




North West Camp Torymca
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CAMP TORYMCA



Make Friends • Learn Skills • Have Fun



Experiences That Last A Lifetime..

Campfires under the stars—a cool dip in the lake on a hot day—mastering the art of paddling a canoe – Circle of Friendship – shooting your first bull’s eye – ghost stories – catching a fish— jumping in a mud pit – getting soaked during a splash attack game – a special counselor – a new friend... these are the memories that last a lifetime.

YMCA Summer Camp offers a great variety of activities for children ages 4 to 15. Campers are divided up into age appropriate units and are led by caring staff carefully selected for their special skills, experience and love of children.

Camp Staff

The camp staff is led by returning Camp Director Patrick Marchand, a 2001 graduate of Springfield College, who has extensive experience in camping. Patrick Marchand can be reached for inquiries at 860-489-3133 ext 119.



Patrick Marchand, Camp Director

Camp TORYMCA (1st-6th grade)

Camp TORYMCA is located at the Girl Scout Camp Maria Pratt property six miles from the center of Torrington. The property features 325 acres of beautiful woods and fields, a private pond for swimming, fishing & boating; unit cabins, a lodge, activity buildings and hard courts. Activities include:

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| Archery | Arts and Crafts |
| Swim Lessons | Free Swim |
| Canoeing | Camp Songs |
| Fishing | Hiking |
| Field Sports | Court Sports |
| Nature | Ropes Course |
| Special Events | Overnights |

A Special Place For Every Child

To meet the developmental needs of each age group, Tormyca has designed age-appropriate units. Units are coed (girls only unit available) and each has it’s own team of counselors. Even though we separate children by age, we recognize the importance of diverse grouping. In program areas, at free swim, and during special events, campers have the opportunity to meet younger or older campers. Children learn from each other at camp and enjoy sharing skills in a diverse environment.

GIRL SCOUT UNIT



(3rd Grade and Up)

Girl Scouts.

Now you can choose an all-girl unit for your daughter while she attends Camp Tormyca. Girls will spend thier time together participating in wonderful camp activities such as swimming, arts and crafts, field sports and other traditional camp activities. In this unit, girls will share Girl Scout experiences together as they work to earn badges. Outdoor camp skills and outdoor cooking will be focal points during the session.

Camp Chipmunk

(Ages 4 & 5)

Even preschoolers can enjoy camp in this specially designed program just for their needs. Arts and crafts, singing, short hikes, games, gymnastics, floating lunches, story telling, and swim lessons make a day of adventure in the outdoors. Being outdoors, hugging huge trees, learning to make friends, and seeing small wildlife inspires young children to appreciate the environment and each other. Camp Chipmunk is great preparation for school. Staff expererened with preschoolers are always with the group. Rest time and snack time is included in the camp day.



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OUTDOOR EXPLORERS

(6th, 7th & 8th Grades)

Exciting outdoor experiences await your child in OUTDOOR EXPLORERS. Campers take day trips to hike, canoe and rock climb. Safety, orienteering and proper trip preparedness are emphasized through pre-trip safety activities at Camp Torymca. This unit will hold an overnight camp-out at the end of the session. Session 4 only.

ADVENTURE CAMP

(7th to 9th Grades)

This program is designed especially for teens. It consists of combining the everyday camp activities with adventure-based camp activities at camp and while on field trips. The program focuses on group cooperation, teamwork, initiative, problem solving and self-confidence building. If you are going into the 7th through 9th grades and are interested in rock climbing, hiking, canoeing, rafting, cave exploration and other adventurous trips and activities, then this is a great place for you! The fee includes all trips and activities with the exception of overnights.

CIT PROGRAM

(10th Grade)

This 4 week leadership training program is designed to place participants in leadership roles under the guidance of experienced Camp staff. With the CIT Program Director, CITs will plan events, improve activity skills in camp program areas, learn first aid and safety, and engage in interactive learning through group discussions and hands-on activities. Field trips, overnights and more will be scheduled. This program is a fantastic way to give your teen valuable real-world experience working with people of many ages. Please note that a special application process is required for this program.

RISING STAR CAMP

(Ages 6-14)

Rising Star Camp is a unique day camp for children with special challenges- ADD, ADHD, adjustment issues, oppositional defiant behaviors and other problematic behaviors which may affect the child's success and/or disrupt home and school. This specialized day camp program tailors each child's participation with age appropriate groups and activities geared toward addressing each child's presenting challenges. For more information please call 860-379-0708

HOW TO REGISTER

1. Fill out a day camp registration form. One per child.
 2. Include the non-refundable deposit of \$50 per child per session. Registration will not be accepted without deposit. Deposit is applied toward total camp fee.
 3. Confirmation will be sent upon receipt of completed registration.
 4. Medical forms will be sent with confirmation and are due by June 1, 2006
- Mail Registration and Deposit to:

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CAMP INFORMATION

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BUS SCHEDULE

Transportation to and from camp by bus is available at no extra charge. Each bus is chaperoned by camp staff.



BEAVER BUS sessions 1-4

Torrington East End

<u>A.M.</u>	<u>Pick up</u>
8:15	Harwinton Consolidated School
8:25	East School
8:40	THS Lower Lot
<u>P.M.</u>	<u>Drop Off</u>
4:20	East School
4:10	THS Lower Lot
4:45	Harwinton Consolidated School

EAGLE BUS sessions 1-4

Torrington North & South

<u>A.M.</u>	<u>Pick Up</u>
8:30	YMCA commuter lot
8:40	Town Fair Tire Lot
8:50	Forbes School
<u>P.M.</u>	<u>Drop Off</u>
4:10	Forbes School
4:20	Town Fair Tire Lot
4:30	YMCA commuter lot

DEER BUS Sessions 1-4

Thomaston, Litchfield & Tor. YMCA

<u>A.M.</u>	<u>Pick Up</u>
8:10	Thomaston Middle School
8:25	Litchfield Fire house
<u>P.M.</u>	<u>Drop Off</u>
4:35	Litchfield Fire House
4:50	Thomaston Middle School

RACCOON BUS sessions 1-5

New Hartford & Winsted

<u>A.M.</u>	<u>Pick up</u>
8:10	New Hartford Elementary
8:20	Barkhamstead Elementary
8:40	Hinsdale School
<u>P.M.</u>	<u>Drop Off</u>
4:40	Barkhamstead Elementary
4:20	Hinsdale School
4:50	New Hartford Elementary

MOOSE BUS session 5 only

Torrington

<u>A.M.</u>	<u>Pickup</u>
8:20	THS Lower Lot
8:30	YMCA Commuter Lot
8:40	Forbes School
<u>P.M.</u>	<u>Drop Off</u>
4:10	Forbes School
4:20	YMCA Commuter Lot
4:30	THS Lower Lot

BOBCAT BUS Sessions 1-4

Canaan, falls Village, Goshen

<u>A.M.</u>	<u>Pick Up</u>
8:15	Canaan YMCA
8:30	Botelle Elementary, Norfolk
8:50	Winchester Center
<u>P.M.</u>	<u>Drop Off</u>
4:10	Winchester Center
4:30	Botelle Elementary,

CAMPER CARE

Extended child care is available at the Torrington or Winsted YMCA. The YMCA will bus to and from camp. Campers may arrive as early as 6:30 am and remain until 6:00 pm. There is an additional charge for this service and breakfast is provided in the mornings. Please see registration form.

REFUND AND PAYMENT POLICY

A \$50 deposit is required per child per session and is non-refundable. The balance of the camp fee is refundable only for illness or injury that make it impossible for the child to attend camp. All refund request must be made in writing, with verification if necessary. Cash & check balances are due June 1st for session 1 & 2 and July 1st for sessions 3, 4, & 5. EZ Pay balances will be charged 2 weeks prior to each session.



Northwest YMCA 2007 Camp Torymca

Camper Name _____

Street _____

Town _____ State _____ Zip _____

Age _____ Date of birth ____/____/____

Phone _____

Gender (circle) Male Female

Grade entering in Fall 2007 _____

School _____

Mother/Guardian _____

Address (If different) _____

Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____

Cell Phone _____ Authorized Pick Up? Y N

Father/Guardian _____

Address (If different) _____

Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____

Cell Phone _____ Authorized Pick Up? Y N

Returning Camper? Yes _____ No _____ Family e-mail _____

How did you hear about camp? (circle) News paper Ad Poster Radio YMCA flyer Television From a Friend

Other please describe _____

Emergency Contact Information

Torymca Day Camp is authorized to phone any of the persons listed below in an emergency. Other than authorized parents, the people listed below may pick up this camper from camp or the bus stop. Expect to show photo I.D. at the time of pickup.

Name	Day Time Phone	Relationship
1. _____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____

Parent Agreement

I approve this application and certify that the proposed camper is capable of such an experience. I understand that Camp Torymca may dismiss without refund any camper that disrupts the group or violates safety rules. I agree to have the medical form completed by a physician to include 3 years prior to the beginning of camp. I understand that state laws prohibit my child from attending camp without a medical form. I also agree to pay the balance of the camp fees by their due date and that any refund of these monies will be considered according to the refund policy only. I understand that if my family balance is not paid by the designated dates, my child(ren) will not be allowed to attend camp.

I understand that although the Torymca/YMCA will use care in the selection of transportation companies, agencies, facilities, and services, and exercise precautions for the safety of all participants and their personal property, there are certain risks inherent in a number of Torymca/YMCA activities and programs. I understand the nature of these programs and accept the risks involved in such activities. I agree to release Torymca/YMCA and their agents of any liability and responsibility of any nature for any loss or damage to property or personal injury incurred by my child while participating in a Torymca/YMCA program.

Permission is granted for the applicant to participate in all planned camp activities and programs, including out of camp trips, understanding competent leadership will be provided, to receive emergency medical attention, and for the YMCA to take, have, and use photographs, slides, moving pictures, or video tapes of the person named on this application as may be needed for its records or for public relations purposes. I understand that it is my responsibility to meet the bus at the appointed stop at the scheduled pick up/drop off times each day, unless permission is granted otherwise. I understand that all girls enrolled in Camp Torymca will be registered with the Girl Scout Council of Northwestern Connecticut.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Print Name _____

For Office Use Only

Date	Confirmation Package	Front Desk	Med Form
Received	Given/Mailed	Initial _____	Y N
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