



YMCA Camp Riveredge

DAYS and TIMES

All Riveredge Camps run Monday – Friday from 8:30am – 4:00pm (excluding the July 1 and Aug 7 holiday Mondays).

TRANSPORTATION

If you are dropping off your child at YMCA Camp Riveredge, please arrive at 8:30am

If you are picking up your child at YMCA Camp Riveredge, please arrive at 4:00pm

Bus service (\$40 per week) is available from Melcor YMCA at Crowfoot, Gray Family Eau Claire YMCA and Shawnessy YMCA.

Check in for the bus beginning at 7:30am.

Bus departs: Melcor Y at Crowfoot at 7:45am | Gray Family Eau Claire Y at 8am | Shawnessy Y at 7:50am

Campfire and Sign Out 4:00-4:30pm

Bus arrives*: Melcor Y at Crowfoot at 4:45pm | Gray Family Eau Claire Y at 4:30pm | Shawnessy Y at 4:30pm

***Campers must be picked up by 5:00pm**

SIGN IN/SIGN OUT PROCEDURES

We can sign in campers (at the Sign-in Table) whose information is complete at Family Zone. (Allow extra time to sign in on the first day of each camp session).

Only those individuals specified in Family Zone can pick up campers. Valid government-issued photo ID is required to pick-up or drop-off campers. (Parents or guardians of Gray Family Eau Claire YMCA campers must obtain a facility access card and show photo ID to gain access to the facility at all times). Children under eight-years-old may not be left unsupervised in the building before or after camp. Children 8 years and older, who have a signed Authorization of Release at Family Zone, may sign themselves out.

CAMPERS SHOULD BRING

EVERY DAY – in a day pack	
Bagged lunch with two snacks (nut-free)	Insect repellent
Rain gear (jacket and pants)	Extra set of clothes
Wear closed-toe shoes (running shoes are preferred)	Small towel
2 water bottles (1L each)	An extra pair of shoes – that can get wet
Sunscreen (SPF 30) and sun hat	or sandals (with a heel strap) or Crocs or water-shoes
Weather appropriate clothing is important as there can be unexpected changes in the weather. Ensure your camper is prepared.	
NOTE: Electronics are not permitted at Camp nor on the bus.	
Please leave items such as Cell Phones, Tablets, iPods and E-readers at home.	

IF YOUR 2-WEEK CAMPER HAS OPTED TO ATTEND THE TIPI OVERNIGHT

Two bagged lunches (one can be stored in the fridge at the site)	Pajamas
Sleeping bag	Toiletries
Sleeping pad (Thermarest or foamy)	Plate / Bowl / Cup / Utensils (durable camping-style items)
Pillow	Flashlight or headlamp
Blanket	2 additional water bottles (1L each)



AMENITIES

YMCA Camp Riveredge has portable toilets with hand sanitizer.
Campers are required to bring their own water each day (2L) for drinking.

CAMP STAFF

Our counsellors have a passion for working with children and youth and have previous experience. They have a police security clearance, vulnerable sector search, Standard First Aid and CPR certification, and have completed 30 hours of training in the following topics: health and safety, program planning, physical literacy, behavior management and healthy child development.

YMCA VALUES

Keeping with our mission to promote the spiritual, mental, physical and social development of individuals and foster a sense of responsibility in the community, our camps develop important skills and values through fun and engaging games and play. Through our values of respect, honesty, responsibility and caring, we teach kids to respect themselves, others and the environment in which they learn and play. We help campers learn social skills, how to be independent, become leaders and how to make good choices. At Camp Riveredge, foster individual development through group learning, challenge and fun. Our camps help kids *belong, grow, thrive, and lead.*

CAMPER SAFETY

In the event of severe weather or other emergencies, we will keep you informed through by email.

CONTACT US

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SHARE YOUR FEEDBACK

You will receive a link via email to a survey after your child's camp session. Your feedback will help us make camp even better next year.

SITE RENTALS

YMCA Camp Riveredge is open year-round for outdoor programs, schools, community groups and other organizations can book the site for outdoor education days, team building and other adventures. Visit our [website](#) to request a quote.