

DAY CAMP in the city

YWCA Camp Westwind in the City is an urban day camp based in downtown Portland. Each day is packed with activities such as; swimming, exploring the city by foot or public transportation, rooftop gardening, service projects with partner non-profits, crafts, environmental stewardship and all the activities related to their themed camp week. See our website for detailed descriptions for each weekly theme.

Day Camp Sessions

All day camp sessions are co-ed, for youth ages 5-12, run from 8:30am to 5:00pm and limited to the first 40 registrants. All sessions are \$255. Extended care in the afternoon M-Th \$10 per day or \$35 per week. Swim lessons are offered each afternoon M-Th \$30.

Session 1	Gamezapalooza!	June 20-24
Session 2	Where in the World?	June 27-July 1
Session 3	Party in the USA!	July 5-8
Session 4	Splish Splash!	July 11-15
Session 5	Gamezapalooza!	July 18-22
Session 6	Mysteries, Maps and Riddles.	July 25 to 29
Session 7	SuperHeros!	August 1-5
Session 8	So You Wanna Be a Chef?	August 8-12
Session 9	Mysteries, Maps and Riddles.	August 15-19
Session 10	Splish Splash!	August 22-26



RESIDENT CAMP at the beach

YWCA Camp Westwind at the Beach is a traditional, co-ed, residential camp that serves both families and youth near Lincoln City, Oregon. We strive to develop a community that is rich in diversity, equip campers with mentoring and leadership skills, educate on environmental stewardship, and create a fun, safe place to explore. For detailed descriptions on each camp session please see our website.

Resident Camp Sessions

Session 1 Youth and Teen Adventure	June 19-24
Session 2 Youth, Teen Adventure and Teen Lead I	June 26-July 1
Session 3 First Timers and Mini-Camp	July 5-8
Session 4 Youth and Teen Lead I	July 10-15
Session 5 Youth and Teen Lead II	July 24-29
Session 6 Youth and Teen Lead II	August 1-8

Top 10 Resident Camp Activities

1. Archery
2. Kayaking
3. Challenge Course
4. Silly Skits
5. Arts & Crafts
6. Ocean Dipping
7. Hiking
8. Singing
9. Mudmucking
10. Tide Pooling



For more information or to register go to:



www.ywca-pdx.org visit us on [facebook](#)

TRAVEL CAMP on the road

Travel Camp is an EPIC experience for high school campers to load up into a van, learn to work together as a team, planning the daily activities, budgeting for food and navigating. Co-ed, for campers entering 9-12 grades, Travel camp is limited to 8 campers each session and \$895 includes all lodging, transportation, food and activities. This trip leaves from Portland and ends in Portland. There is a planning info session that will happen in May for pre-trip planning and team building. Possible activities; whitewater rafting, high ropes course, service projects, staying in a hostel, hiking, beach clean up, surfing, sailing and much more!

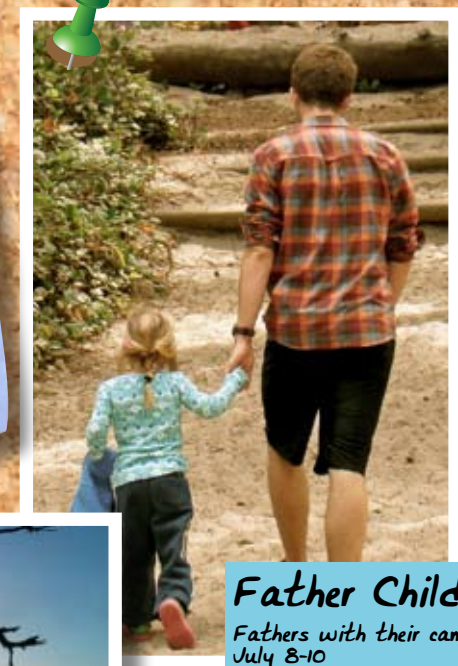


Hey Jacob- which trip are you going on? I can't decide...

Session B:
July 31 to August 9
Heading east to Central Oregon rafting for a day on the dechutes then heading South to Crater Lake, Santa Cruz, San Fransisco and up hwy 101 back to Camp Westwind.

Session A:
July 17 to 26
Wind your way through Oregon and up North to Coeur d' Alene Idaho, back around to Leavenworth, Washington, Seattle, up the Puget Sound and down HWY 101 ending with an overnight at Camp Westwind.

FAMILY CAMP



Father Child Camp
Fathers with their campers ages 3-13 July 8-10
Brand new this year, fathers come to camp with their children to experience the magic of Camp Westwind!



Mother Child Camp

Moms with their campers ages 3-13 years
Session A - July 16-19
Session B - July 20-23

Make new friends and enjoy playing on the beach with your children. There are many opportunities to hike, sing by a campfire, create treasures at the art palace, wade in the ocean, try your hand at archery, paddle a kayak, climb the bouldering wall and enjoy the beauty of YWCA Camp Westwind.



CampOUT

LGBTQ Families & their children of all ages August 10-14

CampOUT is a family camp dedicated to LGBTQ parents and their children. YWCA Camp Westwind strives to bring together a unique, supportive community to enjoy a quality family experience.

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- Top 10 New Things**
1. Father Child Camp
 2. Travel Camp Trips
 3. Day Camp Themes
 4. Online Registration Process
 5. Mini Camp
 6. Teen Camp Program
 7. Website
 8. Volunteer Opportunities
 9. Staff
 10. Paperless progress

Dear YWCA Camp Westwind Family,

It's that time of the year where applications begin to pour in from young adults from all over the world convincing us to hire them for a chance to work at YWCA Camp Westwind. One cover letter last week really caught my attention. This young lady started her letter with words from one of our camp songs- "I am Camp Westwind born and I am Camp Westwind bred!" She wanted me to know that she has been waiting for this year her "whole life" in order to apply to work at camp.

Here at the YWCA Camp Westwind we know we are part of something big! The campers are our future staff, board members and supporters. We design a quality summer program, hire amazing staff and spend months planning with our campers-children and adults- in mind. It is our hope that you will be as excited about our 2011 camp programs as we are. For a full listing and information make sure you check out the camp programs tab at www.ywca-pdx.org.



Come be a part of something BIG!
Janette "Pickle" McMurrin Kunkel
Camp Director

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Facts of the ywca
Of Greater Portland

Did you know?
YWCA of Greater Portland changes lives by empowering women and their families to achieve safety, opportunity and independence.

As of 2010

Amount Per Year	
Domestic violence crisis calls	2,479
Campers who learned leadership	1,210
Seniors supported	526
Women/children supported in transition	317
Energy assistance for families	4,654

INGREDIENTS: Care, Compassion, Dedication



Indigo came to be a counselor at the YWCA's Camp Westwind after she graduated from college.

She loved being in "a place where community is consciously built, a safe place where everyone respects people's differences, where people accept you for who you are and that you can be who you are."

Seventeen years of volunteering later, Indigo's daughters are now YWCA campers too, bringing it full circle. "There are staff at camp who were campers when I was on staff and to them, I'm a person they looked up to and wanted to be like - like the rock star! Now, they're the rock stars to my kids. The cycle is so amazing."

- Top 10 Reason to Send Your Kid to YWCA Camp Westwind**
1. Meet Great Role Models
 2. Gain Independence
 3. Be Active
 4. Learn Teamwork
 5. Make New Friends
 6. Get unplugged from Technology
 7. Learn New Skills
 8. Get TONS of Fresh Air
 9. Get Inspired
 10. Be a Part of Something BIG!



- Dates to Remember**
- December 30 - Teen Lead II Application Due
 - January 2 - Teen Lead II Interview
 - January 3 - Teen Lead II Interview
 - January 11 - Teen and Travel Camp Registration Opens
 - January 13 - Youth Camp Registration Opens
 - January 17 - Family Camp Registration Opens
 - Mother Child
 - Father Child
 - CampOUT
 - January 20 - Day Camp Registration Opens
 - June 16 - Day Camp Visitors Day
 - June 18 - Resident Camp Visitors Day
- Camp Office: 503-294-7476**
- Sarah "Sassy" Keplinger
Camp Registrar



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