swimming on Alternating Days by Age Group Rome & Whitesboro- Water Play
3pm - 3:30pm	End of the Day Circle (Bead Ceremony, Camper of the Day & Daily Highlights)	Special Guests planned throughout the summer Archery for select age groups & locations
3:30pm - 4pm	Snack	
4pm - 6pm	Afternoon Adventures (Free Choice of group games & activities)	
5:30pm - 6pm	Clean Up & Staff Choice of Activities (Pickup by 6pm)	

Please note- schedule may vary slightly by camp location & special activities planned.



AT A GLANCE



Week 1: Super Heroes
June 30th - July 3rd
(no program July 4th)

Campers will learn about being a hero and helping others. Campers may dress up as their favorite superhero, participate in activities that teach leadership skills, and learn what it means to be brave and bold.



Week 2: Down on the Farm
July 7th - 11th

Farm week provides hands-on learning about animals, gardening, and sustainable living. This week is designed to help kids develop confidence, self-esteem, and character values.

Week 3: Where the Wild Things Are
July 14th - 18th

This week will focus on literacy and outdoor adventure! Based on the children's book, campers will create their own adventure- exploring nature, mythical creatures and using their imaginations!



Week 4: Pirate Adventures
July 21st - 25th

Ahoy, Matey! We're searching for buried treasures! Join the Pirates of the YMCA as we discover true treasure is in the form of friendship.

Week 5: Wild, Wild West
July 28th - August 1st

Saddle up for a journey through cowboy culture and pioneer life, exploring the great outdoors, highlighting the spirit of camaraderie and creativity of the Wild West.

Week 6: Around the World
August 4th - 8th

Campers will immerse themselves in diverse cultures, traditions, and languages throughout the week. Make new friends while discovering the beauty of our world's rich tapestry. Let's travel the globe without leaving the Y!



Week 7: Space
August 11th - 15th

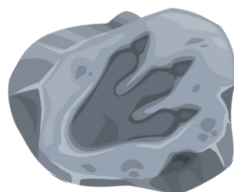
Blast off into an epic Space Exploration Week! Through games and challenges, they'll learn about teamwork and the wonders of our universe. Join us for a week of creativity and cosmic adventure!

Week 8: Dinosaurs
August 18th - 22nd

An exciting adventure back in time to the age of dinosaurs! Campers will explore the habitats that dinosaurs might have roamed! Get ready to roar with excitement at Dinosaur Week at the Y!

Week 9: Movie Making
August 25th - 29th

This week, campers delve into filmmaking, covering scriptwriting, acting, and directing. They'll collaborate to create short films and skits fostering self-expression, imagination, and friendships. Let's make movie magic!



Please note- activities may vary slightly by camp location & special activities planned.

CAMP PRICING

By checking the weeks you are registering your child on the front of the enrollment form, you are securing your child's space in Summer Day Camp for the week. This also confirms your responsibility for payment that week, regardless of your child's attendance. Each camper must also be a member of the YMCA of the Greater Tri-Valley at the time of registration through the last week of camp to receive member pricing.

YMCA of the Greater Tri-Valley Summer Day Camp Weekly Rates

	Member Pricing	Member 2nd Child Pricing	Non-Member Pricing	Non-Member 2nd Child Pricing
Camper	\$225	\$205	\$265	\$245
Counselor in Training (CIT) 13+	\$125	n/a	\$225	n/a

The YMCA accepts County Child Care Assistance for payment towards Summer Day Camp costs. The YMCA must receive a written approval letter from the county prior to your child's enrollment through this program.

For families that do not qualify for County Child Care Assistance, the YMCA provides Financial Assistance through the Changing Lives Financial Assistance Program. The YMCA conducts several fundraising events through the year that make this fund possible.

Awards through the Changing Lives Financial Assistance Program are based on a completed Financial Assistance Application and the household income guidelines. Please visit our website or Welcome Centers for a Financial Assistance application.

Please see Page 6 of the Summer Day Camp Enrollment Form for more details regarding camp payments & policies.

All Rome Summer Day Camp participants and children under the age of five must have a recent Immunization Record on file.

PAYMENT METHODS

The YMCA requires all Summer Day Camp payments to be made through automatic withdrawal from a checking, savings, or credit card. We do not accept in-person weekly payments at the Welcome Centers. The YMCA also reserves the right to charge a \$25 fee for any payments returned due to non-sufficient funds.

Camper accounts must be paid in full prior to attending for the week.

YMCA CREDIT / REFUND POLICY

The YMCA of the Greater Tri-Valley does not issue credits or refunds in the event of a child's non-attendance for registered weeks. Payments are non-transferable to a different camper or different weeks of camp.

Credits and/or refunds are only issued under the following circumstances:

1. A program is cancelled by the YMCA
2. A payment error is made by the YMCA
3. A written medical excuse by a medical provider with the specific dates of absence provided.

All requests must be made within 60 days of payment.