

# TIME WARP

## CAMP KANNAPOLIS 2026

### ROWAN CABARRUS YMCA

BENDING TIME & BUILDING MEMORIES



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# IMPORTANT INFORMATION

## CAMP PAYMENT INFORMATION

### TRADITIONAL CAMP PRICING:

- YMCA MEMBERS: \$155 WEEKLY
- POTENTIAL MEMBERS: \$230 WEEKLY

### SPECIALTY CAMP PRICING:

- YMCA MEMBERS: \$195 WEEKLY
- POTENTIAL MEMBERS: \$290 WEEKLY

### LEADERS IN TRAINING (L.I.T.) PRICING:

- YMCA MEMBERS: \$100 WEEKLY
- POTENTIAL MEMBERS: \$120 WEEKLY

## PAYMENTS ARE DUE 5 DAYS PRIOR TO EACH CAMP WEEK (THE WEDNESDAY BEFORE)

### FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE:

- FINANCIAL SUPPORT IS PROVIDED THROUGH CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE YMCA ANNUAL SUPPORT CAMPAIGN.
- PLEASE OBTAIN AN OPEN DOORS APPLICATION ONLINE TO APPLY FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE.

### REGISTRATION:

- THE REQUIRED ONE TIME, NON-REFUNDABLE ADMINISTRATION FEE PER CAMPER IS \$30.

### CAMP DEPOSITS, DISCOUNTS, & DRAFT INFORMATION:

- A NON REFUNDABLE DEPOSIT OF \$15 PER EACH WEEK REGISTERED IS REQUIRED.

- DEPOSITS ARE NON TRANSFERRABLE.
- THIS FEE CAN BE REDUCED THROUGH OUR YMCA OPEN DOOR RECIPIENTS.
- ADDITIONAL SIBLINGS FROM THE SAME FAMILY RECEIVE A 10% DISCOUNT WHEN REGISTERED FOR THE SAME CAMP SESSION DATES.
- MULTIPLE DISCOUNTS CANNOT BE COMBINED.
- ALL ACCOUNTS WILL DRAFT THE WEDNESDAY PRIOR TO THE SESSION THE CAMPER IS ATTENDING.
- A SERVICE FEE WILL BE CHARGED FOR EACH RETURNED DRAFT.
- MULTIPLE DRAFT RETURNS MAY RESULT IN A CHILD BEING REMOVED FROM THE PROGRAM.
- A LATE FEE OF \$10 WILL BE CHARGED IF PAYMENT IS NOT RECEIVED BY THE DEADLINE OF 5 DAYS PRIOR TO ATTENDANCE.
- PAYMENTS NOT COMPLETED BY THE DEADLINE OF 5 DAYS PRIOR (WEDNESDAY BEFORE) WILL RESULT IN A CHILD BEING REMOVED FROM THE PROGRAM.

### CANCELLATIONS:

- ALL CANCELLATIONS ARE REQUIRED (7) DAYS PRIOR TO THE DRAFT DATE.
- THEY MUST BE SUBMITTED THROUGH THE ONLINE CANCELLATION FORM OR IN WRITING AND EMAILED TO THE YOUTH DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR.
- FAILURE TO PROPERLY NOTIFY THE YMCA WILL RESULT IN A FULL CHARGE FOR AN ABSENTEE WEEK, REGARDLESS OF THE REASON.

**YOUTH DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR**

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## CAMP DAYS AND TIMES:

- TUESDAY, MAY 26TH - FRIDAY, AUGUST 7TH
- TIMES FOR ALL CAMPS - 7AM - 5:45PM
- PARENT DROP OFF AND PICK UP SPACES ARE RESERVED ON THE PARK SIDE OF OUR MURDOCK BUILDING (NEAR THE GAGA PIT).
- DROP OFF TIME IS 7AM - 8:30AM
- TO ENSURE CAMPERS DO NOT MISS OUT ON EACH EXPERIENCE THEY WILL NEED TO BE DROPPED OFF NO LATER THAN 8:45.
- PICK UP TIME IS FROM 4PM - 5:45PM
- PLEASE COMMUNICATE ANY NEED FOR AN EARLIER PICK UP TIME OR LATER DROP OFF TIME WITH A 24 HOUR NOTICE.

## SUPPLIES FOR CAMP:

- REFILLABLE WATER BOTTLE
- BREAKFAST SNACK
- LUNCH
- ANY ADDITIONAL SNACKS PREFERRED
- BACKPACK FOR ALL ITEMS
- SWIMSUIT
- TOWEL
- WET ITEMS BAG

## ITEMS NOT ALLOWED:

- FLIP FLOPS/SANDALS
- ANY/ALL ELECTRONIC DEVICES
- PERSONAL TOYS
- PILLOWS/BLANKETS
- FOODS THAT NEED TO BE HEATED

## YMCA STAFF:

- GROUP RATIO GOAL IS 1:15
- AMERICAN RED CROSS CPR/AED 1ST AID CERTIFIED
- ABUSE AND BULLY PREVENTION TRAINING COURSE COMPLETION REQUIRED

# ACTIVITIES

• FIELD TRIPS	• CORE VALUES
• VILLAGE PARK	• WORSHIP
• LIBRARY	WEDNESDAY
• GA-GA PIT	• FUNKY FRIDAY
• GYM TIME	• SOCIAL
• GROUP EXERCISE	EMOTIONAL
• MUSIC	LEARNING
• NATURE TRAILS	• FUN COMPETITION
• STEM ACTIVITIES	• READING
• BOARD GAMES	PROGRAM
• ARTS & CRAFTS	• SO MUCH MORE
• CAMP SONGS	



## TOSS LEARNING LOSS

LEARNING WHILE WE HAVE FUN ALL SUMMER IS SOMETHING WE VALUE AT THE YMCA. COMBATING SUMMER LEARNING LOSS IS OUR GOAL. WHILE WORKING IN PARTNERSHIP WITH LOCAL SCHOOL SYSTEMS, YMCA CAMPS ARE INTENTIONAL ABOUT SUPPORTING OUR CAMPERS DEVELOPMENT. WE STRIVE TO CREATE NEW LEARNING EXPERIENCES TO ENHANCE READING COMPREHENSION, STEM SKILLS, AND SOCIAL EMOTIONAL GROWTH TO KEEP CAMPERS RIGHT ON TRACK FOR THE UPCOMING SCHOOL YEAR!

# CAMP KANNAPOLIS 2026 IMPORTANT INFORMATION

## CAMP SWIM DAY INFORMATION:

- ALL CAMPERS SWIM TWICE A WEEK.
- PLEASE BE AWARE OF THE WEEKLY SCHEDULES FOR SWIM DAYS TO MAKE SURE YOUR CAMPER IS PREPARED.
- CAMPERS NEED TO ARRIVE ON SWIM DAYS WITH SWIM SUITS ALREADY ON EITHER UNDER CLOTHES (GIRLS) OR AS SHORTS WITH A SHIRT (BOYS).
- CHANGE OF CLOTHES FOR AFTER SWIM
- A TOWEL
- A WET BAG FOR WET ITEMS AFTER SWIM



## SWIMMER SAFETY INFORMATION:

- NON-SWIMMERS AND ALL CHILDREN AGE 6 AND YOUNGER ARE REQUIRED TO WEAR COAST GUARD APPROVED LIFE JACKETS PROVIDED BY THE YMCA.
- SWIM TESTS WILL BE GIVEN THE FIRST SWIM DAY FOR EACH CAMPER AND CAN BE RE-TAKEN IF NEEDED ON THE FIRST SWIM DAY OF EACH CAMP WEEK.
- NO SWIM DAYS ON FIELD TRIP DAYS.

## SWIM TEST

A Swim Test is required for ages 7 and up who wish to swim without a coast guard approved life vest.

- Front crawl 25 yards, without touching sides, lane lines or bottom of pool. No underwater swim or doggie paddle.
- Demonstrate some rotary breathing.
- Upon completion of 25 yards, swimmer will climb out of the pool, unassisted, without using a ladder.
- Jump into the deep end, fully submerge, recover and tread water for one minute.



- OUR POOL LIFEGUARDS ARE FULLY TRAINED IN CPR/AED AND 1ST AID (PROFESSIONAL RESCUERS) THROUGH THE AMERICAN RED CROSS AND WILL ALWAYS BE ON DUTY DURING ANY POOL TIME.
- OUR COUNSELORS ARE PRESENT BOTH ON THE POOL DECK AND IN THE POOL DURING ANY POOL TIME.

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# TRADITIONAL CAMP

## AGES 5 – 12:

Traditional Camp will engage in activities and field trips that enhance their spiritual, social and emotional skills, help keep their academics on track, keep them physically active and challenge their curiosity to grow. Campers will participate in a wide range of sports, arts, crafts, instructional and recreational swim. Our fun weekly themes help campers engage in a variety of reading, science, and math activities throughout each session.

## DAILY CAMP SCHEDULE EXAMPLE:

7:00 – 8:45: Rides In/ Activity Stations  
9:00 – 9:45: Breakfast Reading Time  
9:45 – 10:15: Morning Assembly  
10:15 – 11:45: Counselor Led Activities (STEAM, Crafts, Outdoors & Games)  
11:45 – 12:30: LUNCH  
12:30 – 1:00: Social Emotional Skills/Character Value Based Activities  
1:00 – 2:00: Counselor Led Activities (STEAM, Crafts, Outdoors & Games)  
2:00 – 2:30: Afternoon Assembly  
2:30 – 3:30: Counselor Led Activities (STEAM, Crafts, Outdoors & Games)  
3:30 – 5:45: Activity Stations/Rides Out



### WEEK 1

May 26 – 29

#### THEME

TIME MACHINE

### WEEK 5

June 22 – 26

#### THEME

BARN YARD DAYS

### WEEK 9

July 20 – 24

#### THEME

NOW & WOW

### WEEK 2

June 1 – 5

#### THEME

STONE AGE

### WEEK 6

June 29 – July 3

#### THEME

GEARS OF TIME

### WEEK 10

July 27 – July 31

#### THEME

THE FUTURE

### WEEK 3

June 8 – 12

#### THEME

KNIGHT'S QUEST

### WEEK 7

July 6 – 10

#### THEME

DISCOVERY OF  
DECades

### WEEK 11

Aug 3 – 7

#### THEME

AND BEYOND

### WEEK 4

June 15 – 19

#### THEME

WILD WEST

### WEEK 8

July 13 – 17

#### THEME

RETRO REWIND



# SPECIALTY CAMP

## Ages 8-12 yrs old

Specialty Camp allows campers to not only participate in the traditional camp experience but also lets them dive deeper and focus on developing more skills in an area they are interested in. From varying sports, sciences, art, aquatics, technology and more, we offer a wide variety of specialty camps that will excite each camper providing them with a transformative summer.

### WEEK 1

May 26 – 29

NO  
SPECIALTY  
CAMP

### WEEK 5

June 22 – 26

FUTURE LEGENDS  
FOOTBALL CAMP  
COOKING QUEST  
CAMP

### WEEK 9

July 20 – 24

SPORTS WARP ZONE  
ART OF ANIME

### WEEK 2

June 1 – 5

TIMELESS HOOPS  
BASKETBALL CAMP  
TIDE TRAVELERS  
SWIM CAMP

### WEEK 6

June 29 – July 3

NO  
SPECIALTY  
CAMP

### WEEK 10

July 27 – July 31

TIDE TRAVELERS  
SWIM CAMP  
TIMELESS TALENTS

### WEEK 3

June 8 – 12

ART THROUGH  
THE AGES  
FANTASY WORLDS &  
STORY TELLING

### WEEK 7

July 6 – 10

PAST, PRESENT  
& PREPARED  
LIFE SKILLS CAMP  
PRESS START:  
VIDEO GAME CAMP

### WEEK 11

Aug 3 – 7

NO  
SPECIALTY  
CAMP

### WEEK 4

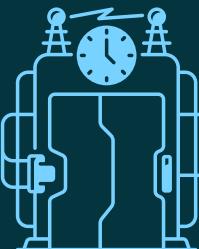
June 15 – 19

SADDLE UP  
EQUESTRIAN CAMP  
LEGO TIME LAB CAMP

### WEEK 8

July 13 – 17

PAST DISCOVERIES  
FUTURE INVENTIONS  
SCIENCE CAMP  
POKEMON  
GENERATIONS



# LEADER'S IN TRAINING

## Ages 13-15 yrs old



L.I.T.'s enjoy a summer of expanding their own experiences and developing leadership skills. They will spend the day working with a group of peers to help understand our core values better. They will be able to apply these values by creating crafts, leading games, and most importantly mentoring young campers. They will attend traditional camp field trips along with weekly age appropriate trips with their own group. Prospective L.I.T.'s will apply/interview for this position with our camp director prior to registration.