

COMMUNITY YMCA SEPTEMBER 2026 NEWSLETTER



SPRINGFIELD SCHOOL AGE

Dear Kindergarten Families,

Welcome to the 2026–2027 School Year! We are thrilled to have your child as part of our program and look forward to all of the wonderful learning experiences, new friendships, and special memories they will make throughout the year. The first day of our program will be Tuesday, September 8th.

As a friendly reminder, all required forms must be completed in exact or dropped off at the Springfield YMCA in a labeled envelope. Please note that your child will not be eligible to attend the program until all required paperwork has been completed.

We are excited for a wonderful school year and look forward to welcoming your child to our program!

Warm regards,
Marisa Gonzales

Important Dates

- 9/1-9/7 Program Closed
- 9/2 Open House for Kindergarten Families
- 9/8 Kindergarten OST Program Begins
- 10/2 Care provided for AM Enrichment/ PM SLC students only
- 10/30 Care provided for PM Enrichment/ AM SLC students only

Open House

We are so excited to welcome both our returning and new families to Open House! We are thrilled to be a part of your child's learning journey and look forward to a wonderful year together. Thank you for taking the time to meet your child's teacher, visit their classroom, and give them the opportunity to explore their new learning environment. Your child's YMCA teacher will be communicated to you the night of the event.

Wednesday, September 2nd
5:15–6:15pm AM Enrichment
6:30–7:30pm PM Enrichment

Miss Regina, Miss Melanie, Miss Kylie



Character Is Cool

Caring, Honesty, Respect, and Responsibility are the values we uphold as a YMCA. Every month, children will receive rewards for embodying these YMCA core values, which are integrated into daily lessons and activities. Stay tuned for October to find out who will be honored with the September Character Award!

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Important Information

Kindergarten Drop Off

Early morning drop off is from 7:00am-8:45am at the Springfield YMCA. If your child is in AM SLC KINDERGARTEN, they need to be dropped off by 8:30am to make the bus in time. If there is a change in your child's schedule and they will not be attending our program on their scheduled day, we ask that you contact their SLC teacher and the YMCA. Please email or call the YMCA office at 610.557.9822 or 610-713-5269

Late pick-up fees

Our hours of operation are 7:00am-6pm. A late fee of \$10 will be charged for every five minutes after 6pm. This fee will be added to your account.

More Important Information

Lost and Found

Please remember to label all of your child's belongings. This includes lunch boxes, school bags and coats.

Change of Clothes

We do recommend a change of weather appropriate clothes be sent in with all Kindergarten students that can be kept in their backpacks at the YMCA.

Lunch Information

All Kindergarten children will have lunch and gross motor play at the Springfield YMCA from 11:30am-1pm. All children will need a lunch, water bottle, and PM snack. We do not have refrigeration so please pack lunches with ice packs. We will heat lunches; however, we kindly ask you to please limit it to twice per week.

Emergency Closings

The Springfield YMCA Kindergarten Enrichment program will follow the Springfield School District for all emergency & weather-related closings and delays. Therefore, the Springfield YMCA Kindergarten Enrichment Program will be CLOSED if the Springfield School District is closed. If the district calls for a two-hour delay, we will open at 9:00am. If there is an early dismissal due to inclement weather the YMCA will remain open for two hours. Please prepare in advance to ensure the safety of your family and our staff.

KINDERGARTEN

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Dear First Grade Families,

Welcome to the 2026–2027 YMCA Program at SLC & ETR. We are happy to see familiar faces returning for another year, and we're equally excited to welcome new students to our program! This year, we have a variety of activities lined up, including arts & crafts, learning games, sports activities and homework assistance which starts later in the fall.

If you have any questions throughout the school year, please do not hesitate to reach out to me by email or phone. Additionally, feel free to approach any staff member during drop-off or pick-up times.

Warm regards,
Kayla Pavlovitch



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Important Information

Drop off and Pick Up

AM Care drop off is located on the side entrance of the SLC (next to True Jesus Church). PM Care pick up is in ETR cafeteria, you can enter from the outdoor basketball courts. Please send your child to school with an afternoon snack for the YMCA. Snack is part of our daily schedule each day.

Tuition

Tuition is due the 1st of every month. Payment can be made at the YMCA Membership desk, over the phone (610-557-9622), online, or you can set up auto payments by contacting jhurlock@cyedc.org.

Important Dates

9/1: Program Opens for '26-'27 school year

9/1, 9/2, 9/3: Early Dismissal–Care Provided at ETR Cafeteria. Please pack lunch, snacks, and a water bottle.

9/4 & 9/7 Program Closed for Labor Day

Change of Schedule

If there is a change in your child's schedule and they will not be attending our program on their scheduled day, we ask that you contact their SLC teacher and the YMCA. Please email or call the YMCA office at 610.713.5269.

Labeling Belongings

Please remember to label all of your children's belongings. This includes lunch boxes, school bags and coats.

Personal Items and Toys

Our program provides a variety of toys and activities that promote creativity, active learning, and enhance the development of our students physically, socially, emotionally and academically. We ask parents to explain to your child that toys and other personal devices from home should remain in the home, where they will not be damaged, or become lost.

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Dear Scenic & Sabold Families,

Welcome to the 2026-2027 academic year! We are thrilled to be back and trust you had a wonderful summer break. Our programs are packed with exciting activities for your little ones. We eagerly anticipate reuniting with our returning students and welcoming new friends. Please remember to complete all required paperwork on the epact site prior to your child's first day. Thank you for selecting the YMCA as your out-of-school time partner.

Warm regards, Nichole Falcone, Sabold Director
& Domonique Childs, Scenic Director



Important Dates

9/1, 9/2, 9/3 Early Dismissal-Care Provided
at each location

9/4 & 9/7 Program Closed



Drop Off and Pick up

For the safety of your child, all children are required to be accompanied by an adult when entering the Scenic, Sabold, or SLC AM care locations. Parents will escort their children to the cafeteria (Sabold & Scenic) and physically sign their child into the program every morning. Please do not drop your child off and have them enter the building unsupervised. We adhere to strict DHS Childcare Regulations.

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Scenic & Sabold Typical Daily Schedules

AM CARE

7AM Children arrive, centers, tabletop games, small group activities in the cafeteria.

PM CARE

330-4:30 Children arrive in cafeteria

Bathrooms/handwashing, snack, homework time.

4:30-5:45 Free choice activities/centers, small/large group organized games, outside (weather permitting), Gym.

5:45-6:00 Pack up, last child leaves.

Early Dismissals & Days Off

Care is available on early dismissal days and during most school closures, provided the facility is open. Please remember to pack a lunch along with two snacks for all early dismissal and full care days. Generally, when school is closed, a full day of care is offered at the Sabold Elementary location for all Sabold and Scenic students enrolled in the YMCA Out of School Time Program.



Friendly Reminders



Please pack a daily snack for pm snack time.



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Late Pick up- Our hours of operation are 7am-6pm. A late fee of \$10 will be charged for every five minutes after 6pm. This fee will be added to your account.

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SEPTEMBER 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Program Opens Early Dismissal Grades 1-5	2 Early Dismissal Grades 1-5	3 Early Dismissal Grades 1-5	4 Programs Closed	5
6	7 Programs Closed Labor Day	8 Kindergarten Care Begins	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			



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SPRINGFIELD YMCA! FALL SPORTS

ARTS/SPORTS PROGRAMS
MONTHLY (4-WEEK) SESSION DATES:
SEPTEMBER 8 - OCTOBER 4
OCTOBER 5 - NOVEMBER 1

MONTHLY SESSIONS
MEMBER \$63 NON-MEMBER \$126

FALL BASEBALL LEAGUE

Tuesday: 8 WEEK SESSION - Starting September 8

Blue Turf | Ages 4 -7 years

5:15 pm - 7:15 pm

- Introduces the basic fundamentals of baseball to players who may not have played before or who are inexperienced.
- Fun, developmental, low-stakes environment
- This program is an excellent way for kids to make new friends, stay active, and cultivate a lifelong love of baseball.



SPORTS SAMPLER

Wednesday: September Session, October Session

Blue Turf | Ages 3 -5 years

5:15 pm - 6:00 pm Exposes young athletes to a variety of sports.



BASKETBALL CLINICS

Thursday: September Session, October Session

Bball Court B | Ages 6 -9 years

5:15pm - 6pm

Dribble, Passing, Shooting and Teamwork! These are the core skills emphasized in our basketball clinics designed to nurture young athletes' abilities on the court.



3V3 BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Thursday: September Session, October Session

Bball Court B | Ages 10 -13 years

6pm - 7pm

Coed, beginner to intermediate level





BACK HANDSPRING CLINIC

12 TO 1PM
AGES 6 TO 10

SATURDAY OCTOBER 31ST
HALLOWEEN



Athletes are encouraged to
wear Halloween costumes!



Cost:
\$25 for members
\$50 non-members

SPRINGFIELD YMCA



FALL BASEBALL LEAGUE

INDOOR
8 week
League
Starting
September 8



TUESDAYS
SPRINGFIELD YMCA

Starting September 8
Ages 4 -7 years
5:15 pm – 7:15 pm



REGISTER
NOW!

www.cyedc.org
610.557.9622

Members \$126 Non-member \$252



PARENTS' NIGHT OUT



UNDER THE SEA PARTY

Friday, September 25th

6-9pm

Ridley Area YMCA

4 – 12 years

- Pizza and juice box provided

\$20 members
\$40 non-members



RIDLEY AREA YMCA



FRIDAY OCTOBER 16
6:30-8:00pm

TRUNK or TREAT

Contact Haley to
register your car!
484.479.3401
hruuso@cyedc.org

FEES PER CHILD -
\$10 MEMBERS
\$20 NON-MEMBERS



RIDLEY AREA YMCA! FALL SPORTS LEAGUES

ARTS/SPORTS PROGRAMS
MONTHLY (4-WEEK) SESSION DATES:
SEPTEMBER 8 - OCTOBER 4
OCTOBER 5 - NOVEMBER 1

MONTHLY SESSIONS
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YOUTH FLAG FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Saturday September 12th – October 17th

Back field | Ages 7-12 years

11:00am – 1:00 pm



ADULT FLAG FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Saturday September 12th – October 17th

Back field | Ages 18+

9:00am – 11:00am



SOCCER STARS LEAGUE

Monday September 14th – October 12th

Back field

2-3-year-olds: 6:00pm – 6:45pm

4-5-year-olds: 6:00pm – 6:45pm