



# BEST SUMMER EVER™

**NEW  
LOCATION!**

**Youth Summer  
Camp Guide 2020  
Hilltop Family YMCA**



# HILLTOP FAMILY YMCA SUMMER DAY CAMPS

## AGE APPROPRIATE CAMPS

To ensure safe and age appropriate camp experience for everyone, campers are grouped by age.

CAMP	AGES
VOYAGER	Entering Grades K-1
DISCOVERY	Entering Grades 2-3
EXPLORER	Entering Grades 4-5
MIDDLE SCHOOL XTREME	Entering Grades 6-8
LIT	Entering Grades 9+

Cost per week: \$195 for members / \$228 for non-members  
 Cost for week 4: \$156 for members / \$183 for non-members\*  
 Cost for week 10: \$117 for members / \$137 for non-members  
 Before Care per week: \$15 After Care per week: \$15



## FIELD TRIPS

WEEKLY SESSIONS	THEME	VOYAGER / DISCOVERY	EXPLORER / MIDDLE SCHOOL XTREME
1 June 8-12	DISNEY WEEK	Walt Disney Museum	Bridges Rock Climbing
2 June 15-19	SPY WEEK	Lawrence Hall of Sciences	Q-Zar Laser Tag
3 June 22-26	THROWBACK/ DECADES WEEK	Children's Fairyland / OMCA	Lake Merritt Dragon Boating / Mountain Biking
4 June 29-July 2 (no camp July 3)	PARTY IN THE USA	Camp BBQ at the Park	No field trip*
5 July 6-10	HALLOWEEN IN JULY	Tilden Park & Animal Show	Tilden Park & Animal Show
6 July 13-17	COLOR RUSH	Mad Science of Mt. Diablo	Marine Mammal Center
7 July 20-24	SHARK WEEK	Bay Area Discovery Museum	Six Flags
8 July 27-31	AROUND THE WORLD	Aqua Adventure	AMF Bowling
9 Aug 3-7	CARTOON WEEK	Cartoon Museum	Urban Putts Mini Golf
10 Aug 10-12 (no camp Aug 13 & 14)	ROCK N ROLL	Oakland Zoo	Oakland Zoo

\*Special mini overnight camp option. See Front Desk after March 1 for details.

## LEADERS IN TRAINING (LIT) CAMP

Cost per week: \$80 for members / \$100 for non-members  
 Cost for Week 4: \$64 for members / \$80 for non-members  
 Cost for Week 10: \$48 for members / \$60 for non-members

### ABOUT

The Leaders in Training program is an opportunity for campers entering high school to develop leadership and communication skills. After L.I.T.'s complete their training week (weeks 1 or 2) then they will spend the week with camp groups. During the training process L.I.T.'s will learn how to be a great camp counselor, what their role is, group management skills, and more.

### HOW TO REGISTER

All LIT campers must sign up for Week 1 or Week 2 in order to sign up for future weeks.



# HILLTOP FAMILY YMCA CAMP BASICS

## LOCATION

### OLINDA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL YMCA SUMMER CAMP

5855 Olinda Road, Richmond, CA 94803

## HOURS

**Monday–Friday:** 9:00am–4:00pm

**Drop off:** 8:45–9am

**Pick up:** 4–4:15pm

## BEFORE CARE

**7:00–9:00am**

\$15 per camper per week (additional fee, registration required)

## AFTER CARE

**4:00–6:00pm**

\$15 per camper per week (additional fee, registration required)

## CAMP REGISTRATION & PAYMENT

- **Payment Agreement:** To register with deposits, a \$25 non-refundable or transferable deposit must be made on the day of registration per each week of camp. Balance and auto payments are withdrawn on the Monday prior to the week your child is registered.
- **Registration Deadline:** The last day to register for camp is the Friday prior to each week of camp. For registrations made less than 1 week must pay in full either cash or credit card.
- **Cancellation Policy:** Cancellations must be done in writing 2 weeks prior to camp starting. Deposits are non-refundable or transferable.
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- Balance and auto payments are withdrawn on the Monday prior to the camp week starting.
- Failure to pay by the deadline will result in a loss of camp that week for your child.
- Cancelling within 7 days before start of camp will receive no refund. Please email [asilveira@ymcaeastbay.org](mailto:asilveira@ymcaeastbay.org) for all cancellations and refund requests.

## AUTOMATIC PAYMENT & BALANCE DUE SCHEDULE

CAMP SESSION	BALANCE DUE/WITHDRAWN ON
1 June 8–12	June 1
2 June 15–19	June 8
3 June 22–26	June 15
4 June 29–July 2	June 22
5 July 6–10	June 29
6 July 13–17	July 6
7 July 20–24	July 13
8 July 27–31	July 20
9 August 3–7	July 27
10 August 10–12	August 3

## FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Financial assistance is available. For more information about applying please call the YMCA at 510.222.9622.

## ON-SITE DAYS

Our camp is a safe community environment for your child to explore the outdoors, build self-esteem, develop interpersonal skills, and make lasting friendships and memories. Our typical day will include arts and crafts, group games, sports, and STEM activities.

## FIELD TRIP DAYS

Camps will spend their off-site days on field trips around the Bay Area to regional parks, museums, and local fun centers. Field trips vary

throughout the summer. Please make sure your child arrives by 9:00am on field trip days. The estimated return time for field trips is 3:30pm. We will not have staff available in the building during the trip so please make sure they are dropped off on time. Check the weekly Camp Newsletter for camp news and updates to plan accordingly. Field trips are subject to change.

## MEDICAL NEEDS

To complete registration, all campers must fill out a Health History form available on our website or at the Welcome Center. Please include any important information such as life threatening conditions, special medical needs, or medication that needs to be taken at camp. If applicable, you will also need to fill out a Medication Authorization Form. If your camper has a medical need or needs to take medication at camp a medical plan from a doctor is required. Prior to attending camp the medication needs to be in the original bottle with the prescription.

## WHAT TO WEAR

Campers should be dressed in attire that allows them to play and get messy! Closed toe shoes must be worn daily (no exceptions). To keep campers safe and easily identifiable, we provide 1 free camp shirt to each camper for every 3 weeks of camp. Additional camp shirts may be purchased for \$10. **Campers must wear their shirt on field trip days.**

## LUNCH

We provide lunch each day through the school district nutrition program. Campers may also opt to bring their own lunch.

## WHAT TO BRING TO DAY CAMP

Please bring a backpack that includes:

1. Morning and afternoon snacks (we do offer an afternoon snack through the school district nutrition program)
2. Resealable water bottle
3. Sunscreen and/or hat

## PLEASE LABEL ALL BELONGINGS!

## REGISTER FOR CAMP

### ONLINE REGISTRATION

[ymcaeastbay.org/locations/hilltop-family-ymca](http://ymcaeastbay.org/locations/hilltop-family-ymca)

### IN-PERSON REGISTRATION

#### Hilltop Family YMCA

4300 Lakeside Drive, Richmond, CA 94808

• (510) 222-9622

### CAMP CONTACT:

#### Andrew Silveira

Youth Development Director

• (510) 662-3248

• [asilveira@ymcaeastbay.org](mailto:asilveira@ymcaeastbay.org)

## OUR PHILOSOPHY

**At the YMCA we are committed to supporting your child's social and emotional development through fun and engaging summer activities.**

We integrate our seven character values of caring, excellence, diversity/inclusion, resilience, respect, honesty, and responsibility into our daily routine while fostering individual growth.



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**Hilltop Family YMCA**  
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OPEN  
NOW!**

## LOOKING FOR AN OVERNIGHT EXPERIENCE?

At **Camp Loma Mar**, kids get to unplug, learn new skills, and connect with the outdoors! After an unforgettable experience, campers come home with a collection of fond memories, new friends, and new-found sense of independence. Our safe and supportive environment is the perfect place for a summer adventure. Learn more at [ymcaeastbay.org/lomamar](http://ymcaeastbay.org/lomamar).

