



FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT  
FOR HEALTHY LIVING  
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY



# EXPLORATION, ADVENTURE, AND MUCH MORE!



## Summer Camp 2012 Lynch/van Otterloo Y



# Summer is the time to discover!

Summer Camp plays an important part in the lives of our communities' youth as they develop towards adulthood. Children realize important life lessons and make memories each day as they learn from their surroundings and peers. In a Y camp, kids make friends, have fun and stay active while they discover who they are and what they can achieve. Whatever interest your child has, there is a Y camp for them. Led by caring, highly trained staff, you can rest assured that your child is in a safe, nurturing environment. Our camps help kids grow to become happy, healthy adults with the self-confidence to accomplish anything they set their minds to.

## Refer a new camper and receive a \$20 YMCA gift card.

*\* New campers (did not attend camp in 2011). Camper must put your name as a referral on their camp registration form to receive the gift card.*

## Nancamp 2012 Celebrating its 20th anniversary sponsoring Y camperships for kids dealing with cancer.

Nancamp is delighted to have sponsored over 500 summer day camperships over the past 20 years for children who have cancer or who have been treated in the past, children who have recently had a parent or sibling pass away from cancer and children who have a parent or sibling suffering from cancer.

We look forward to working with the Y to sponsor children dealing with cancer for many more years.

### About Nancamp

Nancamp was established in 1991 in memory of Nancy Bostley. Nancamp applications for the summer day programs at the Y can be obtained from Katie Van Dorpe, Nancamp President, One Leslie Cove, Marblehead (781-631-9468) or Paul Bostley, Sr., Nancamp Treasurer, 107 Front Street, Marblehead (781-631-1353).

## YMCA Membership

All campers are encouraged to join as a YMCA member to receive full membership privileges including: reduced camp rates, open free swim in the outdoor pool, free open gym time and early registration for all YMCA programs. The youth membership is \$168/year or \$14/month and teen membership (ages 14-18) is \$276/year and \$23/month. **Membership must be current at the time of registration to receive the member rate.** For more information on all YMCA memberships, please contact your local YMCA or visit our website at [www.northshoreymca.org](http://www.northshoreymca.org).

## Financial Assistance

YMCA summer camps are for everyone – regardless of income. The YMCA provides financial assistance for families who are unable to pay the full camp fee. Subsidies are available thanks to the generous support of "Y For All" donors. Contact your local YMCA or visit our website at [www.northshoreymca.org](http://www.northshoreymca.org) for a confidential financial assistance application or to make a contribution. **Please apply prior to registration. A copy of your award letter for any financial support must be attached to registration packet to receive reduced rates.**

## Easy Payment Plan

**Pay for 10 weeks of camp over 25 weeks. Begin weekly automatic deductions on March 1st for a lower weekly deduction.** Please contact Jamie Pickering, Billing Specialist, for forms and requests: [pickeringj@northshoreymca.org](mailto:pickeringj@northshoreymca.org).

# Registration

The YMCA of the North Shore offers several convenient ways to register for camps in 2012

- In person at any North Shore YMCA location
- Mail in registration form found on the website: [www.northshoreymca.org](http://www.northshoreymca.org)
- Online at [www.northshoreymca.org](http://www.northshoreymca.org)
- Fax in registration form: 781.639.0190

Our website offers complete information on our camps – handbooks, orientations, details and prices. **Your child is registered ONLY upon receiving your confirmation email. A \$50 non-refundable deposit per session, per camp is required at the time of registration. Full payment required when registering within two weeks of session date. Campers not paid in full by start of camp will not be allowed to attend unless on an approved payment plan. Camps are licensed by Salem and Swampscott Boards of Health or Massachusetts Department of Early Learning and Care.**

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**PLEASE NOTE THERE WILL BE NO CAMP ON JULY 4TH - SESSION PRICE WILL BE PRORATED.**

**Change of Camp Policy: All parents are allowed to change camps one time free of charge.**

**All other changes will incur a \$15 fee.**

# LEADERSHIP

## Children's Island Day Camp

For over 50 years, Children's Island has provided campers from the North Shore and around the world with a unique and wonderful camp experience. Located one mile off the coast of Marblehead and Salem on a picturesque twenty-five acre island, campers swim at three beaches and in the pool, coast the seas on rowboats and kayaks, play sports, build crafts, shoot bows and arrows in archery, discover marine life, fish, and learn Native American lore in the Ranger program. Picnic areas, lodges for indoor activities and bathroom facilities complete this island environment for a fun filled camp experience not to be forgotten. With fun and exciting options for all ages, including specialty camps that allow participants to focus on specialized skills, Children's Island campers "unplug", get back to rustic camp activities, and make friendships that last a lifetime.

### DAY CAMP - TWO WEEK SESSIONS/ONE WEEK OPTION:

To ensure a quality camp experience with time to learn skills, engage in activities, form friendships and build memories that last a lifetime, programs on Children's Island are designed around a two week session. The first week is designed to introduce skills as well as begin to build and form a group spirit with fellow campers. The second week enhances skills and allows the friendships and camaraderie to develop. An overnight is included in each session allowing campers the experience of skits and songs around the campfire and a night in a tent. A one week option is available but the full camp experience/activities is not guaranteed.

- Participate in camp games and competitions
- Kayak in the ocean
- Develop rowing skills
- Go fishing
- Discover marine life
- Learn about the island environment
- Engage in island preservation
- Enhance swimming skills
- Participate in the popular Rangers program that develops camping skills & personal responsibility
- Play sports
- Learn how to use a bow and arrow on the archery range
- Build crafts

**ISLANDERS TEEN PROGRAM:** The teen group has been improved to focus on the social and active desires of teens. Teens will have extended time to fully develop skills as well as choices and socialization time to hang with friends while guided by trained staff specializing in teen programming.

**COUNSELOR IN TRAINING PROGRAM:** This program allows campers to get a feel for what it is like to work on the island and gives them the chance to develop as young leaders. Participants will shadow counselors and help run daily programs, work with CIT Director on leadership activities, as well as have time to relax and enjoy the island. Space is limited.

**SPECIALTY CAMPS:** These camps give focus and dedicate time to teaching specialized skills around sailing, adventure and the environment. Participants will get the opportunity to gain in depth knowledge on a topic through fun and interactive activities. Camps offered are Sailing, Rangers and Ocean Adventures, and run one or two weeks depending on the specialization.



## Children's Island "Need to Know" Info:

### Drop off and Pick up Choice:

State Street Landing on Front St in Marblehead or Pickering Wharf, Salem.

Boat transportation provided.

### Camp Director: Adam Rodgers

rodgersa@northshoremca.org

### Phone at the YMCA:

781-990-7013

### Phone on Children's Island:

978-360-1948

### Rainy Day Info:

A rainy day curriculum is used that incorporates the lodges should inclement weather occur. If the weather makes it unsafe to go to the island, then camp will be held at the YMCA.



## Children's Island Day Camp Campers Entering: Grades 2-6, co-ed

Children's Island is the perfect place for a child looking for a classic, fun summer camp experience. Campers begin their day with a quick boat ride and pre-camp activities led by staff around the island. Once everyone arrives, campers are directed to their groups, meet their counselors, and get things going with flagpole announcements, songs, and the daily schedule. Over the course of the day, campers participate in a variety of activities including: swimming, lobstering, kayaking in the ocean, rowing, fishing, tide pooling, nature walks, fun group competitions, Ranger activities to develop camping skills & personal responsibility, sports, archery, arts and crafts, bouldering and other camp games. The day wraps up with a meeting back at the flag pole to close out the day and a relaxing boat ride back to shore. By the end of the session, campers have forged lasting relationships with friends and staff and created memories that will last until they return next summer and create new ones all over again.

Session Length:	Two weeks, Monday-Friday	
Session Dates:	Session 1/2	6/25 – 7/6
	Session 3/4	7/9 – 7/20
	Session 5/6	7/23 – 8/3
	Session 7/8	8/6 – 8/17
	Session 9/10	8/20 – 8/31
Times:	<b>See boat options, below</b>	
Two Week Fee:	Member \$535	Community \$585
One Week Fee:	Member \$280	Community \$330

### Leaving from State Street in Marblehead

- A: 8:00am to 4:00pm
- B: 8:45am to 5:00pm
- C: 8:00am to 5:00pm  
(Additional cost of \$60/session)
- D: 8:45am to 4:00pm

### Leaving from Pickering Wharf in Salem

- E: 7:20am to 5:30pm  
(Additional cost of \$70/session)

**"My son learned about himself and what he could accomplish at summer camp."**

## SPECIALTY CAMPS

### Children's Island Sailing Camp

**Campers Entering: Grades 5 & up, co-ed**

Aboard our fleet of 14 foot American Daysailers, campers will learn to sail under the guidance and expertise of our sailing staff. Campers will develop skills in tying knots, rigging sails, navigating the waters, capsizing, and swimming. On sailing trips to locations such as Misery Island and Brown's Island, campers will sharpen sailing abilities and learn basic racing techniques. The camp will have two tracks to accommodate the beginner as well as train the intermediate in expert sailing skills. Campers will participate in the Island overnight with the day campers but inhabit the Sailor's end of the island with home base in the Sailor's lodge. Time for exploration of island environments, driftwood creations and group projects complete this camp experience. Sailing campers must be able to swim 100 yard crawl and tread and float for 3 minutes to ensure safety. Swim tests available anytime at the Y by contacting Susan Guertin, 781-990-7009 or guertins@northshoreymca.org. Space is limited in this camp to ensure individualized attention and lots of sailing time. Register early!

Session Length: Two weeks, Monday-Friday

Session Dates: Session 1/2 6/25 – 7/6  
Session 3/4 7/9 – 7/20  
Session 5/6 7/23 – 8/3  
Session 7/8 8/6 – 8/17  
Session 9/10 8/20 – 8/31

Times: **See boat options, pg 5**

Fee: Member \$535 Community \$585

### February and April Vacation Island Days at the Y

Join us to preview special island activities and meet staff. Look for more info on Facebook and on the website.

[www.facebook.com/childrensisland](http://www.facebook.com/childrensisland)

[www.northshoreymca.org](http://www.northshoreymca.org)

### Children's Island Rangers Camp

**Campers Entering: Grades 4 & up, co-ed**

We have taken this very successful staple of the Children's Island program and created a two week intensive camp. Focusing on outdoor skills, this camp utilizes the island's unique surroundings to create a two week experience that builds teamwork, leadership, and fun. Over the course of the program, participants work towards earning patches by engaging in different activities such as knot tying, rock climbing, boating, orienteering, archery, snorkeling, and teambuilding games. Space is limited.

Session Length: Two weeks, Monday-Friday

Session Dates: Session 1/2 6/25 – 7/6  
Session 3/4 7/9 – 7/20  
Session 5/6 7/23 – 8/3  
Session 7/8 8/6 – 8/17  
Session 9/10 8/20 – 8/31

Times: **See boat options, pg 5**

Fee: Member \$535 Community \$585

### Ocean Adventure Camps

**Campers Entering: Grades 3 & up, co-ed**

Come and learn all about the island's natural environment. In this camp, participants will have a ton of fun with hands on activities designed to enhance their understanding of the island's rugged yet fragile ecosystem, and the importance of preserving it. Tide pooling, bird and plant identification games, setting lobster pots, and sea kayaking are just a few of the things that campers will be doing. A variety of camp games with an ecology twist will be mixed in to ensure a fun and worthwhile experience. Space is limited.

Session Length: One week, Monday-Friday

Session Dates: Session 1 6/25-6/29  
Session 2 7/2-7/6  
Session 3 7/9-7/13  
Session 4 7/16-7/20

Times: **See boat options, pg 5**

Fee: Member \$270 Community \$320

**"I got better at swimming every summer because of the great swim teachers!"**

# SELF ESTEEM

## Islanders Camp

**Teens Entering: Grades 7-10, co-ed**

This teen program is designed for the older campers that want more time to experience island adventures. Teens will be able to kayak around the island, row to the islands, swim and dive in the open waters, fish off the rocks and maintain the lobster traps, as well as learn to cook and survive in the island setting. Activity choices and time for socialization are two key components of this camp which also present challenges to be solved by group activities and projects. Special teen overnights supervised and guided by teen specialists complete this teen adventure.

Session Length: Two weeks, Monday-Friday

Session Dates: Session 1/2 6/25 – 7/6  
Session 3/4 7/9 – 7/20  
Session 5/6 7/23 – 8/3  
Session 7/8 8/6 – 8/17  
Session 9/10 8/20 – 8/31

Times: **See boat options, pg 5**

Two Week Fee: Member \$485 Community \$535

One Week Fee: Member \$230 Community \$310



## Counselor-In-Training Program

**Teens Entering: Grades 9-10, co-ed**

The CIT program is for those teens that want to develop leadership skills and learn how to effectively work with campers. This program is designed to prepare teens for future employment as counselors. CITs will be mentored by island staff, train and work with groups on conflict resolution and program planning, as well as have time to enjoy the island and activities. Teens entering the ninth and tenth grade who wish to participate in the CIT program must apply for a limited number of positions. Applications available at the Y and on our website.

Session Length: Two weeks, Monday-Friday

Session Dates: Session 1/2 6/25 – 7/6  
Session 3/4 7/9 – 7/20  
Session 5/6 7/23 – 8/3  
Session 7/8 8/6 – 8/17  
Session 9/10 8/20 – 8/31

Times: **Boat Option A: 8am to 4pm**  
**Boat Option C: 8am to 5pm**  
**Boat Option E: 7:20am to 5:30pm**  
Pickering Wharf in Salem

Two Week Fee: Member \$320 Community \$370

One Week Fee: Member \$170 Community \$220



## FAMILY EVENTS

### Family Days on Children's Island

Saturday - June 16, 2012 10:00 am - 2:00 pm  
Saturday - June 23, 2012 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Cost: **FREE**, however space is limited.

Experience the magic of the Island and meet our outstanding camp directors and counselors. Bring the family for a day to experience some of the island activities such as swimming, kayaking, crafts, and sports. Hot dogs and drinks available for purchase. Boat transportation provided from State Street Landing in Marblehead leaving at 10am and returning at 2pm. Register early to get a glimpse of the wonderful summer ahead.

### Family Camping

No equipment to buy. No long trips in the car. Just pack your clothes and food and sign-up for a weekend of fun on Children's Island with the family. The YMCA provides tents, boat transportation, charcoal grill, lifeguards, picnic tables and an evening campfire. The Island has a large pool, bathrooms, kayaks, and lots of fishing opportunities as well as room for games and kites. Come join us for a magical day and night on the Island where everyone is guaranteed an ocean view. For more information, please pick up our full registration brochure or access the brochure online at [www.northshoreymca.org](http://www.northshoreymca.org).

Family Camping Length: 2 Days Saturday-Sunday  
Dates: 6/30-7/1, 7/14-7/15, 7/21-7/22,  
7/28-7/29, 8/11-8/12, 8/18-8/19, 8/25-8/26  
Fees per tent: Member \$110 Community \$150  
Transportation: By boat, leaving Marblehead on Saturday at 10am and returning Sunday morning at 11am.



### Family Day Trippers

Not ready to spend the night on the Island? Or just want to enjoy a Saturday of fun in the sun? We have a big swimming pool, ocean beaches, kayaking and a picnic area. Bring your family out to explore our wonderful island right in your backyard! For more information, please pick up our full registration brochure or access the brochure online at [www.northshoreymca.org](http://www.northshoreymca.org).

Family Day Trippers Length: 1 Day Saturday  
Dates: 6/30, 7/7, 7/14, 7/21, 7/28,  
8/5, 8/11, 8/18, 8/25

Fees per person: Member \$15 Community \$20  
Transportation: By boat, leaving Marblehead on Saturday at 10am and returning at 4pm

### Island Rentals

Children's Island is available for rentals of all types and sizes. Between May and October the island hosts scout overnights, weddings, family reunions, corporate outings, birthday parties, and more. If you are interested in having Children's Island host your event please contact us and we can provide more specific information. Full service catering available. Special discounts on rentals apply for non-profits and Y members. For more information, contact Adam Rodgers at 781.990.7013 or [rodgersa@northshoreymca.org](mailto:rodgersa@northshoreymca.org).

### Children's Island Alumni Association

Parents and friends: did you attend Children's Island as a camper or work on the Island years ago? Want to reconnect with other alumni? Join the YMCA Children's Island Alumni Association! We help secure the future of the Island and support Y for All, the YMCA's financial assistance program. Your participation helps give children who could not otherwise afford to attend the chance to have a life changing experience at camp. You also have a chance to reconnect with other alumni from the past 55 summers at on and off-island events. The Island flourishes by preserving the traditions of camp, but we need the help of alumni to continue these traditions. Please join us.

For more information: contact Adam Rodgers at 781.990.7013 or [rodgersa@northshoreymca.org](mailto:rodgersa@northshoreymca.org)

# PRESCHOOL CAMPS

## Preschool Paddleboats

Children 3 years to entering Kindergarten  
in September 2012

The Preschool Paddleboats Camp provides children with a fun-filled summer experience in our state-of-the-art classrooms. Centered on the curriculum theme of "Summer Olympics" children will learn about sports, team work and different countries around the world. While choosing from a variety of activities in the areas of art, cooking, science, blocks, dramatic play and sensory materials - learning by doing will bring the theme alive. Outdoor physical activities including climbing, running, bike riding and swimming at our beautiful playground and pools provides a well rounded experience for our youngest campers.

### Choose from many program options:

Session Length: Two week sessions, Monday through Friday  
(4 consecutive weeks suggested)

Schedule: Two, Three or Five Day options

Session Dates: Session 1/2 6/25-7/6  
Session 3/4 7/9 - 7/20  
Session 5/6 7/23 - 8/3  
Session 7/8 8/6 - 8/17  
Session 9/10 8/20 - 8/29  
(Week 10, 3 days total - prorated)

Time Options: 8:30am - 12:30pm  
8:30am - 3:00pm  
8:30am - 4:30pm  
8:30am - 6:00pm  
Early drop off available at 7:30am

Fee: Varies upon schedules - prices  
available on the website.

Location: YMCA Early Learning Center

Program Director: Jean McCartin, 781.990.7005 or  
mccartinj@northshoreymca.org

Registration forms, orientations and handbooks available on  
the YMCA website or through the Early Learning Center.



To sign up for camp  
visit our website:  
[www.northshoreymca.org](http://www.northshoreymca.org)

# CHALLENGE

## Youth Camps

### ADDITIONAL CARE OPTIONS FOR CAMP

#### Early Drop Off

Campers Entering: Grades K and up, co-ed

Do you need childcare before camp begins? Drop off your camper in the gym for games and art activities until camp starts at 9:00am.

Session Length: One week  
Time: 7:30am-9:00am  
Fee: Members-\$30/week  
Community-\$45/week

#### Extended Day

Campers Entering: Grades K and up, co-ed

Do you need childcare after camp ends? Your child can join our extended day program when camp ends. Campers will have a chance to swim, use the rock wall, play gym games on the field and participate in arts and crafts. Choose the days you need care.

Session Length: One week  
Time: 1:00pm-4:30pm  
Fee: Members-\$25/day  
Community-\$40/day

#### Late Pick Up

Campers Entering: Grades K and up, co-ed

Do you need childcare until 6pm? Your child can join our Late Pick Up program when camp ends. Campers will have a chance to swim, use the rock wall, play gym games on the field and participate in arts and crafts. Choose the days you need care.

Session Length: One week  
Time: 1:00 pm-6:00 pm  
Fee: Members-\$35/day  
Community-\$50/day

### YOUTH CAMPS

#### Rising Stars Gymnastics Camp Campers Age 4-Grade 2, co-ed

Bounce the summer away at Gymnastics Camp! Each week, children are placed in groups based on age and ability and receive instruction on all of the Olympic apparatus including the tumble trak and trampoline. Our dynamic staff of experienced professional instructors are hired not only for their knowledge, but also for their ability to teach young children. Emphasis is placed on the fun of movement as well as the fundamentals for success in all sports. Each session ends with an award ceremony and exciting gym show for family and friends. Parents may choose two, three or five day options.

Session Length: One week, Monday-Friday  
Session Options: Choose from 2, 3 or 5 days

Session 1: 6/25-6/29	Session 2: 7/2-7/6
Session 3: 7/9-7/13	Session 4: 7/16-7/20
Session 5: 7/23-7/27	Session 6: 7/30-8/3
Session 7: 8/6-8/10	Session 8: 8/13-8/17
Session 9: 8/20-8/22	Session 10: 8/27-8/31

Time: 9:00am-1:00pm  
Fees: 2 day options (Tues and Thurs)  
Member-\$105 Community-\$155  
3 day options (Mon, Wed and Friday)  
Member-\$135 Community-\$185  
5 day option (Mon-Fri)  
Member-\$195 Community-\$245

Location: YMCA Gymnastics Center  
Program Director: Danielle Walker, 781-990-7011 or  
walkerd@northshoreymca.org.

Early drop off, extended day, and late day pick-up options are available.

To sign up for camp  
visit our website:  
[www.northshoreymca.org](http://www.northshoreymca.org)

## Mini Sports Mania Camp

**Campers Entering: Grades K-1, co-ed**

This camp offers a wide variety of sports for the active child. It includes soccer, hockey, basketball, t-ball, swim time and other age appropriate games. Our goal for each child is to foster a lifelong passion for a love of sports. Please pack a snack, lunch, bathing suit, water bottle and towel.

Session Length: One week, Monday-Friday

Session 1: 6/25-6/29	Session 2: 7/2-7/6
Session 3: 7/9-7/13	Session 4: 7/16-7/20
Session 5: 7/23-7/27	Session 6: 7/30-8/3
Session 7: 8/6-8/10	Session 8: 8/13-8/17
Session 9: 8/20-8/22	Session 10: 8/27-8/31

Time: **9:00am to 1:00pm**

Fee: **Members -\$160 Community-\$210**

Location: **Lynch/van Otterloo YMCA**

Program Director: **Emily Hudak, 781.990.7044 or  
hudake@northshoreymca.org**

**Early drop off, extended day, and late day pick-up options are available. For more information, see page 10.**



## Small Fry Camp

**Campers Entering: Grades K-1, co-ed**

Small Fry Camp is designed to provide a fun and rewarding camp experience for the first time camper. Your child will enjoy swimming in the outdoor pool and gym games on the outdoor field. Sign your child up for a summer filled with field trips, art activities, gym games, and swimming. Your child will travel to local beaches and children's museums, while meeting new friends and practicing social skills in a small group setting. Field trips are on Wednesday and Friday. Afternoons will include free swim, sports, art, and rock wall. You may sign up for 3, 4, or 5 days per week. One week option is available but the full camp experience/activities not guaranteed.

Session Length: Two weeks, Monday-Friday

Session Dates:	Session 1/2	6/25 - 7/6
	Session 3/4	7/9 - 7/20
	Session 5/6	7/23 - 8/3
	Session 7/8	8/6 - 8/17
	Session 9/10	8/20 - 8/31

Time: **9:00 am-1:00 pm**

2 week fee: **Members-\$290 Community-\$340**

1 week fee: **Members-\$160 Community-\$210**

Location: **Lynch/van Otterloo YMCA**

Program Director: **Marianne Baker/Anthony Falconieri  
Phone: 781-990-7007**

Email: **bakerm@northshoreymca.org  
falconieria@northshoreymca.org**

**Early drop off, extended day, and late day pick-up options are available. For more information, see page 10.**

**“My daughter’s self esteem grew immensely and she had a wonderful time.”**



### Jr. Adventure Camp Campers Entering: Grades K-2, co-ed

Give your kids the opportunity to have an adventure while participating in safe, fun and engaging activities! Participants will learn about local plants and animals while walking through the woods, observe marine life while exploring a local beach, and get the chance to climb the rock wall and swim in the pool during activity time at the Y. A love of the outdoors comes at no extra charge.

Session Length: One week, Monday-Friday  
 Session Dates: Session 1: 6/25-6/29  
 Session 3: 7/9-7/13  
 Session 6: 7/30-8/3  
 Session 9: 8/20-8/22  
 Session 10: 8/27-8/31

Time: 9:00am-1:00pm  
 Fee: Members-\$160 Community-\$210

Location: Lynch/van Otterloo YMCA  
 Program Director: Marianne Baker, 781-990-7007 or bakerm@northshoreymca.org

Early drop off, extended day, and late day pick-up options are available. For more information, see page 10.

### Author, Author Camp Campers Entering: Grades K-1, co-ed

Does your child want to publish his own book? Learn to write and illustrate a book. Your child will be the author and illustrator of their own book. Along with book creation, there will be time for swimming and outdoor play each day.

Session Length: One week, Monday-Friday  
 Session Dates: Session 1: 6/25-6/29  
 Session 6: 7/30-8/3

Time: 9:00am-1:00pm  
 Fee: Members-\$160 Community-\$210

Location: Lynch/van Otterloo YMCA  
 Program Director: Marianne Baker, 781-990-7007 bakerm@northshoreymca.org

Early drop off, extended day, and late day pick-up options are available. For more information, see page 10.

### Book Cooks Campers Entering: Grades K-1, co-ed

Is your child interested in learning the basics of cooking? At this camp, participants will read a story and then cook a dish related to the story. For example, we will read *Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs* and then make meatballs. There will be time for swimming and outdoor games.

Session Length: One week, Monday-Friday  
 Session Dates: Session 2: 7/2-7/6  
 Session 5: 7/23-7/27  
 Session 7: 8/6-8/10  
 Session 10: 8/27-8/31

Time: 9:00am-1:00pm  
 Fee: Members: \$160 Community: \$210

Location: Lynch/van Otterloo YMCA  
 Program Director: Marianne Baker, 781-990-7007 bakerm@northshoreymca.org

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**“Field trips are my favorite part of camp, I love going to new places.”**

# CONFIDENCE

## Young Scientists

**Campers Entering: Grades K-1, co-ed**

Have your child learn the answers to the mysteries of science through fun hands-on activities. We will create volcanoes and fossils, build towers, and fly model planes! Activities will be held both indoors and outdoors with swimming offered every day. Sign up and get your child hooked on the fun and exciting world of science today!

Session Length: One week, Monday-Friday  
Session Dates: Session 2: 7/2-7/6  
Session 8: 8/13-8/17  
Time: 9:00am-1:00pm  
Fee: Members-\$160 Community-\$210

Location: Lynch/van Otterloo YMCA  
Program Director: Marianne Baker, 781-990-7007  
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## Star Wars Camp

**Campers Entering: Grades K-3, co-ed**

Ready to be a Jedi? For a week you can train in the ways of the Force. You will have light saber training, learn to draw Star Wars characters, play Jedi games, and work together to solve a mission. We will take a daily break for a swim in the pool. Sure to be a favorite, sign up fast as the force is strong with this one.

Session Length: One week, Monday-Friday  
Session Dates: Session 3: 7/9-7/13  
Session 9: 8/20-8/24  
Time: **9:00am-1:00pm**  
Fee: Members-\$160 Community-\$210

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## Discover the Great Artists

**Campers Entering: Grades K-2, co-ed**

This camp gives kids the opportunity to paint and create just like the great art masters of years gone by. Campers will learn a little about the "Artist of the Day" and be shown works they created. They will then spend the majority of their day creating their own master piece in the vein of the day's artist. Counselors will help with the materials, but campers are encouraged to explore their creativity and have a good time. Artists will have time to swim in the pool each day. Who knows, you may end up with the next Michelangelo or Picasso!

Session Length: One week, Monday-Friday  
Session Dates: Session 4: 7/16-7/20  
Time: **9:00am-1:00pm**  
Fee: Members-\$160 Community-\$210

Location: Lynch/van Otterloo YMCA  
Program Director: Marianne Baker, 781-990-7007  
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**To sign up for camp  
visit our website:  
[www.northshoreymca.org](http://www.northshoreymca.org)**

# FRIENDSHIPS

## Shooting Stars Gymnastics Camp Campers Entering: Grades K-8, co-ed

Tumble into the summer with a week of Gymnastics Camp! Boys and girls of all levels, from beginners to advanced, experience the thrill of learning new skills. Our experienced, highly qualified staff works with small groups to identify individual strengths and help campers reach their highest potential. Teamwork and goal-setting are emphasized. Game time and open work-out are incorporated daily as well as a refreshing swim in our outdoor pool. At the end of the session, campers will participate in an awards ceremony and an exciting gym show for families and friends.

Session Length: One week, Monday-Friday

Session Dates:

Session 1: 6/25-6/29	Session 2: 7/2-7/6
Session 3: 7/9-7/13	Session 4: 7/16-7/20
Session 5: 7/23-7/27	Session 6: 7/30-8/3
Session 7: 8/6-8/10	Session 8: 8/13-8/17
Session 9: 8/20-8/22	Session 10: 8/27-8/31

Time/Fees: **9:00am-3:00pm**  
Member-\$280 Community-\$330

Location: YMCA Gymnastics Center  
Program Director: Danielle Walker, 781-990-7011  
walkerd@northshoreymca.org

Early drop off, extended day, and late day pick-up options are available. For more information, see page 10.



## Flag Football/Baseball Camp Campers Entering: Grades 1-4, co-ed

Throughout the week, campers will play a combination of activities for baseball and flag football. Skills will be taught daily with games throughout the week. This is a great camp for the active child. Please pack a baseball glove, snack and lunch including a water bottle.

Session Length: One week, Monday-Friday

Session Dates: Session 7	8/6 - 8/10
	(Grades 1-2)
Session 8	8/13 - 8/17
	(Grades 3-4)

Time: **9:00am- 1:00pm**  
Fee: Member-\$165 Community-\$215

Location: Swampscott Middle School's Lower Bowl Field  
Program Director: Emily Hudak, 781-990-7044 or  
hudake@northshoreymca.org

## Soccer Camp Campers Entering: Grades 1-4, co-ed

Join YMCA staff for a fun week of soccer! Various skills will be emphasized, along with fun games and scrimmages. Please bring sneakers, cleats, shin guards, snack and lunch including a water bottle.

Session Length: One week, Monday-Friday

Session Dates: Session 9:	8/20-8/24
	(Grades 1-2)
Session 10:	8/27-8/31
	(Grades 3-4)

Time: **9:00am- 1:00pm**  
Fee: Member-\$165 Community-\$215

Location: Swampscott Middle School's Lower Bowl Field  
Program Director: Emily Hudak, 781-990-7044 or  
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## Sports Mania Camp

**Campers Entering: Grades 2-4, co-ed**

Our camp will teach children a broad range of sports including baseball, football, soccer, basketball and hockey. They will also have time to swim in our pool. Children will learn the fundamental skills of each sport, as well as the importance of teamwork and fair play. Please pack a snack, lunch, bathing suit and towel.

Session Length: One week, Monday-Friday

Session Dates:

Session 1: 6/25-6/29	Session 2: 7/2-7/6
Session 3: 7/9-7/13	Session 4: 7/16-7/20
Session 5: 7/23-7/27	Session 6: 7/30-8/3
Session 7: 8/6-8/10	Session 8: 8/13-8/17
Session 9: 8/20-8/22	Session 10: 8/27-8/31

Time: **9:00am-1:00pm**

Fee: Member-\$160 Community-\$210

Location: Lynch/van Otterloo YMCA

Program Director: Emily Hudak, 781-990-7044 or  
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## Explorers Camp

**Campers Entering: Grade 2-4, co-ed**

Explorers is designed for the camper who wants to continue with a field trip based camp or a half day camp. Campers participate in more advanced athletic activities, swimming, and art projects. Campers will have a special Explorers only field trip on the second Wednesday of each session. This will be a full day trip to places such as Water Country, Canobie Lake Park, and Castle Island. You may sign up for 3, 4, or 5 days per week. One week option is available. Prices are all inclusive.

Session Length: Two weeks, Monday-Friday

Session Dates:	Session 1/2	6/25 - 7/6
	Session 3/4	7/9 - 7/20
	Session 5/6	7/23 - 8/3
	Session 7/8	8/6 - 8/17
	Session 9/10	8/20 - 8/31

Time: **9:00am-1:00pm**

Fee: 2 week fee: Members-\$320 Community-\$370  
1 week fee: Members-\$170 Community-\$220

\*Price reflects additional cost of Wednesday full day trip.

Location: Lynch/van Otterloo YMCA  
Program Director: Marianne Baker/Anthony Falconieri  
781-990-7007  
bakerm@northshoreymca.org  
falconieri@northshoreymca.org

**Early drop off, extended day, and late day pick-up options are available. For more information, see page 10.**



## Chefs Camp

**Campers Entering: Grades 2 and up, co-ed**

Send your child on a culinary adventure! This camp teaches kids to follow a recipe, measure ingredients, and use kitchen tools. Each day, with the help of our counselors, your child will learn how to whip up a delicious snack and lunch for themselves. With an emphasis on nutrition and fun, this camp will enhance self esteem and working with others. Time for swimming and outdoor games is included.

Session Length: 1 week, Monday-Friday  
 Session Dates: Session 1: 6/25-6/29  
 Session 4: 7/16-7/20  
 Session 6: 7/30-8/3  
 Session 9: 8/20-8/22

Time: **9:00am-1:00pm**  
 Fee: Members-\$160 Community-\$210

Location: Lynch/van Otterloo YMCA  
 Program Director: Marianne Baker, 781-990-7007  
 bakerm@northshoreymca.org

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## Adventure Camp

**Campers Entering: Grades 3-5, co-ed**

Sign your child up to for an exciting week learning outdoor life and adventure skills! Campers will be taught proper rock climbing techniques, map and compass skills, and backpacking basics. In addition, there will be a variety of outdoor activities including swimming, hiking, and team building games. The camp wraps up with a Friday fire build and a lesson about fire safety. Sign up early as space is limited and everyone loves an adventure!

Session Length: One week, Monday-Friday  
 Session Dates: Session 2: 7/2-7/6  
 Session 5: 7/23-7/27  
 Session 7: 8/6-8/10  
 Session 8: 8/13-8/17

Time: **9:00am-1:00pm**  
 Fee: Member-\$160 Community-\$210

Location: Lynch/van Otterloo YMCA  
 Program Director: Marianne Baker, 781.990.7007  
 bakerm@northshoreymca.org

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## Science Detectives

**Campers Entering: Grades 3 and up, co-ed**

If your child loves mystery and science then this camp is for them! Campers will use hands on experiments to investigate the how and why of the scientific method in this fun and engaging camp. Flight, forensics, and chemical reactions are just a few of the topics that will be looked at through a variety of activities. Experiments will be conducted both indoors and outdoors and swimming will be offered every day.

Session Length: One week  
 Session Dates: Session 5: 7/23-7/27  
 Session 10: 8/27-8/31

Time: **9:00am-1:00pm**  
 Fee: Members-\$160 Community-\$210

Location: Lynch/van Otterloo YMCA  
 Program Director: Marianne Baker, 781-990-7007  
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# CREATIVITY

## Bejeweled and Bedazzled Jewelry Camp

**Campers Entering: Grade 3 and up, co-ed**

During this special week, you will create, design, and put together your own unique set of jewelry using various materials. This set will include a one of kind necklace, a beautiful pair of earrings and your own unique bracelet. Release your inner designer! We will take time for a swim in the pool every day.

Session Length: One week, Monday-Friday  
Session Dates: Session 7: 8/6-8/10

Time: **9:00am-1:00pm**  
Fee: Members-\$160 Community-\$210

Location: Lynch/van Otterloo YMCA  
Program Director: Marianne Baker, 781-990-7007  
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## Theater Camp: 101 Dalmations

**Campers Entering: Grades 3-8, co-ed**

The summer is a perfect time to join in the fun and festivities of putting on a play. Why not join the Y Theatre Company for our Theatre Camp this summer? It promises to be an experience your child will never forget as they work with our professional theatre team and kids from across the North Shore to create a full-scale production. Along the way, participants learn technical skills like blocking and choreography, as well as the fun and importance of family, friends, support and trust. Culminating in a final performance for family and friends, campers walk away with memories that will last a life time. Come play with us this summer!

Session Length: Two weeks, Monday-Friday  
Session Dates: Session 2: 7/2-7/6  
No camp on July 4  
Session 3: 7/9-7/13

Time: **9:00am-4:30pm**  
Fee: Members-\$475 Community-\$525  
Deposit: \$75 per session, non-refundable

Location: Lynch/van Otterloo YMCA  
Program Director: Kimberly LaCroix, 978.922.0990 x1118  
lacroixk@northshoreymca.org

## Junior Leaders

**Campers Entering: Grades 5 and up, co-ed**

The Junior Leaders camp combines the fun of Explorers Camp with age specific activities. The program offers tweens a chance to work on leadership skills while assisting the Small Fry Camp. The campers will have time for swimming, art and sports, The Junior Leaders will travel with the Explorers for field trips on Wednesday and Friday.

Session Length: Two weeks, Monday-Friday  
Session Dates: Session 1/2 6/25 - 7/6  
Session 3/4 7/9 - 7/20  
Session 5/6 7/23 - 8/3  
Session 7/8 8/6 - 8/17  
Session 9/10 8/20 - 8/31

Time: **9:00 am-1:00 pm**  
Fee: 2 week fee: Members-\$320 Community-\$370  
1 week fee: Members-\$170 Community-\$220

\*Price reflects additional cost of Wednesday full day trip.

Location: Lynch/van Otterloo YMCA  
Program Director: Marianne Baker/Anthony Falconieri  
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# TALENTS

## Iron Chef Camp

**Campers Entering: Grades 4 and up, co-ed**

Did you ever dream of making your own recipe? In this camp participants will be given a number of ingredients and the freedom to create their own original dish. On the last day a cook off will be held where campers get to use what they learned over the course of the week to try and be crowned the YMCA Iron Chef!

Session Length: One week, Monday-Friday  
Session Dates: Session 3: 7/9-7/13  
Session 8: 8/13-8/17

Time: **9:00am-1:00pm**  
Members-\$160 Community-\$210

Location: Lynch/van Otterloo YMCA  
Program Director: Marianne Baker, 781-990-7007  
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## Sports Mania CIT Camp

**Campers Entering: Grades 5-6**

This camp is designed to give CIT's hands-on experience learning to coach our younger sports camps, along with 2 days of sport specific games for just this age group, and a field trip during the week. Please pack a snack, lunch, bathing suit, towel and water bottle.

Session Length: One week, Monday-Friday  
Session Dates: Session 1: 6/25-6/29  
Session 3: 7/9-7/13  
Session 5: 7/23-7/27  
Session 7: 8/6-8/10  
Session 9: 8/20-8/24

Time: **9:00am-1:00pm**  
Fee: Members-\$165 Community-\$215

Location: Lynch/van Otterloo YMCA  
Program Director: Emily Hudak, 781-990-7044  
hudake@northshoreymca.org

**Early drop off, extended day, and late day pick-up options are available. For more information, see page 10.**

## Senior Adventure Camp

**Campers Entering: Grades 6 and up, co-ed**

Senior Adventure will focus on team building and leadership exercises while exploring and learning about animals, hiking and climbing. Campers will be active in the woods surrounding the YMCA, swim in the pool, and climb the rock wall. There will be two field trips during the week. One will focus on hiking and climbing, the other canoeing or kayaking. By the end of the week, campers will have learned skills and forged friendships that will last a lifetime.

Session length: One Week, Monday-Friday  
Session dates: Session 4: 7/16-7/20

Time: **9:00am-4:30pm**  
Fee: Members-\$280 Community-\$330

Location: Lynch/van Otterloo YMCA  
Program Director: Marianne Baker, 781-990-7007  
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**Early drop off, extended day, and late day pick-up options are available. For more information, see page 10.**

## Theatre Camp Intensive

**Campers Entering: Grades 6-9, co-ed**

This camp gives young stars an opportunity to experience the progression of a full scale show. Participants develop their talents while discovering what makes them unique as theatre artists. From auditions and casting to blocking and choreography, the program culminates with a final performance for family and friends that leaves campers with memories that will last a lifetime.

Session Length: One week, Monday-Friday  
Session Dates: Session 8: 8/13-8/17

Time: **9:00am-4:00pm**  
Fee: Members-\$255 Community-\$295  
Deposit: \$50, non-refundable

Location: Lynch/van Otterloo YMCA  
Program Director: Natalie Miller, 978.922.0990 x1117  
millern@northshoreymca.org



## REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Located on the 2nd floor of the Lynch/van Otterloo YMCA. Boston Ballet School features a state-of-the-art facility and world-class faculty. Drop by the studio or visit us online [www.bostonballet.org](http://www.bostonballet.org) for more information.

**ALL Lynch/van Otterloo YMCA members receive a 10% discount on Boston Ballet School Programs.**

Registration can be completed online at [www.bostonballet.org/school](http://www.bostonballet.org/school) or by visiting us upstairs at the Lynch/van Otterloo YMCA. A non-refundable registration fee of \$50 is required for all students. Flexible enrollment options and financial assistance available, call 617-456-6380 for more information.

## Ballet Stories

**Ages 3-4, as of 9/1/12**

Each day children will take a 45-minute creative movement/pre-ballet class; after a short break, they will explore all aspects of a famous classical ballet through the characters, storyline, music and mime. The stories will come alive with the students' own natural curiosity and creativity.

Session Length: 1-3 weeks

Session dates:	Session 1:	July 9-13
	Session 2:	July 16-20
	Session 3:	July 23-27

Days/Times: **Monday & Wednesday: 9:00-11:00am**  
 Fee per 1 week: Member-\$94.50 Community-\$105

## Ballet Journeys

**Ages: 5-7, as of 9/1/12**

During Ballet Journeys, students will spend the beginning of the day engaged in a classical ballet lesson & ballet workshop focused on creative expression and movement. After a break, students will have the opportunity to explore other styles of dance, such as jazz or musical theater.

Session Length: 1-3 weeks

Session dates:	Session 1:	July 9-13
	Session 2:	July 16-20
	Session 3:	July 23-27

Days/Times: **Monday-Friday, 9:00am-1:00pm**  
 Fee per 1 week: Member-\$306 Community-\$340

## Summer Dance Workshop

**Ages: 8-12, as of 9/1/12**

**Beginners welcome!** Summer Dance Workshop provide excellent ballet training, while allowing students to also explore the wider world of dance in a creative, friendly and fun learning environment. Led by Boston Ballet School faculty, the first half of the day focuses on ballet training, including technique and classical repertoire. The second half of the day will include enrichment classes to supplement ballet training, reflecting Boston Ballet School's year-round program. For example, character dance, modern techniques, musical theater among others.

Session Length: 1-3 weeks

Session dates:	Session 1:	July 9-13
	Session 2:	July 16-20
	Session 3:	July 23-27

Days/Times: **Monday-Friday, 9:00am-1:00pm**  
 Fee per 1 week: Member-\$306 Community-\$340

## Summer Masterclass Series

**Ages 12-16 as of 9/1/12**

The Summer Masterclass Series is designed for both boys and girls to continue their training and stay in shape. Each technique class will include boys work and pointe for girls, taught by a member of Boston Ballet School's faculty. Previous training at an intermediate level is required.

Session Length: 1-5 weeks

Dates:	Session 1:	June 25-29
	Session 2:	July 2-6
	Session 3:	July 9-13
	Session 4:	July 16-20
	Session 5:	July 23-27

Days/Times: **Tuesday & Thursday: 4:30-6:00pm**  
 Fee per 1 week: Member \$99 Community \$110

## Adult Classes

**Ages 16 years & up**

Summer schedule runs Monday 6/18-Thursday, 8/23  
 Open Adult classes are offered on a drop-in basis. Students pay with a studio administrator prior to the start of each class.

Come try and adult class and enjoy the many benefits associated with learning and practicing ballet such as improved coordination, balance, flexibility, circulation, posture and strength. All Ballet classes (except Ballet Workout) feature live piano accompaniment.

**\*Open Adult Summer Schedule will be available on our website and in our studios in the Spring\***



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