



FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT®
FOR HEALTHY LIVING
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY



**Learn to cheer at
the YMCA!**
Henry County YMCA

**WE'VE
GOT
SPIRIT!**

Sessions:

- October 21 – December 2, 2024**
- See front desk for information on future session dates**

**YMCA will provide shirts.
Cheerleaders participants will need
black shorts and tennis shoes.**

PROGRAM DETAILS

- **Members \$40 | Program Participants \$70 (per session)**
- **Ages 5 - 12**
- **Classes will meet every Monday during the session**
- **5:30 pm – 6:30 pm**
- **Classes will be in the Multipurpose Room at the Henry County YMCA**
- **Registration deadline is the Friday prior to the session**
- **Space is limited to 20 participants.**
- **Register early to guarantee a spot!**

NAME OF CHILD: _____ GENDER: M ___ F ___ DOB ___/___/___

AGE: _____ GRADE _____ RETURNING PARTICIPANT YES NO SCHOOL ATTENDING _____

MAILING ADDRESS: Street _____ City: _____ ZIP _____

MAIN CONTACT PHONE #: _____ E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

(Main Phone Number for Coaches and YMCA communications)

FATHER _____ PHONE # _____

FATHER DOB ___/___/___ EMPLOYER _____

MOTHER _____ PHONE # _____

MOTHER DOB ___/___/___ EMPLOYER _____

ADDITIONAL EMERGENCY CONTACT _____ PHONE # _____

(In case neither parent can be reached)

Please list any special health concerns that your child has that we should be aware of: _____

CIRCLE SHIRT SIZE: YOUTH | XS S M L ADULT | SM M L XL

Parents' Ethics Contract

This form must be signed by parent/guardian and turned in to the Program Coordinator or Director prior to the start of each season.

Important Information about youth programs and sports

Kids participate in programs primarily because it's fun. Adults need to keep it fun. Some adults get too emotional about youth programs because they are too concerned about how their kids are doing, have the mistaken belief that winning is very important, or have a desire for glory through their kids' success. The desire for their kids' success is part of the concept of living through your kids. Kids need to know that if they're trying their best, they are winners. Parents need to remember that their kids will not be great at everything. Recognizing that, parents can help most by relaxing and enjoying these fleeting years. Placing too much pressure on kids to perform well creates stress that can detract from their fun and can affect their self-esteem. Instructions shouted to participants are distracting, usually too late, and sometimes inaccurate or in conflict with what the coach is teaching.

My Pledge to Set A Good Example

I will not be loud or negative towards participants, referees, coaches or spectators. I acknowledge that failing to show respect for people who are doing the best they can set a bad example for our children and can result in my expulsion from the session, and possibly the program. If someone else makes an inappropriate comment, I will not make a negative response that could lead to a confrontation. I will remember that encouragement and praise for every child, not just the best athletes, are critically important to their self-esteem and their ability to achieve the most they can. I will abide by the guidelines and rules of the YMCA Youth Programs and support the Mission of the YMCA.

I acknowledge that making mistakes and losing are part of life. I pledge that I will be tolerant of the mistakes of participants, coaches, referees, and others. I recognize that mistakes are opportunities for learning. I recognize that within the parameters of competition, sportsmanship and fair play remain paramount. I pledge that I will commit to promoting an atmosphere of healthy play to ensure fun for all participants.

I hereby give permission to the YMCA to use indefinitely, without limitation or obligation, photographs, film, footage or tape recordings, which may include my child's image or voice for the purpose of promoting or interpreting YMCA programs. BY SIGNING THIS ETHICS CONTRACT, I AGREE TO ABIDE BY THIS PLEDGE, THE HENRY COUNTY YMCA YOUTH PROGRAMS PHILOSOPHY, YMCA YOUTH PROGRAMS RULES AND POLICIES.

*Print Name _____ *Signature _____ *Date ____/____/____

SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY

The Henry County YMCA is concerned with the safety and well being of members and participants. It is the policy of the Henry County YMCA that access to YMCA programming shall be prohibited to anyone convicted of a criminal sex offense or anyone who is listed on the sex and violent offender registry.

Parent Approval

We approve this registration and certify that our child is in good health. I authorize the Henry County YMCA staff/volunteers to render first-aid. I shall not hold the Henry County YMCA responsible for any and all accidents, personal injuries, or loss of property resulting from connection with YMCA Youth Programs. Furthermore, I give permission for the Henry County YMCA to take and publish photographs of my child for the purpose of YMCA art, advertising, education and/or promotion.

NOTE: The YMCA does NOT carry Health and Accident Insurance; please review policy.

By signing, you agree you have read the parent approval.

Parent /Guardian Name

Signature

Date

Office Use Only

YMCA MEMBER \$40.00

NON MEMBER \$70.00

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DATE PAID ____/____/____

CASH _____

CHECK # _____

CREDIT/DEBIT/EFT _____