Welcome Camp Hunterdon families!
Every summer has a story and we can't wait to help your child write theirs! Our staff will help your child foster personal growth and lifelong friendships.

Next week we will celebrate our Welcome to the West theme; read more on page 3!

We appreciate your patience during drop off and pick up. Please remain in your car to help speed up the process and ensure the safety of all.

Here for you,

Dan D’Albis
Camp Director

WELCOME TO THE WEST WEEK
July 24-28

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Mark Your Calendar
Tuesday: Tall Sock Tuesday
Wednesday: Dress up like you’re from the wild, wild west!
Thursday: Colonial Bowling!
Friday: The Four P’s of Fridays! Pizza, party, pajamas, and popsicles.

Questions, comments, concerns?
Contact us at lambertvillecamp@ymcabhc.org

Camp Hunterdon Phone Number
908.483.4920
Parent reminders

- Campers should come to camp wearing their swimsuit
- Please label all belongings clearly with camper’s name
- Camper’s backpack should include:
  - Lunch (for full day campers only)
    - Lunches requiring a cooler setting may be placed in a hard, washable cooler with an ice pack to keep cool
    - Lunches should not require reheating at camp
  - Two snacks (for all campers)
  - Sunscreen
  - Bug repellent
  - Reusable water bottle
  - Towel
  - Change of clothes
  - Snack bar money if you don’t have a “funfangle” card
- Wear closed toe shoes and comfortable clothing to camp
- No toys, stuffed animals, or electronics permitted at camp
- All medication must be signed in at drop-off with camp leadership
- At pick up, for the safety of your child, a photo I.D. is required everyday to sign out your camper
- Be sure to join our private Facebook group for updates.

Welcome to the West events

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Text message alerts

Please complete this form to sign up to receive text messages from your Camp Hunterdon team including weekly hotsheets, weather-related updates, and camp reminders. By completing this form, you are providing consent for YMCA of Bucks and Hunterdon Counties to send text messages to your phone.

Financial assistance

If you have been granted financial assistance, please be sure to bring your financial assistance contract in to have the assistance applied to your camp registrations. If you registered for camp before applying for financial assistance, please make sure that you have brought in your contract to our Welcome Center to have your assistance applied. Please contact Catherine at crefice@ymcabhc.org with any questions.

Pizza on Friday’s is INCLUDED in the price of registration! All campers that would like pizza will receive it!
Adventure Camp
Welcome to the West week! In honor of our wild, wild, west week, we will have some wild, wild fun!
- Campers will participate in various activities that require them to be focused, competitive, and a little bit wild.
- Campers will participate in creating arts and crafts based on the theme of the week.
- Campers will participate in water games such as water balloon toss, drip, drip and drench. Campers will take turns using a splash pad or slip and slide.

Important Welcome to the West Week Events!!
- A reminder that Tuesdays are “Tall Sock Tuesdays” and the camper with the tallest or wackiest socks will win a prize.
- On Wednesday Dress Up like you’re from the Wild, Wild West!
- Our special event will be a trip to Colonial Bowling in Lawrenceville! We will depart camp around 11:15 AM and arrive at the stadium right around 11:45 AM! We will bowl from 12-2 PM and we will head back to camp around 2 PM and be back here at South around 2:30 PM! We will eat lunch before we go bowling. Campers will receive a free slice of pizza at the bowling alley.
- On Friday like to celebrate the 4 P’s!! Pizza, party, pajamas, and popsicles!
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Our theme this week is Welcome to the West. Each day, campers will celebrate this theme through games, activities, sports, and crafts.

Conversation starters
Hear in your child’s words how their week at camp is going with these fun conversation starters!

Tell me about your friends in your group.
Talk to me about your favorite part of the camp day.
How did you celebrate Welcome to the West week today?

Craft of the week:
Beaded Snake!

If your child attends before/after care and won’t be attending on a certain day, please let us know with an email or a phone call!
Curbside drop off and pick up locations

Drop off and pick up procedures

- Drop off and pick up will be located on the Rocktown Road side of the South Hunterdon High School. Our staff team will be ready to welcome you to camp.

- If you are dropping off your child for before car, please call 908.483.4920 and a member of our staff will meet you at the drop off location.

- If you are picking up your child early, please call the number listed above and a member of our staff will walk your camper up to the pick up location.
Meet your Camp Leadership Team

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Rosie Bill, Assistant Camp Director
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Meet Riley
Riley Ferrara is enjoying her 5th summer as a camp staff member at the Y’s Deer Path branch in Hunterdon County. This summer, Riley has taken on a new role as Administrative Intern and Health Coordinator. Riley received her “Professional Rescue Certification” through the Y and administers first aid for minor injuries like bee stings, bug bites and scraped knees.

Riley is a part of a set of quadruplets and, prior to this year, she and her 3 siblings all worked at the Y’s Deer Path camp (3 of 4 are pictured, Riley is on the left). Riley will be finishing her final semester at Delaware Valley University this fall, where she will earn a degree in business administration with a focus on sports management.

Kristin Heimall, VP of Operations for the Y’s Hunterdon region speaks highly of Riley, stating that “Riley embodies kindness and joy. She brings energy and excitement to any circle she is engaged with. Riley is always willing to step in and lend a hand wherever needed. I am very grateful for all the pre-camp help she did to ensure we were organized for a great summer!”

How to thank our camp staff
Parents, is there a camp staff member who has gone above and beyond to give your child an extraordinary camp experience? Please click here to learn how you can recognize a camp staff member while also supporting a child in your community.