

**CAMP Y.I. (YOUTH INCORPORATED)  
2018 OVERNIGHT CAMP  
ONE and TWO WEEK SESSIONS**

Thank you for registering for Summer Camp 2018. We are looking forward to a great summer season!

Open House Dates for 2018 are April 22 and 29. Tours are from 2:00pm-4:00pm.

To secure your camper's reservation, the balance must be paid in full and the following forms received no later than two weeks prior to your camper's session. For information about registration please call 615-459-3971 or [campyidirector@gmail.com](mailto:campyidirector@gmail.com)

- **Health Form 1** (4 pages)-this form was part of your online registration process. **Be sure to sign the "permission to treat" located at the bottom of page 1.** If your child requires treatment, we will notify you immediately.
- **Health Form 2** Requires a Physician or Nurse Practitioner Signature (1 page). A current **Sports Physical** or **Walk-in Clinic Form** may be substituted.
- **Medications as Needed- PRN**-required each summer
- **Summer Camp Release** –required each summer
  
- **Previous Campers-Health Forms 1 and 2 are valid for two years.** However, if there have been any changes to your child's health including medications, you must provide that information in writing.
- Please contact the Camp Director if you would prefer that these forms be mailed to you.
- Please make a copy of the forms for your records if you are mailing.
  
- **Check-in is Sunday between 3:00 and 4:00 PM.** Our front gate will open at 2:30pm and our second gate will open at 3:00pm. Camp Staff will direct you to the parking area where you will unload luggage. We will transport luggage to the cabin for you. You will be directed to the Check-in area. Please be sure your camper is with you during check-in so we can conduct a quick head lice check on every camper. After completing the check-in process you will take your child to their assigned cabin and meet his/her counselors.
  
- During Check-in, we will take any medication that your camper will need during their stay. You will have an opportunity to discuss any special instructions with the Nurses at Check-in. **Prescription medications should be in their original container.** Medication will be administered as prescribed. All medications, including over the counter medications must be labeled with campers name and instructions. **No camper will be allowed to keep any medication(s) in their cabin.**
  
- **A Packing List** is part of this online registration confirmation email and also on our website [www.campyi.org](http://www.campyi.org) **PLEASE BE SURE THAT ALL BELONGINGS ARE MARKED WITH YOUR CHILD'S NAME.** Please do not allow your child to bring electronic devices (no cell phones), which will distract from the summer camp experience. These devices will not be allowed to stay with your camper and will be kept by the Camp Director until checkout. Card games, board games or other interactive games are encouraged.
  
- **Check out is from 10am-11am on Saturday.**
  
- **Trading Post-** We operate a Trading Post every night after dinner where campers may purchase a drink and snack. The money is collected as part of your online registration OR at check-in. All of the following are optional:
  1. Drinks & snacks \$12 for one-week sessions or \$26 for two-week sessions
  2. Camp T-shirt-100% cotton- \$10
  3. Group photo \$8This money will be kept in an account so that campers do not have to keep money with them while at camp. We also sell lightweight backpacks, hats, visors, decals, carabineer key chains and water bottles. You may make purchases of these items during Check-in and Checkout.

- **Homesickness**- When we notice a camper is homesick, the staff concentrates on the needs of that camper and we are usually successful. If the camper still cannot gain control of their emotions after every attempt has been made to listen to and reassure him/her, we will contact you. We will do everything we can to ensure that your child has a terrific time at Camp.
- **Mail** All campers like to receive encouraging letters from home. Please include your child's name and cabin #. All campers are encouraged to write home during camp. You will be of tremendous help to your child if you will include in his/her belongings, paper and self-addressed/stamped envelopes or postcards. Please remember that it usually takes a couple of days for campers to feel comfortable in their new surroundings. If you receive a letter that sounds less than cheerful, it is likely that by the time you receive it, your child will be having the time of their lives!

Recommended Carrier for letters & packages: United States Postal Service

**Camp Y.I.**

**Campers' Name**

**Cabin #** (if known)

**P.O. Box 486** (must be used in order for the mail to reach us, please do not use the street address)

**LaVergne, TN 37086**

At check-in you may leave mail for the week for the staff to place in your camper's mailbox. When sending packages we respectfully request that you do not send candy or food as this attracts the wildlife and can cause real concern for the campers and staff. We offer Trading Post every night and we strive to offer well-balanced, nutritious yet camper friendly meals. If you need to bring your camper a water bottle, pillow, fan or other items, please call the Camp Office to schedule a drop off time.

**Photos**

- Posted two or three times per week on our website [www.campyi.org](http://www.campyi.org) in our **Photo Gallery**
- Throughout the day on **Instagram** [#camp\\_yi](#) and [#mycampyifriends](#)
- Like our **Facebook Page**: [Camp Y.I.](#) for photos, news and announcements year round

**Youth Incorporated Policies:**

- **Alcohol drugs and weapons**; Youth Incorporated maintains a zero tolerance for; possession and/or use of alcohol, illegal drugs and/or weapons (including knives), abuse and/or harassment of campers or staff. If a camper violates any of the above policies, the parents will be notified and the camper will be required to leave Camp Y.I. premises.
- **Vehicles and Animals**; Campers are not allowed to bring vehicles nor animals to Camp. Campers are not allowed to operate vehicles while at camp nor be a passenger in any vehicle other than for emergency purposes.
- **Personal Property Policy**: Campers are not allowed to bring personal sports equipment other than the following: Lifejacket-must be PFD approved, horseback riding helmet, Frisbee, football, soccer ball. We provide Foursquare and Basketballs for use during camp.
- **Visitation policy**: One of the most important aspects of the camp experience is practicing independence skills. Although this can be challenging for parents, we ask you to respect our no visitation policy. If you would like to check on your camper, please feel free to call the Camp Office 615-459-3971.

**Camp Y.I.**  
**599 Jones Mill Rd**  
**PO Box 486**  
**LaVergne, TN 37086**  
**615-459-3971**  
**Camp Director**  
**Kim Hutchison**

**Youth Incorporated-Main Office**  
**4117 Hillsboro Pike**  
**Suite 103-256**  
**Nashville, TN 37215**  
**615-865-0003**  
**Executive Director**  
**Andy Lyon**

**Please read the directions below since some GPS' do not have the correct information once you are on Jones Mill Rd. Remember to travel 4.3 miles on Jones Mill to our front gate. Do not turn left on Old Jones Mill Rd.**

### **Directions**

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599 Jones Mill Rd  
LaVergne, TN 37086  
615-459-3971 Camp Office  
615-504-5419 Camp Director Cell

Please note that some GPS instruct you to turn left onto OLD JONES MILL RD. **This is incorrect! Once you turn onto Jones Mill Rd from Fergus, travel 4.3 miles to the END OF THE ROAD, ¼ mile PAST Poole Knobs Campground Area.** The last ¼ mile is ONE lane-please drive slowly.

- **From Nashville:** I-24 East, Exit 64, Waldron Rd/LaVergne. Turn right and travel 2 ½ miles to Murfreesboro Rd., turn right onto Murfreesboro Rd. and travel 2 ½ miles to traffic light @ Fergus Rd. (just past Walmart) turn left and travel 8/10(.8) of a mile to Jones Mill Rd., turn right and follow 4.3 miles to the end of the road past Poole Knobs Campground.
- **From Murfreesboro:** I-24 West to Sam Ridley Pkwy, Smyrna, Exit 66, there is only one exit coming from this direction. Travel 2 ½ miles to the LaVergne/Smyrna Exit (exit ramp is immediately after you cross over Murfreesboro Rd/ HWY 41). If you pass the Smyrna Airport you have gone too far. At Murfreesboro Rd (HWY 41) yield right toward LaVergne, travel 1.5 miles to the traffic light at Fergus Rd. (Exxon Station on the corner) turn right, travel 8/10 (.8)of a mile to Jones Mill Rd., turn right and follow 4.3 miles to the end of the road past Poole Knobs Campground.
- **From Lebanon:** I-40 West toward NASHVILLE. (0.94 miles), Merge onto TN-840 W via EXIT 235 toward MURFREESBORO. (15.84 miles), Take the TN-266 exit- EXIT 61- toward SMYRNA. (0.38 miles), Turn RIGHT onto W JEFFERSON PIKE/TN-266. (3.65 miles), Turn RIGHT onto SAM RIDLEY PKWY E/TN-266. (2.10 miles) Merge right onto US-41 N/US-70S W/TN-1 W (Murfreesboro Rd.) toward LAVERGNE. Travel 1.5 miles to the traffic light at Fergus Rd. (Exxon Station on the corner) turn right, travel 8/10 (.8) of a mile to Jones Mill Rd., turn right and travel 4.3 miles to the end of the road past Poole Knobs Campground.
- **From Franklin:** I-840 toward Murfreesboro. Exit onto I-24 West toward Sam Ridley Pkwy Exit, take Smyrna Exit 66, there is only one exit coming from this direction. Travel approximately 2 ½ miles to the La Vergne/Smyrna Exit (exit ramp is immediately after you cross over Murfreesboro Rd). If you pass the Smyrna Airport you have gone too far. At Murfreesboro Rd (HWY 41) yield right toward LaVergne, travel 1.5 miles to the traffic light at Fergus Rd. (Exxon Station on the corner) turn right, travel 8/10 (.8) of a mile to Jones Mill Rd., turn right and travel 4.3 miles to the end of the road past Poole Knobs Campground.
- **From Brentwood:** Take Concord Rd. to the end at Nolensville Rd, turn right on Nolensville Rd., travel approx. ½ mile and turn left on Burkett Rd, travel several miles (you will cross over I-24) turn right onto Murfreesboro Rd., travel 4 miles through LaVergne, turn left on Fergus Rd (traffic light after Walmart) travel 8/10 (.8) of a mile, turn right on Jones Mill Rd. and travel 4.3 miles to the end of the road past Poole Knobs Campground.