



Welcome to Camp at the Santa Maria Valley YMCA!

****Only Legal Parent/ Guardian may complete and sign registration****

We are so excited to offer Spring Camp 2024! Just as you are pre-planning and organizing your school and work calendars, we are planning and organizing our camp calendars in order to provide you and your family with SAFE and FUN enrichment opportunities. Our goal is to have each camper learn and try something new while they are here with us. Our camps provide children TK-8th with supervised activities including art, literacy, sports, music and movement and more!

CAMP REGISTRATION

Our Camps tend to have a long waitlist and we want to ensure campers who are registered attend camp. Campers must be present day one of camp each week they are registered. If you do not show up the first day, your spot will be given to a camper on the waitlist.

Registration for Spring Camp (April 1-5) will OPEN February 1st, 2024.

Registration for Summer Camp (June 10th-August 9th) will OPEN April 8th, 2024.

Financial Scholarships Available- Please see FS application on our website or come by the front desk to pick one up. *Registration must be done in person to apply adjustment. *Application must be submitted one week before registration deadline ends.

Third Party Information- If you are approved through SBCEO or CRR and are participating in their subsidy programs, you will need to contact Diana Borjas (dborjas@smvymca.org) and communicate how to register in person at the Y.

NO MORE PAPER FORMS! BE SURE TO ADD YOUR CURRENT EMAIL ONTO REGISTRATION FORMS SO THAT WE CAN CONNECT WITH YOU BEFORE, DURING AND AFTER CAMP!

SMV YMCA Camps- Campers TK-8th grade are eligible to sign up for summer, winter and spring camps. Choose this option if you do not attend the Santa Maria Bonita School District.

Santa Maria Bonita School District Only Camps- Campers TK-8th grade is eligible to sign up for summer, winter and spring camps. Choose this option if you attend Santa Maria Bonita School District Elementary Schools. ***Confirmation that child is currently enrolled in the school district will be checked prior to camp starting.***

Regular Camp Hours

Drop Off	8 am-9 am
Camp Hours	8 am-5 pm
Pick Up	Any time before 5 pm. Once picked up, camper may not return. If camper is swimming, plan to pick up after 3:30 pm (camp swim ends at 3:30 pm)

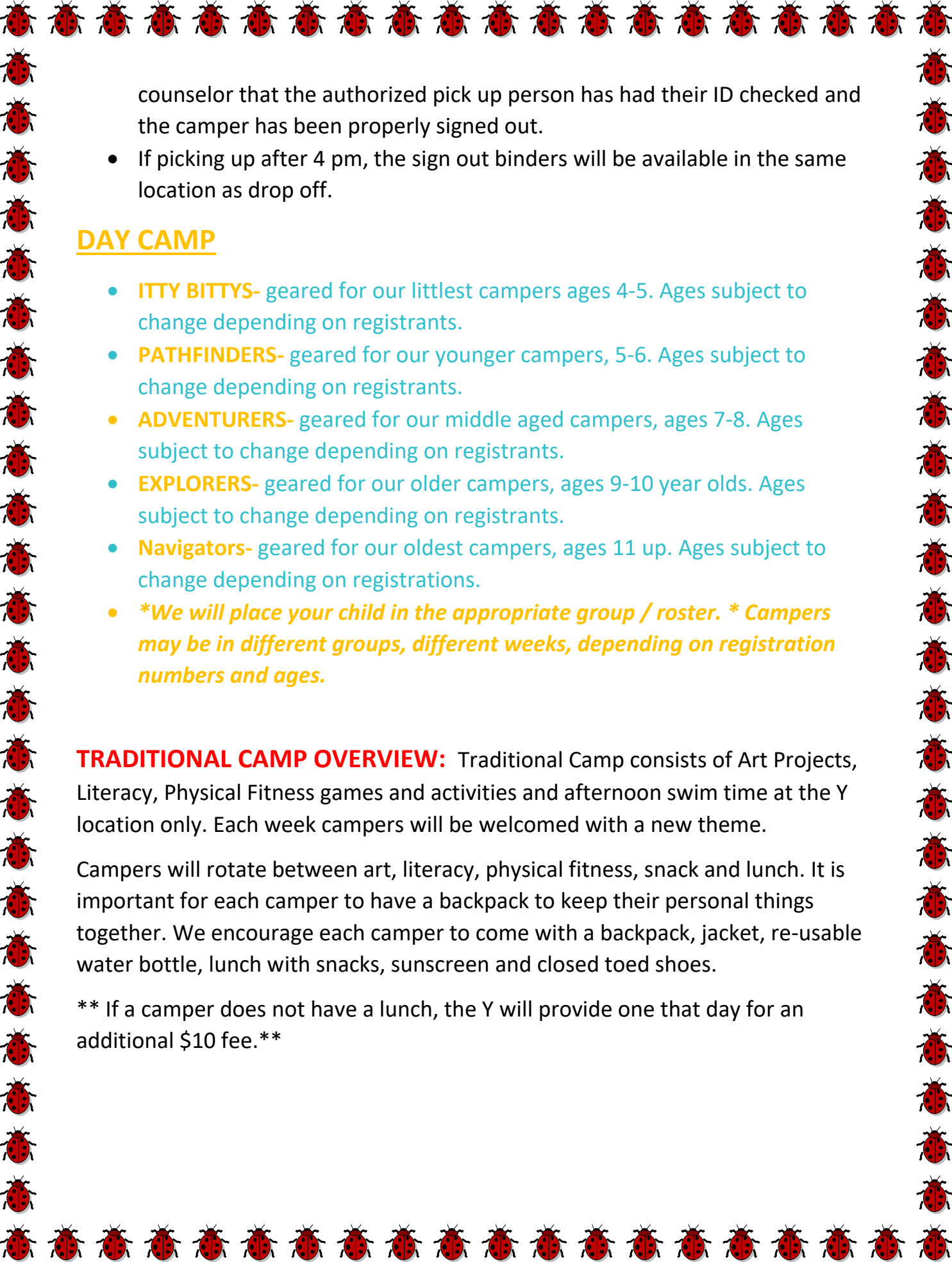
Extended Care Hours

Drop Off	7 am-9 am
Pick Up	Before 5:55 pm

- Extended Care is an additional fee per week per camper.
- Camper must be signed up for regular camp to participate / register for extended care.

Drop Off and Pick Up Locations

- Drop Off: is outside in the parking area nearest the soccer arena. A table will be set up with staff to assist with sign in.
- Campers must be dropped off by 9 am and must attend the first day of camp each week to hold their spot.
- Campers may be picked up at any time, once picked up campers may not return that day.
- Pick Up: if picking up before 4 pm, the sign out binders will be located at the front desk of the YMCA. A front desk staff member will assist you in checking your ID and sign out. Staff will radio the counselor and inform them the camper is going home. Staff will provide authorized pick up a slip to hand over to the counselor when picking up. This slip will tell the



counselor that the authorized pick up person has had their ID checked and the camper has been properly signed out.

- If picking up after 4 pm, the sign out binders will be available in the same location as drop off.

DAY CAMP

- **ITTY BITTYS-** geared for our littlest campers ages 4-5. Ages subject to change depending on registrants.
- **PATHFINDERS-** geared for our younger campers, 5-6. Ages subject to change depending on registrants.
- **ADVENTURERS-** geared for our middle aged campers, ages 7-8. Ages subject to change depending on registrants.
- **EXPLORERS-** geared for our older campers, ages 9-10 year olds. Ages subject to change depending on registrants.
- **Navigators-** geared for our oldest campers, ages 11 up. Ages subject to change depending on registrations.
- ****We will place your child in the appropriate group / roster. * Campers may be in different groups, different weeks, depending on registration numbers and ages.***

TRADITIONAL CAMP OVERVIEW: Traditional Camp consists of Art Projects, Literacy, Physical Fitness games and activities and afternoon swim time at the Y location only. Each week campers will be welcomed with a new theme.

Campers will rotate between art, literacy, physical fitness, snack and lunch. It is important for each camper to have a backpack to keep their personal things together. We encourage each camper to come with a backpack, jacket, re-usable water bottle, lunch with snacks, sunscreen and closed toed shoes.

**** If a camper does not have a lunch, the Y will provide one that day for an additional \$10 fee.****

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LOST AND FOUND:

We realize items may be miss placed daily while campers are here. Please check out our lost and found table if you are missing anything. Reach out to counselors or Y staff regarding any misplaced items. We will hold all lost and found items for up to 2 weeks after the last day of camp. After 2 weeks we will donate to our local donation center.

BEHAVIOR POLICY:

The YMCA has a zero tolerance for bullying of any kind. This includes: hitting, kicking, spitting, pushing and verbal profanity to any other camper or staff. Should this behavior arise at camp, parents will be asked to pick child up immediately, with possible removal from camp.

REFUND POLICY:

We understand that plans change, and that your schedule is important. In the event that you change your mind after registering for camp, a refund may be provided if your spot is taken by another camper. We will not know if the spot is filled until that week of camp has begun. If your spot is filled, a full refund will be provided. If it is not filled, we will not be able to provide a refund.