



FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT
FOR HEALTHY LIVING
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

YMCA of Montclair Adventure Guides

Fall 2021 Frost Valley Registration Form

Boys Weekend: October 1st – 3rd [Registration closes September 22nd]

Girls Weekend: October 22nd – 24th [Registration closes October 13th]

Cost per weekend:

	Family Membership Price	Youth/Adult Membership Price
Per person	\$210/weekend	\$230/weekend

A YMCA of Montclair membership is required of at least one attendee. The Family Member Price applies when both attendees have a YMCA of Montclair family membership. The Youth/Adult Member price applies when either the attending adult or child has a membership at the YMCA of Montclair.

Circle (Group) Name:		
Parent/Guardian Name:		DOB:
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip:
Home phone:	Cell phone:	
E-mail:		
Preferred form of communication:	<input type="checkbox"/> Home phone	<input type="checkbox"/> Cell phone
		<input type="checkbox"/> E-mail
Child #1 Name:		DOB:
Child #2 Name:		DOB:
Child #3 Name:		DOB:
Person to contact in an emergency (other than yourself and people with you at Frost Valley)		
Emergency Contact Name:		Relation to you:
Home phone:	Cell phone:	

Total amount of payment enclosed \$ _____ Method of payment: Credit Card Check

AmEx MC Visa Discover Account#: _____

Name on card: _____ Expiration Date: _____ CVV Code: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

CANCELLATION POLICY: Cancellations must be made by September 15th for the Boys Weekend & by October 6th for the Girls Weekend in order to be eligible for a refund. Cancellations must be made in writing. There is a \$25 processing fee for all refunds. No refunds will be given after the cancellation deadline.

Completed registration forms should be submitted in person to the Park Street YMCA (25 Park Street, Montclair, NJ 07042). All 4 pages of the form are required. A Membership Services Representative will process your form and payment at the Membership Desk. Checks should be made payable to: **YMCA of Montclair**



YMCA OF MONTCLAIR ADVENTURE GUIDES POLICIES

Parent/Guardian Responsibility

Parents/guardians who participate in the Adventure Guides program must uphold the goals of the program. Adults must place in high regard their responsibility as a parent/guardian and as a role model for all youth in the program. Additionally, parents/guardians must be respectful of all rules and regulations set forth for facilities used by our program, abide by all laws, and at all times set an example consistent with the YMCA purpose and mission.

Conduct

In keeping consistent with the YMCA Adventure Guides program goals and objectives, and to provide positive support, care, and encouragement for the children and families in the Adventure Guides Program, participants are expected to:

- Strive to meet the goals and objectives of the YMCA Adventure Guides Program.
- Maintain an attitude of respect and cooperation with other members, volunteers, and staff.
- Be responsible for my own actions and those of my child(ren) at all times.
- Reflect, model, and teach the values of caring, honesty, respect, and responsibility.
- Refrain from all activities that endanger the health and safety of myself, my child(ren), and others.
- Use appropriate language at all times.
- Demonstrate positive role modeling through behavior, actions, and activities.
- Support a drug free and smoke free environment and agree to prohibit their use at all events and activities.
- Provide support for Circle Leaders and YMCA staff working with my child(ren) to provide a positive and enjoyable experience for all.
- Treat other participants with respect regardless of race, sex, creed or ability.

Our Commitment to Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and Global Engagement

The Y is made up of people of all ages, from all walks of life, working side-by-side to strengthen communities. Together, we strive to ensure that everyone, regardless of ability, age, cultural background, ethnicity, faith, gender, gender expression, gender identity, ideology, income, national origin, race or sexual orientation has the opportunity to reach their full potential with dignity. Our core values are caring, honesty, respect and responsibility — they guide everything we do.

The Adventure Guides program is sensitive to the nature of its history with respect to our Indigenous Nations. As such, dress/attire and words/phrases related to the cultures of Indigenous Peoples as well as Americanized versions of their words (including but not limited to Tribe, Chief, Pow-wow, and How How) are not permitted in the Adventure Guides Program.

Behavior Management

Parents/guardians are responsible for their own child(ren) at all meetings and events. Parents/guardians must be actively supervising their children at all times and manage their behavior. Parents/guardians will use positive techniques of guidance with their child(ren), including redirection, positive reinforcement, and encouragement. If a child or parent/guardian is unable to interact in a safe and friendly manner with others, the YMCA reserves the right to remove them from the program.

Health

Adventure Guides activities include a variety of activities of risk. The responsibility is on the parent to ensure that they and their child(ren) are in satisfactory health and capable of safe participation in the program. The parent/guardian assumes all risks and hazards incidental to the conduct of this program and for the transportation to and from activities. It is the responsibility of the parent/guardian to notify YMCA staff if their child has any known health problems/conditions or allergies.



Photo Permission

I hereby give permission for images of myself and my child(ren), captured during YMCA of Montclair events through video, photographic, digital, electronic or any other media together with or without his or her name and hometown, to be used in YMCA of Montclair and YMCA of the USA promotional material and publications (including release to the news media), and waive any rights of compensation or ownership thereto.

I hereby release and hold harmless the YMCA of Montclair, the YMCA of the USA, their agents and representatives and any third parties involved in the creation or publication of the promotional materials from any liability or claims by me or any third party for violations of my personal, proprietary or privacy rights or those of my child in connection with the use of such images.

Reporting

Y staff and volunteers are mandated reporters of child abuse. If there are any unusual incidents or injuries at an event, it should be reported as soon as practically possible to the Adventure Guides Program Director.

FROST VALLEY POLICIES

Supervision

The parent/guardian agrees to provide adequate adult supervision of children during their Frost Valley YMCA stay. Quiet hours are 10:00 pm to 7:00 am. Frost Valley YMCA Staff are not responsible for discipline of the group/participants. Should a situation of fighting or theft arise, Frost Valley YMCA reserves the right to ask the group/participants to vacate the premises and forfeit participant and lodging fees paid.

Property Use

The parent/guardian shall be responsible for the cleanliness of buildings occupied and all such facilities shall be left in a "broom clean" condition. Frost Valley YMCA is authorized to inspect buildings before and after use for cleanliness and damages. In the event of damage, the Circle shall be responsible for the cost of repairs, including but not limited to the following: fire extinguisher discharge - \$50.00 each; graffiti - \$10.00 per square inch; broken windows or screens - varies with size; beyond normal cleaning -\$25.00 per staff hour required.

Frost Valley YMCA facilities, programs, and dining areas are shared with other groups. Participants are not permitted in or near the lodging of other groups or Circles.

An Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) is on-call 24 hours/day at Frost Valley YMCA to assist with minor medical emergencies. The parent/guardian must provide his/her own vehicle to transport participants to a medical facility.

Smoking is not permitted in any Frost Valley YMCA buildings or while attending programs. Knives and weapons of any kind are not allowed at Frost Valley YMCA. A speed limit of 15 miles per hour on Frost Valley YMCA property is enforced. Passengers are not allowed to ride in the back of pickup trucks. Motorized vehicles must remain on roadways and are not permitted on trails. Parking must be done only in designated parking areas. Frost Valley YMCA assumes no responsibility for property brought onto Frost Valley YMCA premises. Frost Valley YMCA will mail, at the owner's expense, any lost and found items upon the request of the parent/guardian. Frost Valley YMCA does not permit swimming or wading in any body of water located on property.

Pets are not permitted on Frost Valley YMCA premises at any time. Collecting of plants, animals, or other natural materials must first be cleared through a Frost Valley YMCA Director. Frost Valley YMCA is home to diverse wildlife including black bears, white tailed deer, coyotes, porcupines, and raccoons. Please store food inside vehicles, compost food waste in the Dining Hall, and dispose of trash properly. Frost Valley YMCA Staff, or other authorized personnel, shall have the right at any time to prohibit any activity which Frost Valley YMCA determines or considers to be hazardous to the safety of life or property or is contrary to Frost Valley YMCA's stated mission and goals.

Alcohol Policy Open bars, beer kegs, and beer balls are not permitted on Frost Valley YMCA grounds. Should they be found, they will be immediately confiscated. Alcohol is not permitted in areas shared by the general camp community.

Fires and Firewood Policy *Firewood from any location other than Frost Valley YMCA is prohibited.* The transport of firewood may spread non-native insects and threaten the future of the trees in our forest. The state conservation department has put into effect a new regulation that prohibits the import of firewood into the Catskill State Park. Frost Valley YMCA provides one free load with each reservation. Additional loads can be purchased. Outdoor campfires are to be built in designated and established fire circles only. All fires are to be attended constantly by the Group. The Group will be responsible for any damages or injuries resulting from a failure to utilize established fire circles, leaving the fire unattended, or unauthorized campfires.



Fishing Access to fish the rivers and streams on Frost Valley YMCA property is open to current Frost Valley Outdoor Sporting Members and to registered guests with a valid NYS fishing license. Frost Valley Fishing preserves include Lake Cole, White Pond, and Reflection Pond. Fishing is permitted for registered guests in these locations; no license is required. Lake Cole is open for spin casting and fly-fishing; White Pond and Reflection Pond are fly-fishing only. A catch and release policy is in effect at White Pond and Reflection Pond. Fish from Lake Cole may be kept, however, if they are taken off Frost Valley property a fin tag must be obtained and put on each fish. Fin tags are available at the Front Desk of Welcome Center.

YMCA OF MONTCLAIR WAIVER

Assumption of Risk

I, in my legal capacity as parent/guardian of the minor named below (“Minor”), acknowledge and agree that any use of YMCA of Montclair facilities, services, equipment and premises (“Facilities”) and any participation in YMCA of Montclair programs and activities (“Programs”) comes with inherent risks including, but in no way limited to: (1) moderate and severe personal injury, (2) property damage, (3) disability, (4) death, and (5) sickness or disease including, without limitation, COVID-19. I voluntarily, for myself and Minor, accept and assume full responsibility for these risks as well as any and all other risks of the use of Facilities and participation in Programs. I agree that I have full knowledge of the nature and extent of all such risks and am not relying on all such risks being described in this document.

Waiver, Release, Indemnification & Covenant Not to Sue

In consideration of Minor’s use of Facilities and participation in Programs I, in my legal capacity as parent/guardian of Minor, agree on behalf of myself and Minor that the YMCA of Montclair, its officers, directors, agents, employees, volunteers, insurers and representatives (“Releasees”) will not be liable for any personal injury, property damage, disability, death, sickness or disease incurred by Minor, however occurring including, but not limited to, the negligence of Releasees. I understand that Minor and I will be solely responsible for any loss or damage, including personal injury, property damage, disability, death, sickness or disease sustained from the use of Facilities and participation in Programs.

I further agree, in my legal capacity as the parent/guardian of Minor, on behalf of Minor, myself, and any and all legal successors and proxies, to release and HEREBY DO RELEASE, WAIVE AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE Releasees from any causes of action, claims, suits, liabilities or demands of any nature whatsoever including, but in no way limited to, claims of negligence, which Minor, myself, and any and all legal successors and proxies may have, now or in the future, against Releasees on account of personal injury, property damage, disability, death, sickness, disease or accident of any kind, arising out of or in any way related to the use of Facilities or participation in Programs, whether that participation is supervised or unsupervised, however the injury or damage occurs, including, but not limited to, the negligence of Releasees.

In further consideration of the use of Facilities and participation in Programs, I, in my legal capacity as parent/guardian of Minor, agree on behalf of myself and Minor to INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS Releasees from any and all causes of action, claims, demands, losses, suits, liabilities or costs of any nature whatsoever, including claims of negligence, arising out of or in any way related to the use of Facilities and participation in Programs.

My signature below indicates that my child(ren) and I have read and will abide by the Adventure Guides and Frost Valley policies. I understand that violation of any policy is grounds for immediate removal from the program at my expense. My signature below also indicates that I have read this release.

Parent/Guardian Name:	Child #1 Name:
Child #2 Name:	Child #3 Name:
Parent/Guardian Signature:	Date: