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## YMCA of Montclair Adventure Guides Spring 2020 Frost Valley Registration Form

**Girls Weekend: April 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup>** [Registration closes March 25<sup>th</sup>]

**Boys Weekend: May 1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup>** [Registration closes April 22<sup>nd</sup>]

	YMCA of Montclair Member*	Community (Non-Member)
<b>Cost per individual participant</b>	\$190/weekend	\$220/weekend

*\*Member price applies when either the attending adult or child has a current membership at the YMCA of Montclair. The YMCA of Montclair reserves the right to check memberships and adjust participant fees accordingly.*

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

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

AmEx  MC  Visa  Discover    Account#: \_\_\_\_\_  
(If paying with a card on file, please put the last 4 numbers of the card.)

Name on card: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_ CVV Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**CANCELLATION POLICY:** Cancellations must be made **in writing** by March 25<sup>th</sup> for the Girls Weekend and by April 22<sup>nd</sup> for the Boys Weekend in order to be eligible for a refund. There is a \$25 processing fee for all refunds. No refunds will be given after the cancellation deadline.

### Completed registration forms can be submitted by:

**MAIL:** Kim Burrows, YMCA of Montclair, 25 Park Street, Montclair, NJ 07042

**E-MAIL:** [kburrows@montclairymca.org](mailto:kburrows@montclairymca.org) [can call in credit card payment, if desired; 973.415.6118]

**FAX:** 973.744.1917; Attn: Kim Burrows [can call in credit card payment, if desired; 973.415.6118]

**IN PERSON:** 25 Park Street, Montclair, NJ 07042

**Checks should be made payable to: YMCA of Montclair**



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## 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.

### 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.

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



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**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.

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Parent Signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**



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**YMCA OF MONTCLAIR**

**Release and Waiver of Liability and Indemnity Agreement**

IN CONSIDERATION of being permitted to utilize the facilities, services and programs of the YMCA (or for my children to so participate) for any purpose, including, but not limited to observation or use of facilities or equipment, or participation in any off-site program affiliated with the YMCA, the undersigned, for himself or herself and such participating children and any personal representatives, heirs, and next of kin, hereby acknowledges, agrees and represents that he or she has, or immediately upon entering or participating will, inspect and carefully consider such premises and facilities or the affiliated program. It is further warranted that such entry into the YMCA for observation or use of any facilities or equipment or participation in such affiliated program constitutes an acknowledgment that such premises and all facilities and equipment thereon and such affiliated program have been inspected and carefully considered and that the undersigned finds and accepts same as being safe and reasonably suited for the purpose of such observation, use or participation by the undersigned and such children.

IN FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF BEING PERMITTED TO ENTER THE YMCA FOR ANY PURPOSE INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO OBSERVATION OR USE OF FACILITIES OR EQUIPMENT, OR PARTICIPATION IN ANY OFF-SITE PROGRAM AFFILIATED WITH THE YMCA, THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY AGREES TO THE FOLLOWING:

1. THE UNDERSIGNED, ON HIS OR HER BEHALF AND BEHALF OF SUCH CHILDREN, HEREBY RELEASES, WAIVES, DISCHARGES AND COVENANTS NOT TO SUE the YMCA, its directors, officers, employees, and agents (hereinafter referred to as "releases") from all liability to the undersigned or such children and all his personal representatives, assigns, heirs, and next of kin for any loss or damage, and any claim or demands therefore on account of injury to the person or property or resulting in death of the undersigned, whether caused by the negligence of the releases or otherwise while the undersigned or such children is in, upon, or about the premises or any facilities or equipment therein or participating in any program affiliated with the YMCA.
2. THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY AGREES TO INDEMNIFY AND SAVE AND HOLD HARMLESS the releases and each of them from any loss, liability, damage or cost they may incur due to the presence of the undersigned or such children in, upon or about the YMCA premises or in any way observing or using any facilities or equipment of the YMCA or participating in any program affiliated with the YMCA whether caused by the negligence of the releases or otherwise.
3. THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY ASSUMES FULL RESPONSIBILITY FOR AND RISK OF BODILY INJURY, DEATH OR PROPERTY DAMAGE to the undersigned or such children due to negligence of releases or in, about or upon the premises of the YMCA and/or while using the premises or any facilities or equipment thereon or otherwise while participating in any program affiliated with the YMCA.

THE UNDERSIGNED further expressly agrees that the foregoing RELEASE, WAIVER AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by the law of the State of New Jersey and that if any portion thereof is held invalid, it is agreed that the balance shall, notwithstanding, continue in full legal force and effect.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS READ AND VOLUNTARILY SIGNS THE RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT, and further agrees that no oral representations, statements or inducement apart from the foregoing written agreement have been made.

**My signature below indicates that I have read this release.**

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