# SOUTH MOUNTAIN YMCA CAMPS BYNDEN WOOD DAY CAMP Summer 2024 Information Sheet



# BYNDEN WOOD SUMMER 2024 DATES AND RATES

# Bynden Wood by Grade:

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In the past eligibility for camp was based on a campers age. Moving forward campers eligibility to attend Day Camp will be by grade level. Campers who have completed Kindergarten but have not yet started their Freshmen year of Highschool are eligible to attend Bynden Wood Day Camp.

- K through 5th Grade Classic Bynden Wood Day Camp
- 6th, 7th, & 8th Grade Service and Leadership Day Camp

# Classic Bynden Wood:

The same classic Bynden Wood Day Camp our campers have enjoyed for years.

# Service and Leadership:

Service and Leadership is an enriching program for our older Day Campers where they will be cultivate a sense of responsibility and leadership skills while enjoying classic camp activities at no extra program cost.

# **Tier Pricing:**

New for Summer 2024, introducing Tier Pricing to Bynden Wood Day Camp. When registering your camper for the 2024 season you get to choose which price you pay from the tiers listed. Pick the tier price your family is most comfortable with.

Tier 1 :: Accurately reflects the true cost of camp \$293/wk

Tier 2 :: Partially Subsidized \$283/wk

## Tier 3 :: Moderately Subsidized \$273/wk

Tier 4 :: Significant Financial aid based on Scholarship Application Approval. For more information on applying for financial aid please reach out to us here at camp.

## Themes and Dates Explained:

#### Session 1 Around the World June 17th - June 21st

• Pack your bags, young explorers, because it's time to embark on a global adventure during Around the World Week at Bynden Wood Day Camp! This exciting week is a journey of discovery, cultural exploration, and a celebration of the incredible diversity of our planet.

#### Session 2 Pirate Week June 24th - June 28th

 Ahoy, mateys! Prepare to set sail on an unforgettable adventure during Pirate Week at Bynden Wood Day Camp! This swashbuckling week is all about embracing your inner buccaneer, exploring hidden treasures, and experiencing the excitement of life on the high seas.

# Session 3 Red, White, & Blue July 1st - July 5th Gogglewoods 1

 Celebrate the spirit of patriotism and community during Red, White, and Blue Week at Bynden Wood Day Camp! This exciting week is all about coming together as one big camp family to honor the colors of our flag and the values that make our nation special.

#### Session 4 Sci-Fi Adventure July 8th - July 12th

• Prepare for an out-of-this-world adventure during Sci -Fi Week at Bynden Wood Day Camp! This thrilling week is a journey into the realms of science fiction, where campers explore the wonders of space, time travel, and futuristic technology.

#### Session 5 Safari Week July 15th - July 19th

 Get ready for a wild adventure like no other as Safari Week takes center stage at Bynden Wood Day Camp! This exciting week is all about exploring the wonders of the animal kingdom, discovering fascinating creatures, and embarking on a safari of imagination and learning.

#### Session 6 Splish Splash Week July 22nd – July 26th Gogglewoods 2

 Dive into a week of aquatic excitement and watery wonders during Splish Splash Week at Bynden Wood Day Camp! This thrilling week is all about making a splash, having a blast, and enjoying the refreshing delights of water-based adventures.

#### Session 7 Renaissance Fair July 29th - August 2nd

• Step back in time and experience the enchantment of an age gone by during Renaissance Fair Week at Bynden Wood Day Camp! This magical week transports campers to a world of knights, maidens, and jesters, where adventure and chivalry await.

#### Session 8 Super Hero Week August 5th - August 9th

• Super Hero Week is not just about being super strong or super fast; it's about embracing the values of kindness, responsibility, and leadership that make heroes truly super. Campers will learn that anyone can be a hero by making a positive impact in their community.

#### Session 9 Color Wars August 12th - August 16th Gogglewoods 3

 Get ready for an unforgettable burst of color and excitement as Color Wars Week takes over Bynden Wood Day Camp! Campers will be divided up into color teams and diving into friendly competition to be COLOR WARS CHAMPIONS!

#### **Gogglewoods Special Notes:**

**Gogglewoods** is a specialty arts experience that takes place at Goggleworks in Reading. Every day (now in the afternoons) we will transport campers registered for this program by van for this special program.



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Session	Theme	Dates	<u>Tier 1</u>	<u>Tier 2</u>	<u>Tier 3</u>
Session 1	Around the World	June 17 - June 21	\$293	\$283	\$273
Session 2	Pirate Week	June 24 - June 28	\$293	\$283	\$273
Session 3	Red, White, & Blue	July 1 – July 5	\$220	\$210	\$200
OR	Gogglewoods 1	Sampler Week	+ \$105	+ \$105	+ \$105
Session 4	Sci-Fi Adventure	July 8 – July 12	\$293	\$283	\$273
Session 5	Safari Week	July 15 - July 19	\$293	\$283	\$273
Session 6	Splish Splash Week	July 22 – July 26	\$293	\$283	\$273
OR	Gogglewoods 2	Specialized Week	+ \$105	+ \$105	+ \$105
Session 7	Ren. Fair	, July 29 - August 2	\$293	\$283	\$273
Session 8	Super Hero Week	August 5 - August 9	\$293	\$283	\$273
Session 9	Color Wars	August 12 - August 16	\$293	\$283	<b>\$</b> 273
OR	Gogglewoods 3	Specialized Week	+ \$105	+ \$105	+ \$105

#### Weekly Add-ons:

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Before & After Extended Care 7am to 6pm (Included)	
Extended Thursday 5pm to 8pm (Included)	
Bus Transportation Morning and Afternoon (\$65/wk)	
AM or PM Horseback Riding Lesson, 5 one hour lessons (\$150/w	
Riding lessons are chosen between a 7:45am or 4:15pm lesson	

## Note on Lunch and Snack

Each weekend we update our lunch menu for the next upcoming session. If your child is unable to eat what will be provided on a certain day, we encourage parents to pack a lunch for their camper.

There is a designated time set aside each afternoon for snack. Snack is not provided.

#### **Deposit and Tuition**

- A \$50 deposit is required for each camp session with registration. Tuition balance is due 2 weeks before your child's session.
- Methods of payment accepted: Check, MasterCard, Visa. Make checks payable to South Mountain YMCA Camps.
- Please inquire about courtesy rate structure for YMCA Staff.

#### **Cancellations and Refund Policy**

All deposits are refundable until February 1, 2024. If a cancellation occurs after February 1, 2024, or at least 60 days prior to the beginning of the session, payments will be refunded, MINUS the deposit. After this time, no refund will be given except as listed below:

- If cancellation occurs for a physician-documented medical reason all fees, <u>MINUS deposit</u> will be refunded.
- If during a session it is advised to send a camper home for medical reasons, the remaining portion will be refunded.
- No refunds will be made for late arrivals or early departures.
- In the case of homesickness, dismissal, or voluntary withdrawal there is **NO refund of any fees**.





