

High Quality Residential
Camping Experiences
Since 1898!



Activities Include

- Horseback Riding
- Rock Climbing
- Team building
- Archery
- Rifle Safety & Marksmanship
- Kayak / Canoe/ Sailing
- Swimming
- Arts and Crafts
- Ecology
- Hiking
- Games and Sports
- Snorkeling
- Barnyard Animal Care
- Campfire Programs
- Specialty Camps

Features

- 340 Acres
- 1 Mile of Shoreline
- Quality Staff
- Healthy Food
- Nature Center
- Economical Pricing
- Core Values
 - ✓ Honesty
 - ✓ Caring
 - ✓ Respect
 - ✓ Responsibility



FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT
FOR HEALTHY LIVING
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

YMCA Camp Miller 2011 Summer Registration

Camper Name (Last, First, M.I.):			Age at Camp:
Date:	YMCA Member? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Camper Gender:	Camper Date of Birth:
Mailing Address:			
Grade (entering in fall):	School:	1st time at camp? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Parent/Guardian Name:		Relation to camper:	
Address:		Workplace:	
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:	Work Phone:	
Email address:		Send Promotions? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Parent/Guardian Name:		Relation to camper:	
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:	Work Phone:	
Email address:		Send Promotions? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Emergency Contact:		Relation to camper:	
Contact Home Phone:	Cell Phone:	Work Phone:	

Please list the session(s) and program you are registering for:

1. _____

Cabin Mate Request (Camper must be registered for the same program and request should also appear on other camper's form) _____

Sibling Discount: \$25.00 discount for 2 or more siblings. Name of Sibling(s) _____

Multiple Week Discount: \$30.00 off any two sessions at Camp Miller within the summer or with registration in
Camp Kitchigami Yes No Camp Kitchigami camper's name: _____

How did you hear about us? school mailing newspaper returning camper family/friend social worker

This section must be signed by a parent or guardian of camper before registration can be accepted

I do hereby give permission to YMCA Camp Miller to transport the child named off the camp property for the purpose of medical care, program activities, and to participate in all camp activities as deemed appropriate by the Director. In the event I cannot be reached in an emergency, I hereby give permission to the physician selected by the camp to hospitalize, secure proper treatment for, and to order injection, anesthetic or surgery for the child named. YMCA Camp Miller has my permission to use photographs & video taken of my child while at camp for promotional purposes. No refunds are given when camper goes home early in cases of disciplinary action or homesickness. I will notify the camp if my child has any serious restriction related to his/her participation in the camp program. I further understand that the camp will not carry health insurance on my child. Below I have indicated my insurance company's and group/policy numbers.

Insurance Company _____ Group/Policy Number _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____

If for religious reasons you cannot sign this form, contact the camp for a legal waiver which must be signed for attendance.

Bus Transportation: _____ **Duluth to Camp (\$12.00)** **Camp to Duluth** _____ **(\$12.00)**

Deposit Information: (registration must be accompanied by \$25.00 NON-REFUNDABLE deposit for **each** session.)

Check enclosed, amount: _____ (made payable to YMCA Camp Miller)

Please bill my: Visa Master Card Discover American Express

Name on Card: _____ Expiration Date _____

Card #: _____

Please Charge only: The \$25.00 Deposit (per weeks) The entire camp fee Other in the amount \$ _____

We have applied for a camp-ship and the application is complete Yes No



PROGRESSIVE PROGRAMS

Pathfinder 2nd-4th Grade

These sessions are geared perfectly toward the first time residential camper, or someone looking for a new adventure after day camp. Two staff members live with each cabin group of Pathfinders and will lead them in daily activities such as camp games, evening campfires, swimming, arts & crafts, archery, introductory horseback riding, climbing tower and a group cookout. \$380.00

Mountain Climbers 5th-7th Grade

Join us for traditional summer camp where campers will live, learn and discover the "Spirit of Camp Miller" through new friendships, independence and exploration of the outdoors. Campers in the Mountain Climber program will have the chance to plan their group's activities. Highlights of the week include horseback riding, climbing tower, team building course and the mountain climber camp-out. \$380.00

Adventure Team 8th-9th Grade

This 6-day program introduces older campers to new leadership roles within the camp setting. Adventure Team campers get to experience all of the opportunities Camp Miller has to offer, plus they venture out on an overnight at Willow River or Banning State Park. Counselors spend extra time with the campers on teambuilding and trust building. This is the perfect transition into our CIT program. \$380.00

Counselor in Training "CITs"

10th-11th Graders

The CIT program is a 2 week session which focuses on communication, leadership, teamwork, service and decision making skills. CITs build confidence and respect through experiential activities. The first week will be spent learning how to be a safe and responsible camp counselor. After a weekend back at home, CITs return to Camp Miller and are placed in cabin groups as assistants to the head counselors. They also get to test their new skills while they work with day campers. This puts the CITs skills to work and helps them to grow as leaders. \$480.00

* CITs are required to go home on Friday evening and return Sunday.

Volunteers in Progress "VIP"

17 years of age or older

Volunteers In Progress (VIP) is designed to be your young adult's last stop as a camper at Camp Miller. VIPs will stay at camp for two to three sessions and will have a chance to leave their mark. VIP's will earn volunteer hours as they stay at camp and learn the importance of civic engagement. This program is free and VIPs will have room and board provided for them. Have your teen join us for a summer of fun and leadership. Must have completed the CIT program and submit an application to be considered. Applications are due by June 1st.

* VIP's are required to go home on Friday evening and return Sunday.

SPECIALIZED PROGRAMS

Horseback Riding Camp 6th-9th Grade

If you love horses, this is the program for you! Each camper is assigned the responsibility of his or her own horse for the week. Basic fundamentals, nomenclature and procedures for riding are taught as well as care, feeding, grooming, handling, saddling, mounting and safety. Our Advanced Horseback Riding program is for those who have attended this program and are wanting to extend their knowledge into a second year and take on new challenges. \$480.00

Art Power 5th-9th Grade

Calling all artists and aspiring artists! All the fun of Camp Miller plus the bonus of in-depth art lessons. All new projects this year! Campers will get to create their own experience and creative exploration will be endless! Sculpture, painting, murals, fiber arts, and much more! Art Camp inspires the imagination! \$420.00

Wet-n-Wild Program 5th-9th Grade

Canoeing! Sailing! Kayaking! Fishing! Swimming! This program incorporates all the fun of camp with a special emphasis on Waterfront Activities. Quality instruction from our certified staff will ensure learning, fun & safety. We'll have a great time learning and practicing our new skills on everyone's favorite lake-Sturgeon Lake. We also incorporate water ecology with Great Lakes Aquarium and fish identification with Minnaqua. Camper must be able to swim 15 yards (any stroke) without touching bottom. \$420.00

Canoe Camp 6th-9th Grade

This six day program introduces youth for the first time to the wonderful adventures of a river trip. The program starts with campers getting to know each other and practicing trip specific skills in camp. The next three days are spent paddling down the Kettle River. A big adventure awaits your camper on this one-of-a-kind river trip! \$420.00

Climbing Camp 7th-9th Grade

This bold six day program is unique and adventurous! Campers learn precise climbing skills on our Camp Miller Climbing Tower and then test their courage on real rock! This safe, yet exhilarating experience results in camper success and helps build self-esteem. Located at the Sandstone Rock Quarry, a premier rock climbing destination in Minnesota, this is a camp not to be missed! \$420.00

Survival Camp 6th-9th Grade

Have you ever read the book Hatchet, by Gary Paulson? Maybe you've seen the television series "Survivor Man"? If you like being out in the wilderness and have ever wanted to know about survival techniques such as building fires without matches or crafting a shelter to sleep in, look no further! An experienced backwoodsman will teach you to find your way out of the woods with a compass and help you identify edible wild plants. This camp experience you'll talk about for years! Let the outdoor adventures begin! \$420.00

Mini-Camp

Open to all campers. Mini-Camp is a shortened session which is perfect for introducing your child to residential camp. Whether or not it's your child's first time away from home, they are sure to enjoy our four fun-filled days, packaged with all of the experiences of our regular camp session! Campers arrive on Tuesday and stay three nights in a cabin with welcoming counselors. \$225.00



Registration Procedure

Turn in completed registration card and...

Mail or Walk-in to...

Duluth YMCA Camp Miller

302 West 1st. Street

Duluth, MN 55802

www.duluthymca.org/camping/camp-miller

E-mail: camping@duluthymca.org



Registration Requirements

- A \$25.00 dollar NON-REFUNDABLE deposit, for each session, must be made at the time of registration. Campers can not be registered without a deposit.
- The fee for the week(s) you are registered for must be paid in full at least two weeks before the start of camp.
- Once registration form is complete and the deposit paid, log onto www.surveymonkey.com/s/campmiller to fill out the health history and emergency contact information packet. Both must be filled out completely and sent back to the YMCA camp office a minimum of 2 weeks before the camper's first day. If the office does not receive this information the camper will be placed on the waiting list and will not be able to attend camp until all information is received. A camper on the waiting list is not guaranteed a spot on the roster.
- Payment plans and other forms of assistance are available. Campships are provided on a need basis. Please call 722-4745 ext. 181 for more information on these various programs.
- Camp Miller does not provide health insurance to campers. Please list your insurance company's name and policy/group number on the registration form to ensure proper billing in the event of an illness or injury at camp.

How to Make Camp Affordable

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

- Careful decision regarding allocation of funds are made based on income and extraordinary expenses.
- We suggest a partnership plan, whereas the YMCA Campship Fund provides a portion of the camp fee, the camper sells candy to cover a portion of the fee and the family contributes a portion of the fee.
- Continue reading for more information on the Candy Sale!

CANDY SALE

You can earn all or part of your way to camp this summer by participating in the YMCA Candy Sale

- Come to our candy sale kick-off or other dates with one of your parents (see schedule for site nearest you).
- In order to participate in the Candy Sale Camper must be registered for a Camp Program and pay the NON-REFUNDABLE \$25.00 dollar deposit.
- Purchase boxes of candy. Each box costs \$26.00 dollars, that money only goes towards the cost of the candy, it is not applied to the camp fee. Each box contains 52 candy bars. The camper sells each bar for \$1.00 dollar. When all bars are sold the camper will have \$52.00, which means \$26.00 dollars in profit. This money must be brought back to the YMCA to pay the remaining fee of camp or to purchase another box of candy.

DULUTH SITE

Duluth Area Family YMCA
302 West 1st Street
218-722-4745 x 181

KICKOFF DATE:

Saturday, April 2nd
10am-2pm

Sale Day & Hours:

Wednesdays 4-7 pm
Call for apt. pickup
Sale Ends on May 25

SUPERIOR SITE

Superior YMCA
9 North 21st Street
Superior WI
715-392-5611

KICKOFF DATE:

Friday, April 1st
6:30pm-8:30pm by
registration only.

Sale Days & Hours:

Tues/Thurs 5-7 pm
Saturdays 10-12pm

STURGEON LAKE SITE

Camp Miller in
Mitchell Hall
Sturgeon Lake, MN
218-372-3188

KICKOFF DATE:

Monday, March 28th
9:30am-11am

Sale Days & Hours:

Mondays 2-5pm or
Call for appointment
Sale Ends
Monday, May 30

SILVER BAY SITE

Marie Frey
29 Davis Drive
218-226-4505

KICKOFF DATE:

Wednesday, March 9th
9:30am-2:00pm

Sale Days & Hours:

After school. Available
all days. Sale Ends
Saturday, May 15

CARLTON SITE

517 Stine Drive
Carlton, MN
(across from South
Terrace School)

KICKOFF DATE:

Saturday April 2nd
4pm-6pm

Sale Days & Hours:

Sundays 11-1
Thursdays 5-7
Sale Ends
Thursday May 26

Session 1: June 26th - July 1st

Pathfinders entering 2nd-4th grade
Mt. Climbers entering 5th-7th grade
Adventure Team entering 8th-9th grade
Horseback Camp entering 6th-9th grade
Art Power entering 5th-9th grade

Session 2 (Tue-Fri) Mini Camp: July 5th - 8th

Pathfinders entering 2nd-4th grade
Mt. Climbers entering 5th-7th grade
Adventure Team entering 8th-9th grade
Horseback Camp entering 6th-9th grade

Session 3: July 10th - 15th

Pathfinders entering 2nd-4th grade
Mt. Climbers entering 5th-7th grade
Adventure Team entering 8th-9th grade
Horseback Camp entering 6th-9th grade
CITs entering 10th-11th grade
Wet-n-Wild entering 5th-9th grade

Session 4: July 17th - 22nd

Pathfinders entering 2nd-4th grade
Mt. Climbers entering 5th-7th grade
Adventure Team entering 8th-9th grade
Horseback Camp entering 6th-9th grade
Canoe Camp entering 6th-9th grade
CITs (2nd week)

Session 5: July 24th - 29th

Pathfinders entering 2nd-4th grade
Mt. Climbers entering 5th-7th grade
Adventure Team entering 8th-9th grade
Horseback Camp entering 6th-9th grade
CITs entering 10th-11th grade
Climbing Camp entering 7th-9th grade

Session 6: July 31st - August 5th

Pathfinders entering 2nd-4th grade
Mt. Climbers entering 5th-7th grade
Adventure Team entering 8th-9th grade
Advanced Horseback entering 6th-10th grade
CITs (2nd week)

Session 7: August 7th - August 12th

Pathfinders entering 2nd-4th grade
Mt. Climbers entering 5th-7th grade
Adventure Team entering 8th-9th grade
Horseback Camp entering 6th-9th grade
CITs entering 10th-11th grade
Survival Camp entering 6th-9th grade

Session 8: August 14th - 19th

Pathfinders entering 2nd-4th grade
Mt. Climbers entering 5th-7th grade
Adventure Team entering 8th-9th grade
Advanced Horseback entering 6th-10th grade
CITs (2nd week)
Art Power entering 5th-9th grade

Session 9: August 24 - 28

Family Camp: Call 218-722-4745 ext. 181 for a brochure/registration

QUALITY LEADERSHIP

- Our Summer Camp staff have extensive training and experience in camp leadership.
- All Staff come to camp with experience & appropriate certification including personal interview, references and background checks.
- All staff receive week long specialized training and additional training throughout the summer.



HEALTH & SAFETY

- This logo is your assurance that this camp is operated and committed to the highest camping industry standards.
- Camp is staffed with a certified health care personnel.
- Our staff are all trained and certified in First Aid and CPR.
- Certified lifeguards on staff and present during all water activities.



Other Camp Options

Please email camping@duluthymca.org for info on the following:

Day Camp at Camp Miller Ages 5-11

June 27th-August 15th

Mon-Fri 8:00am to 4:00pm \$100.00/week

Rodgers Autism Family Camp

Friday, June 17th-Sunday, June 19th

Family Camp

Wednesday, August 24th-28th

Winter Camp

Monday, December 26th-Wed. 28th





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