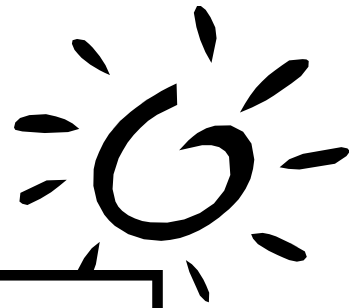


Danvers Community YMCA School's Out Kids Club May Newsletter 2010



SUMMER CAMP REGISTRATION

We are taking registration for all our fun and exciting camp programs. Don't risk the chance of losing your spot. See our updated Camp Brochure for rates and dates. Adventure Camp, Stiles Pond, Climbing, Sports and Art Camps are filling up.

After School Registration

Sign up for September 2010. This year we were full and had to turn people away. We are licensed by the MA Department of Early Education and Care and are only allowed so many children—so register today.

April Vacation—We had a great April vacation. We hope everyone enjoyed Curious Creatures, Magic Show and Magic Class, the Zoo, Strike One and the seeing the movie, “Diary of a Wimpy Kid”

Childcare Survey—Please take the time to fill out a survey for our After School Program. We are looking for feedback on what you think of our program and what we may need to improve. The survey is posted on our website

www.danversymca.org

Gym/Pool Birthday Party's—We are offering GYM Birthday Parties. Sign up at the Childcare Office for a fun filled gym activity. Soccer, Basketball, Floor Hockey, Parachute, Gym Games etc... Also—don't forget about our Fabulous Pool Party's. Registration forms are at the front desk.

Bullying/Any Concerns—if you feel that your child is being bullied—please let John or Joe know.

Middle School Room Field Trip—May 21st—Laser Quest. Cost is \$25 and includes Pizza



CIT (Counselor In Training)

—We are taking applications for kids ages 14 that want to be assistants to our Counselors. This program is for regular campers that want to become JR Counselors.

Jr. Counselor's—Similar to the CIT position—these are for kids ages 14-15. This is a volunteer position.

Outside Play—Now that the weather is getting warmer—we plan on taking the kids outside. Please be sure they have proper clothes to wear.

** Please refer to your child's HOME ROOM Door for their daily schedules. Their daily activities is always posted and their activity location

Donations: We are still looking for games, video games, arts and crafts and computer donations. I would like to thank all the parents for the donations they have made to the AS—Books, Toys, Arts and Crafts supplies, Games, Computers and Cartridges for Kids. Thank You Very Much.

Late Fees—Please pay your monthly tuition 1 week prior to the start of the month. \$5 / day late fees are being applied.

Healthy Kids Day—On Saturday April 17th we had over 200 people attend our Healthy kids Day event. It was a huge success. Kids had the opportunity to have their hair styled by Snippits, work out in the Physical Activity Club Fitness Center, Play some gym games with Danvers Cares, Learn about Karate with the United Martial Arts Center and take part in the Fitness Challenge.

Cartridges For Kids—The Danvers YMCA is still collecting used ink cartridges. The money raised goes to after school and preschool supplies. Plus you are helping the environment by recycling.

Cell phone—Have a old Cell phone. Drop it off at the Danvers YMCA. Phones are sent off to recycling plans and refurbished. Phones are then sent to woman's shelters.

Golf Ball Drop: Buy a \$5 raffle ticket and get a chance to win \$1000. We are only selling 1000 tickets and each ticket will be used towards a golf ball. On August 15th we will be dropping the golf balls from 150 feet. Below we will have a Golf hole and pin set up. The ball closet to the pin will win \$1000. Other prizes include.

The next nine balls will win \$100

The 2 balls furthest from the hole win \$50

You can purchase your raffle tickets at the YMCA front desk.

All proceeds will go towards Childcare and Summer Camp scholarships.

Animal Shelter Donations—One of our Preschool Parents asked for us to help with donations for the Animal Shelter in Salem. If you have old blankets, dog food or animal toys—please drop them by the Y in the Childcare Office. Thank You

CALANDAR SALE—We are selling kid's 2009 Calendars for \$3.00 each. We had an Art Show with Danvers Cares a few weeks ago. Out of the 100 submitted pieces of art work—12 were picked by a panel of Town and Community Officials (Board of Health, Superintendent of schools, YMCA Executive Director, and Selectmen) . Each art work was from our after school program and represents a month of the year. Money raised will go to AS supplies.

Coco Keys Fundraiser

We are holding a family event on May 24th from 3-8pm at Coco Keys Indoor Water Park. Cost is \$16 for members and \$18 for non-members. Sign up at the front desk today. Money raised goes towards the Childcare programs.