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**CENTRAL LINCOLN COUNTY YMCA
SUMMER CAMP
2026 GUIDE**

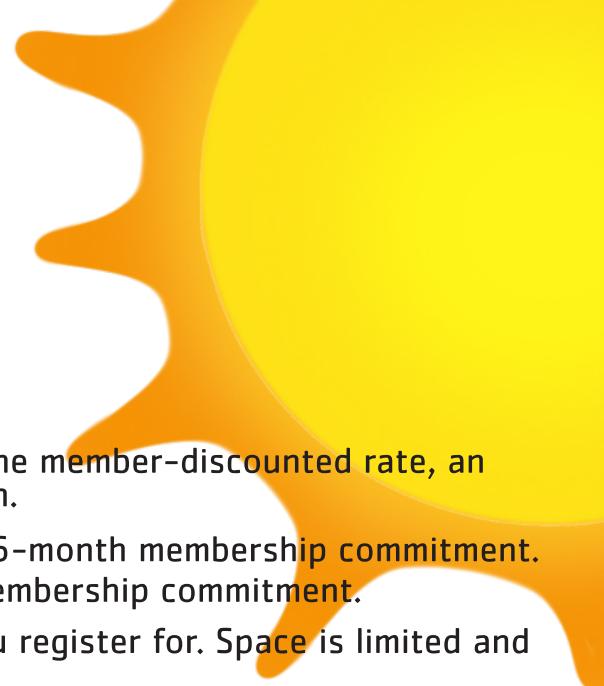
REGISTRATION & INFORMATION

REGISTRATION

Register online at clcymca.org or by calling 207-563-9622.

CLC Specialty & Sailing Camps: Opens 1/30/2026 at 8am

Camp K: Opens 3/2/2026 at 7am



YMCA MEMBERSHIP

We love offering special pricing for our members! To receive the member-discounted rate, an active membership is required at the time of camp registration.

- Registration between Jan. 30th – April 30th requires a 6-month membership commitment.
- Registration on or after May 1st requires a 3-month membership commitment.

This policy applies regardless of how many weeks of camp you register for. Space is limited and fills quickly, so be sure to register early!

SCHOLARSHIPS

If your family is interested in financial assistance, please complete a scholarship application for approval. Financial support is available based on income and offered on a first-come, first-served basis.

For more information about scholarships, email Sam Inman at sinman@clcymca.org.

NEW! REGISTRATION DEPOSIT

A non-refundable \$10 deposit per week of programming is required at the time of registration to secure your child's spot.

CANCELLATIONS

Before May 1: 100% refund, less the non-refundable deposit per canceled week.

May 1 – May 31: 50% refund, less the non-refundable deposit per canceled week.

June 1 – Aug. 28: No refunds provided. This includes: no-shows who do not communicate cancellation prior to June 1; campers asked to leave camp for behavioral reasons.

A \$100 change fee applies to any registration changes made June through August.

PAYMENTS

Camp fees are due 12 weeks before the session starts, unless you set up a payment plan.

Registrations after the due date require full payment or a payment plan at registration.

To set up a payment plan, contact Sr. Program Director Molly Cooper at mcooper@clcymca.org

Week of 6/22: Payment due 4/3

Week of 6/29: Payment due 4/10

Week of 7/6: Payment due 4/17

Week of 7/13: Payment due 4/24

Week of 7/20: Payment due 5/1

Week of 7/27: Payment due 5/8

Week of 8/3: Payment due 5/15

Week of 8/10: Payment due 5/22

Week of 8/17: Payment due 5/29

Late Pick-Up

Pick-up times are as follows:

Sailing Camp: 3pm CLC Camps: varies Pre-K Camps: 4:30pm Camp K: 5pm

A late fee of \$10 will apply for every 15 mins you are late. Late fees support our staff appreciation efforts at the end of the season. If you are running late, please contact the front desk at 207-563-9622. Thank you for our respecting our staff time.

CLC CAMP PROGRAMS

NEW! Mini Weeks

Camp will close on select Fridays this summer. Programming runs Monday thru Thursday ONLY during the following weeks:

- Week 2: June 29 - July 2
- Week 5: July 20 - July 23
- Week 8: August 10 - August 13

PRE-K NATURE EXPLORERS CAMP Ages 3-4 | 9am - 4:30pm

Designed for our youngest campers, this outdoor-focused program offers nature-based exploration, imaginative play, and age-appropriate adventure. Each day brings new opportunities to learn, grow, and build confidence while discovering all the YMCA property has to offer.

PLEASE NOTE: Campers must be potty trained & able to use the bathroom independently.

HALF DAY TENNIS CAMP Ages 7-14 | 9am - 12pm

Run, hit, smash! This high-energy camp welcomes players of all skill levels. Campers build skills through fun drills and games, then put them into action with team-based play—representing different countries and earning points in singles, doubles, and group matches.

NEW! FARMS at the Y

YOUNG CHEFS CAMP Ages 5-8 | 9am - 12pm

Your camper will dive into new flavors, learn real cooking skills, and whip up tasty creations in our hands-on teaching kitchen. From mixing & measuring to tasting their own masterpieces, this is the perfect blend of fun, flavor, and culinary adventure!



ART & CREATE CAMP Ages 7-12 | 9am - 4pm

Let your imagination take the lead! Campers will paint, draw, sketch, build, and create alongside new friends as they explore a wide variety of art forms. From colorful masterpieces to hands-on projects, this camp is all about creativity, collaboration, and endless artistic fun.

BOXING & NINJAS CAMP Ages 7-9 (week 3&9) Ages 9-12 (week 6) | 9am - 4pm

Get ready for a high-energy camp where movement meets excitement! Campers will learn how to channel their energy in positive, productive ways while building strength, agility, and confidence. From mastering footwork and technique to conquering obstacle stations, timed courses, and circuit challenges, every day is packed with action. It's the perfect blend of coaching, teamwork, and unforgettable fitness fun!

F FARMS AT THE Y COOKING CAMP Ages 8-13 | 9am - 12pm

Hands-on kitchen and garden adventures! Campers will learn everything from cooking and knife skills to planting and harvesting in our raised garden beds. Using our teaching kitchen and gardens, kids will explore, create, and discover the joy of fresh, healthy food.

PICKLEBALL CAMP Ages 7-14 | 9am - 12pm

Dink, volley, smash! This fast-paced pickleball camp is perfect for beginners and new players alike. Build skills in the first half, then compete on teams to earn points and bring the energy!



SPORTS CAMP Ages 8-12 | 9am - 4pm

Play your way through a variety of sports! From soccer and basketball to disc games and volleyball, campers get to try it all in a high-energy, fun-filled environment. Designed for all skill levels, this camp focuses on building skills, teamwork, and sportsmanship. It's the ultimate summer experience for young athletes who love to move, play, and have a blast!

NEW! MULTI RACQUET CAMP Ages 7-14 | 9am - 12pm

Grab a racquet and paddle! Sample tennis, pickleball, ping-pong, and badminton while building skills and enjoying friendly competition.

F FARMS at the Y JUNIOR CHEF CAMP Ages 8-13 | 9am - 12pm

Whip up skills and creativity in this hands-on cooking adventure! Campers will work in small teams to build cooking skills, brainstorm recipe ideas, and gain confidence in the kitchen. At the end, creations will be judged in fun categories, and every camper will be celebrated for their effort and culinary creativity. It's a tasty mix of teamwork, skill-building, & friendly competition!

ADVENTURE CAMP Ages 9-13 | 9am - 4:30pm

Adventure awaits! Campers will explore Midcoast Maine through hiking, swimming, and visits to local preserves while learning outdoor survival skills like fort building, shelter construction, and cooking over a fire. A week full of exploration, teamwork, and outdoor fun.

FULL DAY TENNIS CAMP Ages 7-14 | 9am - 3pm

Get ready to skip, run, rally, and play all day long! This upbeat full-day tennis camp welcomes players of all skill levels, from first-time players to those looking to build on existing skills. Campers will work with experienced tennis pros through high-energy games, skill-building drills, and plenty of movement. Using age-appropriate balls, racquets and courts, players will develop confidence and technique in a fun, supportive environment. No equipment needed!

AROUND THE WORLD (TENNIS & FARMS) CAMP Ages 8-13 | 9am - 3pm

Travel the globe without leaving camp! Each day, campers dive into a new country through themed activities that blend culture, creativity, and active play. From learning tennis skills to whipping up tasty dishes and creating art inspired by different cultures, every moment is hands-on and full of discovery. Campers rotate through cooking, crafts, and tennis for a fun-filled, all-day adventure packed with movement, imagination, and global exploration!

FIRST RESPONDERS CAMP Ages 9-13 | 9am - 4pm

Get ready for an action-packed week designed for campers who love adventure, teamwork, and hands-on learning! During First Responders Camp, youth will explore the exciting world of emergency response with help from the real professionals who keep our communities safe. Throughout the week, campers will meet members of local police, fire, EMS, and Maine Forest Service teams—each bringing their own skills, stories, and equipment for campers to discover.



CIT & HIGH SCHOOL TENNIS CAMP Ages 15-18 | 9am - 3pm

Take your game to the next level! This advanced camp is designed for players preparing for their high school season, with a focus on consistency, strategy, and mental toughness. Campers will be grouped across three courts based on skill level, allowing them to sharpen technique, perfect their shots, and make smart match-play decisions. Prior tennis experience is required.

Aspiring leaders can join our Counselor-in-Training (CIT) Program, where experienced players build coaching skills, learn how to support younger athletes, and gain hands-on leadership experience. It's the perfect blend of high-level training and meaningful mentorship!



SAILING CAMP Ages 8-15 | 9am - 3pm

Set sail for a week of fun, learning, and adventure! Campers will explore the fundamentals of sailing, seamanship, and water safety while building skills that last a lifetime. Using our fleet of 420 dinghies, kids will practice on-the-water techniques, make new friends, and create unforgettable memories. Experienced instructors—many of whom started their journey at CLC YMCA Sailing Camp—lead every session to ensure a safe and exciting experience. Camp is held in beautiful Round Pond, ME. **Please note:** Transportation from the Y is not provided.

LEADERS IN TRAINING (LIT) SAILING CAMP Ages 15-18 | 9am - 3pm

Discover the beauty of Round Pond Harbor! Campers will explore the harbor while learning valuable sailing and navigation skills in a fun, hands-on environment. Aspiring Leaders-in-Training (LITs) must email the Sailing Camp Director for prior approval before registering. To sign up, call the Y at 207-563-9622 or email Sr. Program Director Molly Cooper at mcooper@clcymca.org. **Please note:** Transportation from the Y is not provided.

CAMP KNICKERBOCKER PROGRAMS

LOCATED IN BOOTHBAY

Camp Knickerbocker offers 9 weeks of outdoor adventure, creativity, skill-building, and classic summer camp fun for ages 5–14. With programs ranging from arts to sports to STEM to adventure camps, every camper can find something they love in a safe, supportive, screen-free setting.

DAILY SCHEDULE

Please arrive at CLC no later than 8:15 AM so staff can complete attendance.

Before Care @ CLC: 7:30–8:15 AM Camp Day: 9:00 AM–3:30 PM After Care @ CLC: 4:15–5:00 PM

CampDoc

All campers must have a 100% complete CampDoc profile before arrival—no exceptions.

Payments

Camp fees are due 12 weeks before the session, unless a payment plan is arranged. If registering after the due date, payment in full or a plan is required. All plans must be paid before camp begins.

Transportation

CLC YMCA families receive round-trip transportation as part of their camp enrollment and pricing.

What to Pack

Backpack, change of clothes, swimsuit & towel, water bottle, hat, sunscreen, bug spray, and a bag for wet items. **Please leave at home:** electronics, toys, plushies, trading cards.

Weekly Dress-Up Themes

Each Wednesday features a new theme such as Neon & Glow, Superheroes, Magical Creatures, Safari/Jungle, Robots, Summer Olympics, and more.

2026 Special Events

Camp Clean-Up Day

Saturday, June 6 | 10 AM–2 PM

Meet & Greet with Staff

Thursday, June 18 | 5–7 PM

Learn More + Full Program Guide

For complete weekly offerings and session descriptions, visit the Camp K website:
boothbayregionymca.org/camp-knickerbocker

REGISTRATION OPENS – 3/2/2026

PLEASE NOTE: Pricing in the full guide will look different as it does not account for CLC bus transportation. Please refer to the rates listed above for accurate CLC YMCA pricing.

PROGRAM RATES & OVERVIEW

NEW! MINI WEEKS

WEEK 2: 6/29-7/2 WEEK 5: 7/20-7/23 WEEK 8: 8/10-8/13

Explorers (Ages 5–6)

A classic camp experience with crafts, sports, nature, and play. Campers must be fully toilet trained.

Full Week: \$265 M | \$530 NM
Mini Week: \$220 M | \$440 NM

Ages 7–14 Specialty Programs

Examples include Sports Sampler, Camp Sampler, Outdoor Skills, STEAM Builders, Tie Dye, Nature Detectives, Space Explorers, Team Building, and more.

Full Week: \$290 M | \$580 NM
Mini Week: \$240 M | \$480 NM

Ages 10–14 Adventure Programs

Examples include Gym & Swim, Aqua Adventures, Ghost Hunters, All Golf, Cooking, At the Movies, Climbing, and more.

Full Week: \$315 M | \$630 NM
Mini Week: \$260 M | \$520 NM

Two-Week Programs (Ages 7–14)

Includes programs such as Ceramics, Dungeons & Dragons, Fashions & Jewelry, and select advanced sessions.

2-Week Standard Session: \$580 M | \$1,160 NM
2-Week w/Overnight Adventure: \$630 M | \$1,260 NM

CAMP BY THE WEEK

CLC CAMPS & SAILING CAMPS

WEEK 1: 6/22 - 6/26

Pre-K Outdoor Adventures

9am - 4:30pm

Ages 3-4

M: \$250 | NM: \$500

Art & Create

9am - 4pm

Ages 7-12

M: \$250 | NM: \$500

Sailing

9am - 3pm

Ages 8-15

M: \$335 | NM: \$670

Around the World (Tennis/FARMS)

9am - 3pm

Ages 8-13

M: \$300 | NM: \$600

Adventure

9am - 4:30pm

Ages 9-13

M: \$300 | NM: \$600

LITs Sailing

9am - 3pm

Ages 15-18

M: \$315 | NM: \$630

WEEK 2: 6/29 - 7/2 (mini week)

Pre-K Outdoor Adventures

9am - 4:30pm

Ages 3-4

M: \$200 | NM: \$400

Adventure

9am - 4:30pm

Ages 9-13

M: \$240 | NM: \$480

Sailing

9am - 3pm

Ages 8-15

M: \$268 | NM: \$536

Young Chefs

9am - 12pm

Ages 5-8

M: \$144 | NM: \$288

H.S. Tennis & CIT Program

9am - 12pm, 12pm - 3pm

Ages 15-18

Half Day H.S. Tennis -

M: \$110 | NM: \$220

Half Day CIT -

M: \$110 | NM: \$220

LITs Sailing

9am - 3pm

Ages 15-18

M: \$252 | NM: \$504

Sports

9am - 4pm

Ages 8-12

M: \$200 | NM: \$400

WEEK 3: 7/6 - 7/10

Pre-K Outdoor Adventures

9am - 4:30pm

Ages 3-4

M: \$250 | NM: \$500

Adventure

9am - 4:30pm

Ages 9-13

M: \$300 | NM: \$600

LITs Sailing

9am - 3pm

Ages 15-18

M: \$315 | NM: \$630

FARMS at the Y Cooking

9am - 12pm

Ages 8-13

M: \$180 | NM: \$360

Sailing

9am - 3pm

Ages 8-15

M: \$335 | NM: \$670

Multi Racquet & Tennis

9am - 12pm, 12pm - 3pm

Ages 7-14

Half Day Racquet -

M: \$155 | NM: \$310

Half Day Tennis -

M: \$155 | NM: \$310

Boxing & Ninjas

9am - 4pm

Ages 7-9

M: \$250 | NM: \$500

WEEK 4: 7/13 - 7/17

Pre-K Outdoor Adventures

9am - 4:30pm

Ages 3-4

M: \$250 | NM: \$500

Art Create & FARMS

9am - 12pm, 12pm - 4pm

Ages 8-13

Half Day FARMS -

M: \$180 | NM: \$360

Half Day Art Create -

M: \$125 | NM: \$250

Adventure

9am - 4:30pm

Ages 9-13

M: \$300 | NM: \$600

Sailing

9am - 3pm

Ages 8-15

M: \$335 | NM: \$670

LITs Sailing

9am - 3pm

Ages 15-18

M: \$315 | NM: \$630

Pickleball & Tennis

9am - 12pm, 12pm - 3pm

Ages 7-14

Half Day Pickleball -

M: \$155 | NM: \$310

Half Day Tennis -

M: \$155 | NM: \$310

WEEK 5: 7/20 - 7/23 (mini week)

Pre-K Outdoor Adventures

9am - 4:30pm

Ages 3-4

M: \$200 | NM: \$400

Young Chefs

9am - 12pm

Ages 5-8

M: \$144 | NM: \$288

Sports

9am - 4pm

Ages 8-12

M: \$200 | NM: \$400

Adventure

9am - 4:30pm

Ages 9-13

M: \$240 | NM: \$480

First Responders

9am - 4pm

Ages 9-13

M: \$200 | NM: \$400

Full Day Tennis

9am - 3pm

Ages 7-14

M: \$300 | NM: \$600

Sailing

****Monday thru Friday**

9am - 3pm

Ages 8-15

M: \$335 | NM: \$670

LITs Sailing

****Monday thru Friday**

9am - 3pm

Ages 15-18

M: \$315 | NM: \$630

WEEK 6: 7/27 - 7/31

Pre-K Outdoor Adventures

9am - 4:30pm

Ages 3-4

M: \$250 | NM: \$500

Around the World (Tennis/FARMS)

9am - 3pm

Ages 8-13

M: \$300 | NM: \$600

Boxing & Ninjas

9am - 4pm

Ages 10-12

M: \$250 | NM: \$500

Adventure

9am - 4:30pm

Ages 9-13

M: \$300 | NM: \$600

Sailing

9am - 3pm

Ages 8-15

M: \$335 | NM: \$670

LITs Sailing

9am - 3pm

Ages 15-18

M: \$315 | NM: \$630

WEEK 7: 8/3 - 8/7

Pre-K Outdoor Adventures

9am - 4:30pm

Ages 3-4

M: \$250 | NM: \$500

Sports

9am - 4pm

Ages 8-12

M: \$250 | NM: \$500

Adventure

9am - 4:30pm

Ages 9-13

M: \$300 | NM: \$600

Sailing

9am - 3pm

Ages 8-15

M: \$335 | NM: \$670

LITs Sailing

9am - 3pm

Ages 15-18

M: \$315 | NM: \$630

WEEK 8: 8/10 - 8/13 (mini week)

Pre-K Outdoor Adventures

9am - 4:30pm

Ages 3-4

M: \$200 | NM: \$400

Junior Chef

9am - 12pm

Ages 8-13

M: \$148 | NM: \$296

Art & Create

9am - 4pm

Ages 7-12

M: \$200 | NM: \$400

Adventure

9am - 4:30pm

Ages 9-13

M: \$240 | NM: \$480

Sailing

****Monday thru Friday**

9am - 3pm

Ages 8-15

M: \$335 | NM: \$670

LITs Sailing

****Monday thru Friday**

9am - 3pm

Ages 15-18

M: \$315 | NM: \$630

WEEK 9: 8/17 - 8/21

Pre-K Outdoor Adventures

9am - 4:30pm

Ages 3-4

M: \$250 | NM: \$500

Adventure

9am - 4:30pm

Ages 9-13

M: \$300 | NM: \$600

Boxing & Ninjas

9am - 4pm

Ages 7-9

M: \$250 | NM: \$500

Sailing

9am - 3pm

Ages 8-15

M: \$335 | NM: \$670

LITs Sailing

9am - 3pm

Ages 15-18

M: \$315 | NM: \$630

CLC YMCA Summer Camp Policies

CLC YMCA Summer Camps are a place where every child can learn, grow, play, and build confidence in a supportive environment. We believe that positive experiences outdoors, in groups, and through hands-on activities help children develop friendships, strengthen character, and feel a deep sense of belonging. Creating a safe, meaningful, and respectful camp community requires participation from all campers and families. Together, we strive to foster an environment where everyone feels welcome and valued. At CLC YMCA Summer Camps, we bring the Y's four core values of Caring, Honesty, Respect, and Responsibility to life every day.

Our Commitment In Action

Caring: We work closely with families to understand campers' social, emotional, and behavioral needs so every child feels supported and valued.

Honesty: We communicate openly and clearly about expectations, sensitive topics, and learning experiences in an age-appropriate and truthful way.

Respect: We create an inclusive environment where all campers and staff are treated with dignity, kindness, and understanding.

Responsibility: We hold ourselves accountable for maintaining safe, meaningful programming & training staff effectively.

Nut Policy

To help keep campers with allergies safe, CLC YMCA Summer Camps are nut-free environments. We ask families to refrain from sending snacks or lunches containing nuts or nut-based items. While we take precautions, we are not able to guarantee that all camp spaces or kitchens are completely free of major allergens. If your camper has a food allergy, please reach out so we can discuss their needs and ensure the safest camp experience possible.

Cell Phone & Electronics Policy

To encourage full engagement, connection, and fun, we ask that campers do not bring cell phones, smartwatches, or other electronic devices to camp. If you need to reach your child, or if we need to reach you, communication will take place through the Sr. Program Director or our membership desk. **Exception:** Devices used for medical purposes are allowed but must be checked in with staff at the start of the camp week.

Behavior Policy

All campers play a role in creating a positive experience for themselves and others. Campers are expected to engage respectfully, safely, and inclusively. If a camper is struggling to meet behavioral expectations, they will meet with camp leadership to develop a supportive plan, and families will be notified. Any camper who engages in threatening, intimidating, or intentionally harmful behavior toward another person or property may be removed from camp activities or dismissed. Tuition will not be refunded. If your child has known social, emotional, or behavioral challenges, we strongly encourage families to connect with us before the camp week begins. Sharing triggers, strategies, or coping tools helps us create the best, most supportive environment for your camper.

Sick Policy

Keep your camper home if they are experiencing: Fever of 100.4°F or higher, diarrhea, vomiting, unexplained rash, eye or ear discharge. If your child becomes ill at camp, they must be picked up within 1 hour. They may return once they are symptom-free for 24 hours without medication.



CENTRAL LINCOLN COUNTY MEMBERSHIP FOR ALL APPLICATION

The CLC YMCA is committed to helping ALL people realize their full potential and grow in spirit, mind and body. The Y is here to serve people of all ages, backgrounds, abilities and incomes. We believe that our programs and services should be available to everyone.

	FEES TO JOIN	FAMILY (2 ADULTS & DEPENDENTS)	ADULT (26-64)	YOUNG ADULT (19-25)	YOUTH (0-18)	SENIOR INDIVIDUAL (65+)
ANNUAL RATE PAID IN FULL	\$70	\$1032	\$756	\$468	\$336	\$672
MONTHLY DRAFT ANNUAL INCOME \$58+	\$70	\$87	\$64	\$39	\$28	\$56
\$48-58K	\$56	\$69	\$51	\$31	\$23	\$45
\$38-48K	\$53	\$64	\$48	\$30	\$21	\$42
\$28-38K	\$50	\$60	\$45	\$28	\$20	\$38
\$28k & below	\$42	\$52	\$38	\$24	\$17	\$33

MEMBERSHIP FOR ALL

Membership for All is a sliding fee scale that is designed to help individuals and families take advantage of everything the Y has to offer. Assistance can be used for any annual membership type. The Membership for All (MFA) Program ensures that no one is turned away due to the inability to pay.

REQUIREMENTS

Income Tax Return from prior year. We use the Adjusted Gross Income (IRS 1040A, IRS 1040 Line 11). All MFA Memberships expire one year from date of application and rate will automatically adjust to the full monthly rate until updated proof of income is provided.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Additional financial assistance is available based on special circumstances. To apply, please fill out the financial assistance application and return it to the Membership Director.

MEMBERSHIP FOR ALL AGREEMENT

Membership For All requirements include: Income verification, monthly draft from a bank account and yearly updated income verification. All information and documents are kept confidential.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

My Summer Camp Plans