WELCOME FAMILIES AND CAMPERS

Last summer we made new friends, saw new things and had the best time ever! We have an action-packed summer planned for us this year, including new field trips, games and more opportunities to make new friends. The dedicated staff, age-appropriate activities, new field trips, team building, sports and hands-on crafts come together to make the best summer ever. As positive role models, our counselors provide campers with an enriching summer experience. We focus on developing the potential of every camper, while creating a warm and nurturing environment where all campers can play, challenge themselves, make friends and have a wonderful experience!

DAY CAMP
Overview

Camp Madaca is designed for a wide variety of interests that include arts & crafts, group games, nature exploration, swimming, field trips and more. Campers ages 5 - 14 are grouped by age into the Bearcats (5-6), Badgers (7-8), Eagles (9-12) and Griffins (13-14). Most camp activities are held indoors, with outdoor activities mixed in depending on the day. Before & after camp care are available each day. Activities include arts & crafts, board games, high-energy games & quiet activities.

In accordance with 105cmr430 this camp must comply with regulations of the Massachusetts department of public health and be licensed by the local board of health. You may request copies of background check, health care and discipline policies as well as procedures for filing grievances.

Contact US

The Camp Director is available for parent phone calls from 8:00am-5:00pm, Monday through Friday.

Camp Director: Tristan Ryan, 781-324-7680 x 255 tryan@ymcamalden.org

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Camp Billing Admin: Cindy Goetz, 781-324-7680 x 221 cgoetz@ymcamalden.org, (Billing, Registration Changes, Financial Assistance)

The Malden YMCA is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit charity that is able to provide camp scholarships that to the generosity of our donors. We make camp affordable for all.

BEST SUMMER EVER!

SUMMER CAMP
Camp Madaca
MALDEN YMCA AND PINE BANKS PARK
CAMP MADACA

About Us
Each day of Camp comes packed with the perfect amount of activities and fun. Children will get to make new friends, go on exciting adventures, and participate in activities in a structured and nurturing environment. We provide children with the opportunity to encourage belonging and appreciate diversity.

The Malden YMCA has identified the core values of respect, responsibility, honesty and caring as essential in a child’s character development. Camp Madaca provides the opportunity to incorporate these values into the overall camp experience and recognize campers that exemplify these values every day.

THE PROGRAM

Field Trips
Campers explore and experience the Greater Boston area on several field trips. Campers must wear their Y- designated shirt given out on their first day of camp. Details will be included in weekly camp schedule located at www.ymcamalden.org or can be received at pick-up or drop-off. Campers will receive a shirt for each week registered up to five weeks. *All trips are subject to change based on availability, scheduling and weather.

Swimming
Campers will have the opportunity to swim throughout the week. Campers swim at the Y indoor pool and various beaches. All campers are swim tested before participating in open swim. Non-swimmers, as required by Christians, law must wear a cost guard approved pfd. The Bearcats (5-6) have swim lessons 4 days/week.

Age 5 Campers
Age 5+ may attend a full day camp program if they have completed a full day educational environment for at least one year prior to camp enrollment. There are no naps provided. 5 year old attendance will be evaluated on an ongoing basis to ensure a positive camp experience and child’s readiness for full-day activities.

VOYAGER GROUP (8-12YRS OLD)

Outdoor Adventure Camp at Pine Banks Park
The Voyager Tribe is a full-day outdoor camp located in heart of Pine Banks Park for ages 8-12. The tribe allows for a traditional outdoor day camp experience. We focus on character development, building team players and building appreciation for the outdoors. Trips for the Voyagers include outdoor locations involving boating, hiking and several other traditional outdoor experiences. Campers will be transported via YMCA-buses to the main facility at 99 Dartmouth during inclement weather. Every Tuesday campers need to be dropped off at the Malden YMCA.

REGISTRATION OPENS UP APRIL 30TH, 2019

Registration
In order to register your child for camp, a $25 per session/per child deposit will be paid at the time of registration. The $25 deposit will be applied to the camp fee/balance. The remaining balance of each session will be processed on the scheduled draft date (Deposit is non-refundable and non-transferable). Registration and health forms (including physical and immunizations) must be completed in full and submitted at the time of registration in order to secure your child’s place in camp. Parents may register campers before their session starts. All participants must become Y members at the time of registration. For all policies and procedures, see parent handbook which can be downloaded from the Malden YMCA website at www.ymcamalden.org.

Switching Registration
For safety and communication purposes, changes to your child’s registration will require a written e-mail two weeks before the child is registered in order to discontinue the draft.

CAMP HOURS

Camp Mon - Fri 8:30 am – 4:30 pm
Before Care Mon - Fri 7:30 am - 8:15 am
After Care Mon - Fri 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Rates

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*Please check registration form for week 3, July 4th week prices (shortened week).