



### FAMILY FUN DAYS & OPEN HOUSES:

April 2nd, April 23rd,  
May 14th, and June 11th

2-4 pm

Rain or Shine



REGISTER  
TODAY!

CHOOSE  
ADVENTURE &  
DISCOVERY  
THIS SUMMER!



BYNDEN WOOD  
DAY CAMP

THE SOUTH MOUNTAIN  
YMCA CAMPS



## Why Choose our Day Camps?

**Kids Come First.** Instead of a world where children must conform to their surroundings, we create a space that is just for them. Campers get to explore, get dirty, and use their imaginations every day at Camp. They get to truly be kids!

**The Great Outdoors.** For nine months of the year, kids are inside a classroom for most of their day. We want to bring kids back outside, to disconnect from their devices and reconnect with their friends and the natural world through play.

**A Camp for ALL.** Camp is a place for everyone to feel welcomed, appreciated, and supported. With both local and international staff, and our campers from all over the country, we are a community that cares about your camper both on and off the Mountain!

**A Place to Grow.** Our campers, in all age groups, have opportunities to "self-direct" their week and choose the activities on areas they want to focus.

Come see for yourself why Berks County is talking about South Mountain YMCA Camps.

**Schedule a tour today with Antonio Skidmore, at [askidmore@smymca.org](mailto:askidmore@smymca.org) or 610-670-2267.**



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WWW.SMYMCA.ORG

SOUTH MOUNTAIN YMCA CAMPS

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## Activities

At Bynden Wood, our program features traditional camp activities for campers ages 6-12 (Children age 5 may attend but must have completed Kindergarten).

We offer:

**Archery**  
**Climbing**  
**Swimming**  
**Nature Programs**  
**And more!**

**Arts & Crafts**  
**Sports**  
**Teambuilding**  
**STEM**

*Horseback Riding lessons for an additional fee.*

## GoggleWoods 2023

Our arts camp collaboration with the GoggleWorks in Reading is back for another summer! More details found online.

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## Bynden Wood Day Camp

Surrounded by nature, Bynden Wood's outdoor mountaintop facility provides campers with a unique summer camp experience. We offer a wide range of activities and are one of the only day camp programs in Berks County that offers swimming in an outdoor pool every day.

Bynden Wood's programming is based on the four core values of the YMCA: Caring, Respect, Honesty, and Responsibility. Our staff is comprised of professional role models who provide the support, leadership and supervision for children to learn new skills, build self-confidence and make new friends.

Our program is designed to accommodate campers as they grow and become ready for more independence and responsibility. We invite your family to explore this "world of wonder."

## Registration

You can register for camp online in the comfort of your own home! Visit [www.smyanca.org/register](http://www.smyanca.org/register), or call the office at 610-670-2267.

A \$50 deposit is required at the time of registration for each week of camp, and the balance must be paid two weeks before your child's session.

Ask our Registrar about setting up payment plans to make financing your child's camp experience easier at [ycamps@smyanca.org](mailto:ycamps@smyanca.org).

**Interested in a tour?** Contact Antonio Skidmore, our Day Camp Director, at [askidmore@smyanca.org](mailto:askidmore@smyanca.org) to schedule a visit.

## Additional Information

### Bus Transportation

We offer many convenient pick-up and drop-off locations for our camp families all over Berks County.

For pick-up and drop-off locations and times, as well as an interactive map of our locations, please visit our website at [www.smyanca.org](http://www.smyanca.org).

### Regular Camp Hours

**Camp hours are 8:45am-4:15pm.** Camper drop-off starts at 7:45am and will be done car-side. Pick-up will likewise be car-side, and will run from 4:15-5:15pm.

### Extended Thursdays

**From 5pm to 8pm.** Families can register their campers for an extended experience on Thursdays. Dinner and activities provided here at camp.

### Bynden Wood Overnight

**Thursday Night, each week of Bynden wood Day Camp.** Families can register their campers for an overnight extended experience. Drop them off on Thursday and pick them up the end of the day Friday. Dinner, activities, and breakfast provided. Just need to pack their bag for the one night stay. **Limited Space Available**

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## Before & After Care

As an extension to the regular camp hours, we provide before-care beginning each day at 7 am, or after-care lasting until 5:45 pm for \$30 a week. Combined care is also available for \$50 a week.

## Riding Lessons

English-style horseback riding lessons are available for day campers ages 7 and older for an additional \$150. Riding lessons are one hour a day for the five days of the session. **Limited Space Available**

## Dates and Rates

With bus transportation: \$310/week

Without bus transportation: \$250/week

### DATES AND THEMES

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|--|---------------------|--------------------|
| 1  | June 12—June 16     | Around the World   |
| 2  | June 19—June 23     | Star Wars          |
| *Gogglewoods Session 1                   |                     |                    |
| 3  | June 26—June 30     | Stone Age          |
| 4  | July 3—July 7       | Red, White, & Blue |
| *No Camp July 4th, this week is prorated |                     |                    |
| 5  | July 10—July 14     | Superhero          |
| 6  | July 17—July 21     | Spy Vs. Spy        |
| 7  | July 24—July 28     | Holidaze           |
| 8  | July 31—August 4    | Splish Splash      |
| 9  | August 7—August 11  | Pirates            |
| 10                                       | August 14—August 18 | Color Wars         |

\*Gogglewoods Session 2