



COYOTE

AGE RANGE: 12-13 (must be the correct age by Dec 31, 2020)

WHAT TO EXPECT:

Campers in Coyote groups will connect with new and old camp friends, learn about living in the natural world, and work on new challenges.

- 13-days of exciting activities and programs. These include horseback riding, day hiking, team-building activities, games, river exploration, and more. Each group's schedule is a mix of pre-scheduled and group-selected activities.
- Expedition Preparation and Training: groups work together to create a route plan, menu plan, and ready themselves for their backpacking trip. Coyote groups will spend up to four days hiking in the backcountry.
- Coyote campers feel belonging within the Camp Gray Jay community, learn and grow in their personal leadership, and thrive by working through new challenges in the outdoors.

YMCA CAMP GRAY JAY COMMUNITY:

- Located in the Yaha Tinda valley on the northeast boundary of Banff National Park, about an hour west of Sundre, Alberta.
- Campers and staff live in Stoney-style tipis with a fire in the middle. Meals are eaten in a lodge with full kitchen or outside at picnic tables. Toilets are outhouses; sinks and showers have warm running water.
- The Gray Jay community is close-knit. While each tipi group has its own schedule, groups will spend time with each other during activities and meal times. Campers and staff all contribute to a collective happy and fulfilling camp experience.
- Campers start their time at camp at the Shane Homes YMCA at Rocky Ridge, in NW Calgary. All Gray Jay groups will take a bus from there to and from the camp.

COST: \$1525

Visit [camps/camp-chief-hector](#) for session dates and fees and registration instructions. Returning campers AND new campers* can register online at [YMCA Online](#).

*New campers MUST contact the Camp office to set up an account and get an ID# and PIN.
403-269-6156 or 1-866-430-9622

