

MARCHY FORGUESTS



We're excited to welcome you and your family to an amazing summer full of adventure, fun, and memories! At the Crossroads YMCA Camps, we are passionate about creating a safe, fun environment where your child can thrive, make new friends, and create memories that will last a lifetime.

Choose Your Adventure

At Crossroads YMCA, campers have the opportunity to craft their own unforgettable summer experience by selecting from two distinctive camp options. Each camp is designed to provide fun, growth, and connection in unique ways. Mix and match your camper's weeks based on what they love most! Each week is independent, so campers are welcome to move branch to branch based on the camper's schedule and the camp's plans. Try a Specialty Camp at Southlake, Adventure Camp at Hobart and sprinkle in a few weeks at Triangle Hills for added adventure! Which experience will your camper choose?

BRANCH DAY CAMPS

Hosted at your local Crossroads YMCA across Lake County, these camps offer the perfect blend of convenience and variety. Each branch tailors its activities to its unique resources, providing a diverse range of experiences such as sports, swimming, creative arts, and team-building challenges. Branch Day Camps are ideal for campers who enjoy a familiar environment while exploring new interests and building lasting friendships. Flexible schedules and nearby locations make this an easy choice for busy families.

CAMP TRIANGLE HILLS

For those craving adventure and outdoor exploration, Camp Triangle Hills is the ultimate destination. Nestled in a beautiful natural setting of 144 acres, this camp immerses campers in the wonders of the outdoors through activities like archery, hiking, wildlife observation, rock climbing, and team-building exercises. Camp Triangle Hills fosters resilience, curiosity, and camaraderie while connecting campers to nature in meaningful ways. Choose 1 or 2 special weeks at Tri Hills or spend the entire summer! Transportation from local YMCA branches is available, ensuring accessibility for all families.

Which camp is for your child?

Crossroads YMCA Summer Camps are organized by age.

SPECIALTY CAMP

 Focused on skill building. See menu on page 6

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PRESCHOOL CAMP

- Discovery and learning through play.
- Must be potty trained.

DAY CAMP

Choose your

camp type:

- Classic camp experience.
- Games, sports, crafts, swimming and more.

Choose your schedule. We offer

2, 3, & 5 day options. All other

camps are I week sessions.

ADVENTURE CAMP

for all options.

- Tuesday & Thursday field trips.
- Monday, Wednesday, & Friday follow a Day Camp schedule.

TRIANGLE HILLS DAY CAMP

- Outdoor adventure focused with climbing (9+), archery, fishing, and more.
- Transportation from Crossroads YMCA branches is available.

LEADERS IN TRAINING

- Focused on leadership development with various options to choose from.
- See menu on page 7.



Sample Schedule:

6-8:00am: Camper's Choice Activities All campers must be at camp by 8:00am for swimming or field trips.*

8-8:30am: Opening Ceremonies

8:30am-3:30pm: Main Camp Day Activities vary by branch but could include: swimming, arts & crafts, field sports, quiet activities, STEM & team building activities field trips & more.

3:30pm-4:00pm: Closing Ceremonies

4:00pm-6:30pm: Pick up!

Campers choose closing activities.

*Swimming Preschool Campers at Southlake must arrive by 7:50am.

WHAT TO BRING:

The majority of our camp day is spent outside! Please make sure to dress appropriately, and label everything.

- Backpack
- Cool, comfortable play clothes
- Gym shoes (no sandals or open toe shoes)
- Swimsuit, towel & goggles (where needed)
- Healthy Lunch (see specific branch for food and lunch programs)
- 2 Healthy snacks
- Refillable, spill-proof water bottle (a \$5 fee will be added to the camper's account if a refillable water bottle needs to be provided.)
- Sunscreen
- Hat/sunglasses

ITEMS TO LEAVE HOME Electronics, cell phones, flip flops/open toe shoes, dressy clothes, jewelry, trading cards, toys, items of value.

Camp locations:

Dean and Barbara White Southlake YMCA 100 W. Burrell Drive, Crown Point, IN 46307

Griffith Family YMCA

1345 N. Broad Street, Griffith, IN 46319

Hammond Family YMCA Program Center 7322 Southeastern Ave., Hammond, IN 46324

Hobart Family YMCA at Ridge View 3333 W. Old Ridge Rd., Hobart, IN 46342

Schererville Family YMCA 221 US-41 A, Schererville, IN 46375

Whiting Family YMCA
1938 Clark Street, Whiting, IN 46394

Camp Triangle Hills 3838 141st Ave., Crown Point, IN 46307



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Ready for Summer 2025?

CAMP DATES:	START DATE	END DATE
Griffith	June 9	August 8
Hammond	June 2	August 8
Hobart*	June 2	August 8
Schererville	May 29	August 8
Southlake	June 3	August 12
Whiting	June 2	August 8
Triangle Hills	June 9	August 8

*Hobart at Ridge View Site

CAMP TIMES:

6:00am-6:00pm | 6:00am-6:30pm | 6:30am-6:30pm | 7:00am-5:30pm Hobart Griffith. Hammond. Triangle Hills Schererville, Whiting Southlake

Two ways to register:

Registration open March 3 for members; March 17 for guests.



Register online by scanning the QR code or visit crymca.org/camp.





Register in person, at your branch's welcome desk.

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MEET THE COUNSELORS:

Meet program leaders, counselors and learn about your child's summer.

Griffith	5/22	6:00pm
Hammond	5/20	6:30pm
Hobart*	5/20	6:00pm
Schererville	5/27	6:00pm
Southlake	5/21	6:00pm
Whiting	5/29	6:30pm
Triangle Hills	5/28	5:30pm

*Hobart at Ridge View Site

CONTACT US:

Griffith	219 750 1082
Hammond	219 845 1507
Hobart	219 942 2183
Schererville	219 661 7031
Southlake	219 663 5810
Southlake Preschool	219 333 5203
Whiting	219 370 5091
Triangle Hills	219 663 8335

BRANCH CAMP PRICING

			EARLY BIRD I	S 2024 RATES!	REGULAR 2025 RATES		
CAMP	OPTION	DAYS	MEMBER	GUEST	MEMBER	GUEST	
			Pricing* 3/3-4/16		Prices Sta	rting* 4/17	
Day/Preschool Camp	Two Day	M/T/W/TH or F	\$120	\$150	\$135	\$165	
Day/Preschool Camp	Three Day	M/T/W/TH or F	\$135	\$165	\$170	\$220	
Day/Preschool Camp	Five Day	Monday-Friday	\$170	\$220	\$205	\$250	
Adventure Camp	Five Day	Monday-Friday	\$205	\$250	\$220	\$275	
Leaders In Training	Five Day	Monday-Friday	\$205	\$250	\$220	\$275	
Specialty Camp	Five Day	Monday-Friday	\$195-\$250	\$215-\$275	\$215-\$275	\$255-\$300	
Add On	Two Days	2 days a week	\$20	\$25	\$25	\$30	

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ACCESSEALL

Crossroads YMCA Summer Camp believes every child deserves access to quality care, regardless of financial circumstances. That's why we are thrilled to announce that we have two options to help families afford Camp: 1) Income-Based Assistance and 2) Childcare Development Fund (CCDF), at select branches.

OPTION 1: Thanks to generous donors, the Y offers financial assistance through our Income-Based Assistance Program. Visit crymca.org/findmyrate or scan the QR code below to download the form. You will need to submit with proof of income and a request letter. You can also visit your branch for a form or to get more information. All requests are confidential.

OPTION 2: The CCDF helps families afford childcare so they can work, attend trainings, or continue their education. CCDF vouchers are managed by Indiana's Family and Social Services Administration, not the Y.

Step 1: Complete the online CCDF application found here: https://earlyedconnect.fssa.in.gov

Step 2: Provide necessary documentation requested via application.

Step 3: Family and Social Services Administration CCDF committee will review applications confidentially and fairly.



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DAY CAMP

ACTIVE, ENGAGED, AND LOVING EVERY SECOND 1ST-8TH GRADE*

Give your child an awesome summer filled with opportunities to develop new skills, discover a new passion or make a lifelong friend! Kids will love spending their summer with action-packed experiences and completing activities that capture their imagination. The possibilities at day camp are limitless. Specialty camp includes a full day of fun all week long, no need to buy specialty and day camp.



PRESCHOOL CAMP

DISCOVER, LEARN & GROW 3-5YRS

Join us as we explore the joy of summer through songs, games, crafts, and outdoor play. Your child will spend their day enjoying hands on learning activities while also having a fun summer camp experience. Camp is open to children 3–5 years (age 3) by March 1, 2025). Campers MUST be fully potty-trained to attend.



SPECIALTY CAMP

BUILD SKILLS & ACHIEVE MORE 4TH-9TH GRADE*

All the exciting ways to belong and building friendships in camp with increased ways to build skills and achieve more with camps like STEM, ninja, sports, art, baking and more! Specialty camp includes a full day of fun all week long, no need to buy specialty and day camp.



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TRIANGLE HILLS

EXPLORE NATURE 2ND-9TH GRADE**

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ADVENTURE CAMP

EXPLORING THE WORLD AROUND US 1ST-8TH GRADE*

Each week will be a new journey at adventure camp!
Campers will spend their summer going on action–
packed trips and completing activities that capture their
imagination. Campers will travel on mostly Tuesdays and
Thursdays – trips outside of these two days will be noted.
Trips can be found on our website www.crymca.org/camp.
Trips are subject to change and waivers may be required
for some trips.



LEADERS IN TRAINING CAMP – LIT

LEADERSHIP & FRIENDSHIPS 7TH-9TH GRADE*

The Leader-In-Training (LIT) program is a Specialty Camp tailored for 7th to 9th graders seeking a deeper, more enriching camp experience. Designed for mature campers, LIT offers a dynamic blend of traditional camp activities—such as swimming and arts & crafts—alongside specialized programs that foster leadership and personal growth. Some of the specialty focuses include Entrepreneur U, Babysitting Certification, Youth Community Action Program (YCAP) and Camp Counselor in Training (CIT).



CAMP ADD ON

LEARN & IMPROVE

When attending Summer Camp, a camper can add on other activities as part of their camp experience. This gives children a chance to develop skills outside of their camp day. The add on is for two 30-minute sessions during a predetermined schedule.

See website for options.



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WHAT IS SPECIALTY CAMP? See pa

See page 3 for Specialty Camp pricing.

ARCHERY

Best practices and techniques, and all of the safety behind archery! In the event of inclement weather, archery camp will move indoor to do sports specialty.

OOEY-GOOEY

Campers will embark on a new ooey-gooey adventure, exploring a variety of textures, colors, and ingredients. Get ready to dive into the science behind slime, kinetic sand, oobleck and more!

ARTIST STUDIO

Artists will have a chance to develop skills such as sculpting and hand building techniques with air dry clay; experiment with both watercolor and acrylic paints; create art with every day materials! All supplies included.

SPECIALTY CAMP SAMPLER

Campers will have a specialty focus each day exploring the most popular activities of our Archery, Experiments and Explosions, Artist Studio, and Brick City specialty camps.

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Campers will focus on knife skills, measuring, recipe reading, kitchen math, food safety, and staying safe in the kitchen.

SPORTS

Campers will spend the week learning the basics and practicing the fundamentals for a variety of sports like soccer, basketball, volleyball and more!

EDIBLE SCIENCE

This camp is a unique exploration of scientific experiments through the lens of food, offering a hands-on and palate-pleasing experience.

STEAM EXPLOSIONS & EXPERIMENTS

From pop explosions to egg drops – Explosions & Experiments is a touch of everything. Campers will explore daily science experiments using a variety of every day items!

JUNIOR LIFEGUARDING

TWO WEEK American Red Cross program taught by a YMCA certified lifeguard. Campers will learn valuable technical lifeguarding skills to help build the confidence needed to be a leader in the water and on the pool deck.

STEAM SAMPLER

Campers will have a specialty focus each day exploring the favorite and most popular activities.

MUSIC

Campers will be able to experience several different musical instruments including Piano, Guitar, Drums, Trumpet & more!

STEM BRICK CITY

Campers will have the opportunity to work with a diverse range of materials, including LEGO bricks, MagnaTiles, cardboard, and more.

NINJA BOOTCAMP

Campers will focus on obstacle course running, parkour, vaults, kicks and basic gymnastics skills. Each camper will get a certificate of completion.

THEATER

Campers will choose roles and work together to practice their lines, develop a set, and at the end of the week perform for the camp! No previous theater experience necessary.

LEADERS IN TRAINING CAMP

BABYSITTING CERTIFICATION

Campers will engage in a blend of hands-on activities, interactive workshops, role-playing scenarios, and more.

ENTREPRENEURSHIP U

Campers will engage in a series of hands-on activities, workshops, and challenges crafted to ignite their entrepreneurial mindset and foster essential skills for success.

CAMP COUNSELOR IN TRAINING

A dynamic and intensive training program that provides participants with a solid foundation in camp counseling, leadership development, child behavior, and more.

YCAP: YOUTH COMMUNITY ACTION PROGRAM

Campers will engage in a diverse range of volunteer activities, service projects, workshops, and reflections designed to foster empathy, and more.



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Want Outdoor Adventure? EXPERIENCE TRIANGLE HILLS CAMP & RETREAT CENTER 3838 W 141et Avo. Cross Period in American Control of the C

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Triangle Hills Camp & Retreat Center is our destination day camp designed for ages eight and up. At Camp Triangle Hills, adventure is more than just an activity – it's a way of life. Our mission is to spark curiosity, build resilience, and create lasting memories that campers will cherish forever. This summer, join us for an actionpacked experience full of thrilling challenges, teamwork, and the beauty of nature!

Nestled in the stunning landscape of Triangle Hills, our camp offers an immersive outdoor experience that helps kids connect with nature in a meaningful way. From guided nature hikes to wildlife observation and hands-on outdoor experiences, our campers will leave with a greater appreciation for the world around them.

Whether it's climbing, hiking, or team-building activities, we ensure that every camper enjoys an experience tailored to their abilities. We can't wait to see your camper join us for an unforgettable summer of adventure, learning, and fun! Income Based Scholarships apply to Camp too!

NEW Pool & Welcome Center! EXECUTION SET 19 COMING SUMMER 2025

Transportation:

For your convenience, transportation is available from our Lake County branches. All campers are required to be at their home branch by 7:00am and picked up by 6:30pm. Bus pick up and drop off times vary depending on traffic. You can also drop off and pick up your camper directly at Triangle Hills.

BUS ROUTES FOR TRIANGLE HILLS								
	LOCATION	PICK-UP	DROP-OFF	COST				
	Whiting Family YMCA	7:00am	5:00pm					
ROUTE1	Hammond Family YMCA	7:15am	4:45pm	\$25/week added to				
æ	Griffith Family YMCA	7:30am	4:30pm	weekly camp rates. See				
TE 2	Hobart Family YMCA*	7:00am	5:00pm	next page				
ROUTE	Schererville Family YMCA	7:30am	4:30pm	for Camp Triangle Hills				
Route 1&2	Southlake YMCA	8:00am	4:00pm	pricing				
DIRECT DROP-OFF/PICK-UP								
	Triangle Hills Camp & Retreat Center	(beginning at) 7:00am	(available until) 6:00pm					

TRIANGLE HILLS DAY CAMP PRICING

			EARLY BIRD I	REGULAR 2025 RATES		
CAMP	OPTION	DAYS	MEMBER	GUEST	MEMBER	GUEST
Day Camp	Five Day	Monday-Friday	\$250	\$320	\$265	\$335
Day Camp + Transportation	Five Day	Monday-Friday	\$275	\$345	\$290	\$370
Leaders In Training	Five Day	Monday-Friday	\$250	\$320	\$265	\$335
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- Welcome Center
- 2 Mary G White Lodge
- Activity House
- Nature Pavilion
- 5 Playground
- 6 Pool
- 7 High Ropes Course
- 8 Turtle Pond & Fishing
- Garden Fields
- 10) Sports Field
- 11 Y Climbing Tower
- (12) Gaga Pits
- (B) Camp Center
- (14) Archery Range
- 15 Low Ropes Course A
- 16 Low Ropes Course E
- 7 Archery Yurt
- 18 Horseshoe Pond
- (P) Crane Lake

Outdoor Education Village (20-22)

- 20 Blue
- (21) Tan
- 22) Green

TRAILS





BLACK
 Distance: 1.01 miles

PINK
Distance: 0.78 miles

GREEN
Distance: 2 miles
Bike Trail ONLY





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CROSSROADS YMCA

Transforming Lake County, IN crymca.org

MEMBERS HAVE PRIORITY CAMP REGISTRATION!

Member registration begins 3/3; Guest registration begins 3/17

REGISTER AT CRYMCA.ORG/CAMP

