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Hamden/North Haven YMCA Program Guide
Winter 1 January 4 – February 28, 2021



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PROGRAM REGISTRATION DATES:

Session: Winter I, 1/4-2/28/2021

Facility Member: 12/14/2021

Community Member: 12/21/2021



MEMBERSHIP FOR ALL

Membership rates are based on a sliding scale according to household income.

Please contact the Y for more information.

YMCA PROGRAM CREDIT/REFUND POLICY

Credits and Refunds for program fees will only be approved in the following instances:

1. The YMCA cancels a program.
2. At the participant's request, providing the Request Form is received prior to the start of the program session.*
3. After the start of the program session, only for medically documented reasons.*

*A \$10.00 administrative fee for each will be added for each credit or refund. No credit or refund will be issued if the above conditions are not met. If a system credit is issued, it must immediately be applied to an outstanding balance, or a new program/service.

REGISTER ONLINE at www.hnhymca.org



Before Covid-19, families in Connecticut struggled to afford the cost of living, the cost of child care and the cost of enrichment opportunities. Since the global pandemic began affecting all of our communities and the youth, adults and families who live within them, the Central Connecticut Coast YMCA met these challenges head on, and never stopped supporting those we serve.

The Hamden/North Haven YMCA stands by our commitment to serve ALL, and the success of our outreach and impact depends upon the success of our Annual Campaign. The Y is a charitable non-profit organization committed to overcoming barriers of success for ALL.

When you donate to the [YMCA NAME] Annual Campaign, you help us best serve and respond to the greatest needs in our community.

All contributions to the YMCA provide direct financial assistance for ALL who need it.

DONATE FOR A BETTER US.

Our Mission: To put Judeo-Christian principles into practice through programs that build healthy spirit, mind and body for all.

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YOUTH DEVELOPMENT

LEARNING OUTSIDE THE CLASSROOM

Y LEARNING CENTER

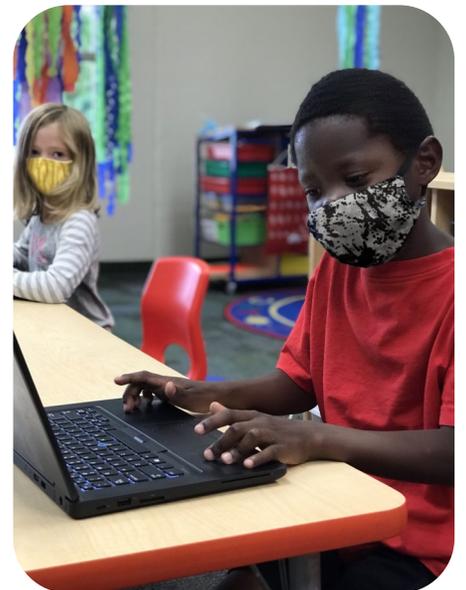
The Y is here to meet your school age child care needs! Our program combines academics with play, and offers a caring and safe environment where kids can achieve, feel a sense of belonging, build friendships and explore new interests.

At our Y Learning Center, kids will have scheduled time for distance learning in quiet spaces equipped with Wi-Fi and with YMCA staff for academic support. When distanced learning is completed for the day, Y staff will lead the participants in various enrichment activities including STEAM, kids fitness, and fine arts.

Y Learning Centers are located at Wintergreen School, located at 670 Wintergreen Avenue as well as at the Keefe Community Center in Hamden. Hamden Public Schools will continue to help subsidize a portion of the cost for the program for program participants. We also accept Care 4 Kids and offer financial assistance to help offset the cost of the program.

Y Learning Centers operate 8:00am-6:00pm, Monday through Friday. Lunch is provided through Hamden Public Schools for all participants. Daily snack and a light breakfast are served as well. For more information and to register for the program, email Erin, ekelly@cccymca.org, or Katie, kforsyth@cccymca.org. or by calling 203-535-2569.

We genuinely believe that through equitable, intentional, and mindful school-age programming, the diverse needs of the Hamden communities will be met.



YOUTH DEVELOPMENT

UNLIMITED POTENTIAL

TEEN LEADERS CLUB

Join us during our new time, starting Thursday, January 9, 2020, at 6:15 pm for the Hamden/North Haven YMCA's Teen Leaders Club! Invite your friends! Leaders is a Nationwide YMCA program for Middle School and High School teens that teaches leadership skills through community service, volunteerism, and personal growth.

In Teen Leaders Club you will have fun and can...

- Meet other teens from our community and from the New England area.
- Be a leader in the YMCA and in the community.
- Plan events and field trips.
- Participate in regional leadership retreats.
- Earn volunteer service hours and recommendations.

Weekly Club Meetings will be held on Thursdays at 6:30pm for about an hour and a half.

Location: Hamden/North Haven YMCA Zoom Meeting

Registration: Show up anytime! New leaders can participate in two meetings before making the decision to join.

For more information, contact: Kevin or Erin by calling 203-535-2569.

"A good leader inspires others with confidence in him; a great leader inspires them with confidence in themselves."



YOUTH DEVELOPMENT

IGNITE YOUR CHILD'S POTENTIAL BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL

TIME TO EXPLORE, LET'S GO

We help kids reach their potential and thrive in a safe, trustworthy setting. We offer a curriculum that aligns with the school day and supports growth in literacy, science, math, science, engineering, arts, and technology (STEAM) while infusing the arts, physical activity and fun. We teach kids confidence, encourage self-expression and enrich social development. Providing our youth with the support, encouragement and positive role models that they need, will not only increase their ability to succeed in school but in life. For families, we offer a peace of mind knowing that your child is in a safe and educational program building new relationships and achieving more.

Information about the Y's before and after school programming can be found in our 2020-21 SACC Brochure. Explore enrollment options, program sites, our curriculum, and discover some of the fun our programs have in store for your child this school year!

Y VACATION CLUB and Y FUN CLUB

Children can enjoy planned vacation days or emergency school closing days at the Y, lead by staff members from our school age child care program. They'll be with others they already know and that you trust. (Pre-registration and additional fees may apply). For additional information, please contact the Hamden/North Haven Y or email Erin Kelly at ekelly@cccymca.org or Kathryn Forsyth at kforsyth@cccymca.org. Upcoming Y Vacation Club dates are December 28, 29, 30 as well as January 18.



YOUTH DEVELOPMENT

FOREVER SUMMER

Summer Day Camp

Camp Mountain Laurel Summer Day Camp provides children and teens with an opportunity to have fun, meet new friends, play and create memories that last a lifetime.

We provide a happy, healthy environment for children to learn and grow. At Y Summer Day Camp, participants gain a sense of accomplishment, build relationships and find their sense of belonging. It's a opportunity for physical, social, emotional and cognitive learning experiences. For families, camp offers a peace of mind knowing that your child is in a safe and enriching place.

We can't wait to see you at Camp Mountain Laurel! We've planned an awesome, activity-packed summer with tons to learn, play and explore. The summer is filled with fun-filled activities, visitors different weekly camping options, and more! Whether classic, specialty, or swim camp is the path you choose, there is a unique and adventurous summer experience here for everyone.



WHEN: June 14 - August 27 (Weekly Sessions)

TIME: 9 am - 4 pm Extended hours available!

WHERE: Camp Mountain Laurel, 2705 Downes Road Hamden, CT
P 203 535 2569 W hnhymca.org

REGISTER: Registration begins February 1! Download, pickup, or have us mail you the registration packet. Download at W hnhymca.org. For additional information on all YMCA Summer Camp Programs, please visit hnhymca.org or contact the Hamden Y at 203 535 2569.