

## CAMP LOCATIONS

- 1 JAMES P. GILLS FAMILY YMCA**  
8411 Photonics Dr.  
Trinity, FL 34655  
P 727 375 9622  
[ymcasuncoast.org/gills](http://ymcasuncoast.org/gills)
- 2 NORTH PINELLAS YMCA**  
4550 Village Center Dr.  
East Lake, FL 34685  
P 727 772 9622  
[ymcasuncoast.org/northpinellas](http://ymcasuncoast.org/northpinellas)
- 3 GREATER PALM HARBOR YMCA**  
1600 16th St.  
Palm Harbor, FL 34683  
P 727 787 9622  
[ymcasuncoast.org/palmharbor](http://ymcasuncoast.org/palmharbor)
- M Muskogee**  
2201 Soule Rd.  
Clearwater, FL 33759  
P 813 872 2691  
[ymcasuncoast.org/camp-muskogee](http://ymcasuncoast.org/camp-muskogee)

As a member, you can join any of our YMCA camps! Find the list at [ymcasuncoast.org/summercamp](http://ymcasuncoast.org/summercamp)



### SAFETY AROUND WATER

The Y offers a variety of swim safety programs. It's never too late to save a life. We believe the ability to swim is a critical life skill for every child and teen. The Y can help your child(ren) develop skills that last a lifetime.

Learn more at [ymcasuncoast.org/swimming](http://ymcasuncoast.org/swimming).

### CAMP MUSKOGEE

This YMCA camp is a great opportunity for your child to experience the great outdoors. They will have the chance to canoe, fish, practice archery and so much more. This program is located on 53 acres of reserved land on the Boy Scout property- Camp Soule, which is home to a private lake and pool. There is never a dull moment at Camp Muskogee!

SIGN UP AT [ymcasuncoast.org/camp-muskogee](http://ymcasuncoast.org/camp-muskogee)



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At the YMCA, our mission is to put Christian principles into practice through programs that build healthy spirit, mind and body for all.



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FOR HEALTHY LIVING  
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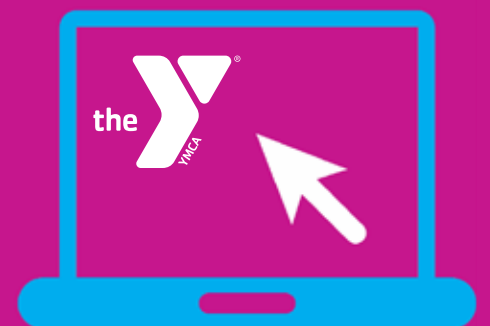


2019 Summer Camp Schedule  
JAMES P. GILLS YMCA

## SIGN UP ONLINE

STARTING MONDAY, FEBRUARY 4

at [ymcasuncoast.org/summercamp](http://ymcasuncoast.org/summercamp)  
Use your Desktop Computer!





# CAMPS AT A GLANCE

2019 | JAMES P. GILLS YMCA

**DOWN PAYMENT:** A nonrefundable, non-transferable down payment is required for each week of camp, payable at registration. Visit [ymcasuncoast.org/summercamp](http://ymcasuncoast.org/summercamp) for more details!

Weekly Fees	Lynx KinderCamp Ages 5-6	Lynx Day Camp Ages 6-11
Member	\$150	\$135
Basic Member	\$185	\$170

	Week 1 May 28-31	Week 2 June 3-7	Week 3 June 10-14	Week 4 June 17-21	Week 5 June 24-28	Week 6 July 1-5	Week 7 July 8-12	Week 8 July 15-19	Week 9 July 22-26	Week 10 July 29-Aug. 2	Week 11 Aug 5-9
<b>Lynx KinderCamp</b> Ages 5-6, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.	Under the Big Top	Outdoor Adventure	Fact or Fiction	Space is the Place	Dino Dig	Fantasy World Adventure	Super Sloppy Science	Engineering	Lights, Camera, Action!	Awesome Art	Summer Highlights
<b>Lynx Day Camp</b> Ages 6-11, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.	Under the Big Top	Outdoor Adventure	Fact or Fiction	Space is the Place	Dino Dig	Fantasy World Adventure	Super Sloppy Science	Engineering	Lights, Camera, Action	Awesome Art	Summer Highlights

\*Our KinderCamp is designed for youth who will be entering Kindergarten in the fall.

## Camp is kind of like regular life, except way better!

At the Y, we strive to make the summer fun and a learning experience for kids. We teach character development and use group activities and games to teach the YMCA core values of caring, respect, responsibility, and honesty.

**We promote the development of friendship.**

**We encourage creativity and self-expression.**

**We have group interaction that helps build self-confidence.**

**We always focus on good sportsmanship skills.**

**We care about the environment and ask every camper to have respect for others and camp surroundings.**

### CALENDAR

Week 1: May 28-31

Week 2: June 3-7

Week 3: June 10-14

Week 4: June 17-21

Week 5: June 24-28

Week 6: July 1-5\*

Week 7: July 8-12

Week 8: July 15-19

Week 9: July 22-26

Week 10: July 29- Aug. 2

Week 11: Aug. 5-9

\* No camp May 27 or July 4

### Camp Day

Monday-Friday

9 a.m.- 4 p.m. Traditional Camp Day

6:30 a.m.-9 a.m. Morning Care (PCSAP)

7:30 a.m.-9 a.m. Morning Care (Lynx)

4 p.m.-6 p.m. Afternoon Care

\* Morning and afternoon care is available at no additional fee.

### ABOUT OUR CAMPS

Our day camps provides youth with activities that teach values, conflict resolution and leadership skills. Campers will participate in both sports and specialty activities aligned with the week's themes. Campers who struggle with swimming will receive free swimming lessons, included with their camp fees. Our camp includes: opening and closing assemblies, camp songs, specialty activities, free time, swimming, arts & crafts and so much more!

**DOWN PAYMENT:** A \$35 down payment (which is part of the weekly fee) is required for each week of camp, payable at time of registration.

**WHAT TO BRING:** Campers should arrive in comfortable clothes and closed-toed shoes, with two snacks, a healthy lunch, reusable water bottle and spray sunscreen. Campers must also bring a swimsuit and a towel.

**SWIMMING:** Weather permitting.

**NOTE:** Campers should be acclimated to large groups and being away from parents. Previous attendance in a school environment helps prepare campers for their summer camp experience.



### CAMP LYNX

(Ages 5-6 & 6-11)

Our summer day camp provides youth with activities that teach values, conflict resolution and leadership skills. Campers have fun while making friends, developing new skills, building self confidence, appreciating teamwork and growing in self-reliance.

For kids, Y camp is a fun and happy place to enjoy the summer. Our camp includes: opening and closing assemblies, camp songs, fun games, special activities, free time, swimming, arts & crafts and so much more!

#### Week 1: Under the Big Top

Campers will have a fun time experiencing the joys of the circus at the Y! They will clown around, be a magician, make a hot air balloon, learn to juggle and even walk a tightrope!

\* We will run on a special schedule this week with special pricing:

#### Week 2: Outdoor Adventure

Campers will explore the great outdoors and learn how to navigate with a compass, fish, pitch a tent, cook outdoors, climb the alpine tower, practice archery and more!



#### Week 3: Fact or Fiction

You've been told not to try that at home, so try it at camp instead! Our staff will embrace your child's curiosity as we test various scientific myths throughout the week. Can a boat made of duct tape really float? If you swallow gum, does it really stay in your stomach? Can you shatter a penny with a hammer? Will these myths be confirmed or busted?

#### Week 4: Space is the Place

Campers will have a blast designing and launching their own rockets! Youth will gain an understanding of our universe by helping to build our very own solar system

#### Week 5: Dino Dig

Grab your field journal and embark on a journey of prehistoric proportion!! Participants will learn about paleontology, excavate a three foot dinosaur skeleton, build their own dinosaurs and much more!

#### Week 6: Fantasy World Adventure

This week encourages campers to use their imagination and relive moments from their favorite movies like Toy Story and Frozen and popular books like Harry Potter and Star Wars, as we have activities & adventures based on them. Take a potions class, become a toy soldier, build a star cruiser and more!

#### Week 7: Super Sloppy Science

Ooey, goeey, slimy and sticky! Campers explore the amazing world of science through experimenting with volcanoes, manipulating liquids into semi-solid oobleck, making their own ice cream and more! It has been scientifically proven that this camp is an explosive hit!

#### Week 8: Engineering

Campers will get a charge out of this camp as they explore the different fields of engineering! They will have a chance to build model roller coasters and robots, construct bridges and build rafts. This camp is perfect for those who love building and creating!

#### Week 9: Lights, Camera, Action!

Your camper can go on a critical mission with fellow agent campers, turn into their favorite hero, and more! From fabulous make-overs, pampering, photo schools, to stunts, this camp has something for everyone!

#### Week 10: Awesome Art

Campers will work in a variety of mixed media such as watercolor, clay, pencil and collage, all culminating in an art show at the end of the week.

#### Week 11: Summer Highlights

Come relive all the best moments of specialty camp in one week! Campers will vote on their favorite activities from the summer and we will pack the week with the most popular projects from the summer.

