

PLANTING SEEDS OF OPPORTUNITY FOR OUR FUTURE



May 2023 Y-News



MONTHLY CALENDAR



May 7 - Community Registration Opens for Summer Day Camps

May 10 - Book & Cook, 5:30p

May 10 - Deadline to buy tickets for Pancakes & PJs with Mom

May 12 - BSE Preschool Graduation

May 13 - Pancakes & PJs with Mom, 8:30a-10a*

May 18 - Facility Shut-down Clean Day, YMCA Closed

May 29 - YMCA Closed for Memorial Day

*indicates a program that requires prior registration

CELEBRATING OUR Y & OUR PEOPLE

During our 2023 Annual Business Meeting, we laughed, we celebrated & we dreamed. Getting to gather our staff, volunteers, members & advocates each year is such a joy! We loved celebrating our awardees that represent the Y's Core Values in our facility, to our members, and in our community. Please congratulate our winners if you see them.

Exemplary Staff Award : Tammy Motsinger

Shining Star Award: John Roberts

Shining Star Award: Kaden Glass

Ernie Gravett Award: Dr. Gene Hedrick

If you have questions about the Y's work over the last year or would like to see our success reach out to Chelsey Miller or Kristy Purlee to get an update from this past year's data.



COME EXPLORE WITH THE Y THIS SUMMER

This summer the Y will be host 2 different day camps to better serve our children through age-appropriate activities.

TINY DREAMERS

Ages 3-5 years (not yet enrolled in Kindergarten)

Must be fully potty trained

Weekly Community Visitors | Daily Rest time

Outdoor Exploration | Hands-On Activities

EXTREME EXPLORERS

Kindergarten-6th grade

Weekly Field Trips | Fitness Classes

Outdoor Exploration | Hands-On Activities

Our Mission: "To put Christian principles into practice through programs that build healthy spirit, mind and body for all."

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A POSITIVE WAY TO DO EVERYTHING.



As the end of the school year is quickly approaching, so is the wrap up of the Prevention Initiative's in-school prevention curriculum program known as Positive Action.

This past semester, the Y implemented Positive Action in 7 county schools, serving over 600 youth! Positive Action's framework addresses the importance of developing a positive mindset with a substance misuse prevention focus. This summer, Positive Action will make its way to Summer Day Camp!

YOUTH STAFF GRANT MAKING WAY FOR NEW THINGS

Our Y has been awarded money through the Indiana YMCA Alliance from the Lilly Foundation to support Youth Staff. With these funds we are pouring into our youth programs now more than ever. So be on the lookout for new & expanded programs, as well as positions that may be open to work in these programs!



PANCAKES & PJs WITH MOM

Celebrate the special ladies in your life for Mother's Day!

Take a load off & bring mom, grandma, your aunts or any other special ladies for a breakfast without any of the prep or clean-up.

Roll out of bed & come enjoy all you can eat pancakes, fruit & breakfast beverages.

Saturday, May 13th
8:30a-10a

YMCA Kitchen & Multi-Purpose Room

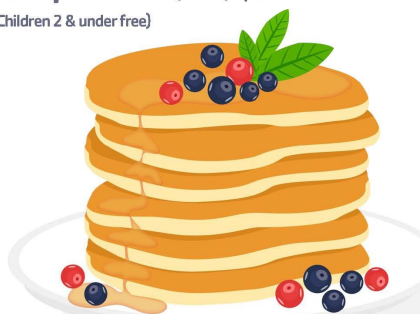
Adults \$12 | Youth (3-12) \$5

(Children 2 & under free)



**Tickets on sale until
May 10th**

Purchase tickets online at
wcfymca.org or at the
Member Service Desk



FACILITY HOURS

REGULAR HOURS

Monday - Thursday 5AM - 8PM

Friday 5AM - 7PM

Saturday 7AM - 5PM

Sunday 1PM - 5PM

24/7 access available for members 18 & over, who have waivers signed

Closed on May 18th & May 29th

KIDS CLUB HOURS*

Tuesday-Thursday 9AM-12PM

Monday - Thursday 4PM - 7:30PM

Friday 4PM - 7PM

Saturday 9AM - 12PM

*Children must be checked in an hour before facility closes

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Creative Activities:

Young person spends three or more hours per week in lessons or practice in music, theatre, or other arts.

This asset allows for our youth to find enjoyment in new activities and interact with their peers.

This has an opportunity to be achieved by participating in activities at school, or activities outside of school.