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2014 Y OVERNIGHT CAMP



CAMP HASHAWHA

WELCOME TO THE ULTIMATE OVERNIGHT CAMP

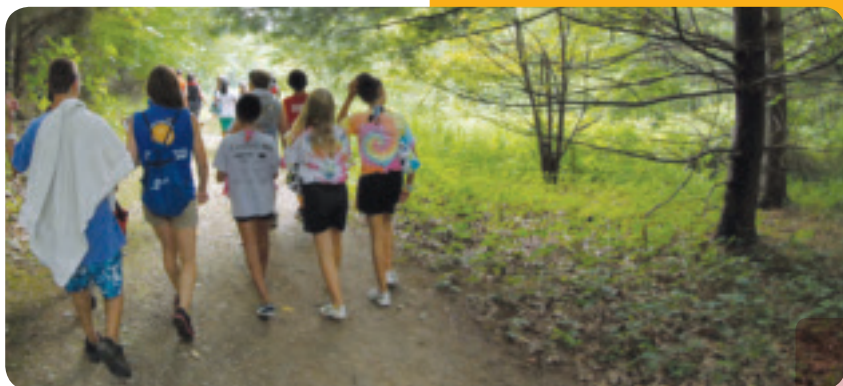
Overnight camp at Y Camp Hashawha is the perfect quality overnight camp experience, and affordable too! There's no better way to truly experience nature at its best while discovering new things about yourself, meeting new people, and broadening your horizons beyond your neighborhood or school.

SAVE ON Y CAMPS

You won't find another quality overnight camp in Central Maryland as affordably priced as Camp Hashawha! **Visit ymaryland.org regularly for our latest camp promotions and find out how you can save big on top of our already low rates!**

THE EXPERIENCE CAMP HASHAWHA TRADITIONS

We hold several Camp Hashawha traditions near and dear to our hearts; traditions that keep campers engaged and coming back for more year after year! Even eating lunch can be an adventure with the Lunchtime Crazies! We don't just hike at Camp Hashawha, we MUD HIKE, and yes—you will LOVE IT (just ask any past camp hashawhaonian)! Have you ever heard of the saying, "It's S'more fun at the Y"? Just join in on one of our special camp fires and you'll find out why! Dance parties, talent shows, and other traditions make Camp Hashawha a non-stop good time!



WEEKLY THEMES

Every week at Camp Hashawha reveals a new adventure!

JUNE 30 – JULY 4

Party Like a Y Star

Enjoy endless fun during the day and party like a Y star at night! Every evening will include festivities like talent shows, camp fires and dancing!



JULY 7 – JULY 11

Mud, Sweat, and Glory

Each cabin is transformed into a country that competes for glory in the Hashawha Summer Games! Participate in the “parade of nations,” relays, and a camp-wide marathon, as well as non-traditional sports like toilet seat discus and cannon ball plunge!

JULY 21 – JULY 25

Superhero All-Stars

Find your inner superhero and help the camp defeat Captain Chaos! Showcase your super powers and costume at the Superhero Talent Show. Show your superhero strength on the challenge course.

AUGUST 4 – AUGUST 8

Myths and Legends

Travel back to medieval times and help the Blue Knights defend the Kingdom of Hashawha! Defeat the evil Silver Knight and save the princess. Compete in medieval adventures such as jousting and participate in a knighting ceremony.

AUGUST 11 – AUGUST 15

Survivor Reunion Week

Make new friends or reunite with old ones! Cabin teams will join forces to win the Survivor Challenges. Create a tribal flag and participate in survivor-themed activities like fire building, capture the flag, tribal dance, and more! New this year—our Survivor Twilight Night Hike!



SPECIAL ADD-ONS

Every day at Camp Hashawha is jam-packed with great activities, fun games and learning opportunities! But now you can tailor your week to include the activities you love most! Just add-on one of our focused activity stations for an additional \$30/week:

DRAMA

Learn techniques and skills to create your own variety show of songs, dances, and skits. Perform at the camp talent show and for parents!

STEM (science, technology, engineering, math)

Build a balloon rocket. Engineer a boat. Design a flinker (an object that neither sinks nor floats) and more!

ARCHERY

Channel your inner Katniss from *The Hunger Games*, or Hawkeye from *Avengers*! Learn archery safety and technique as you practice on a variety of targets.

ACTIVITIES AND AMENITIES

Every week, overnight campers may experience the following:

- ▶ Archery
- ▶ Camp Fires
- ▶ Canoeing
- ▶ Crafts
- ▶ Environmental Education
- ▶ Fishing
- ▶ Hikes (including the famous mud hike)
- ▶ Low Ropes Course
- ▶ Talent shows
- ▶ Sports
- ▶ Swimming
- ▶ Team Building Activities
- ▶ Dance Parties
- ▶ Tons of Games

**Gone are the days
of old wooden cabins
and outhouses!**

YOU CAMP IN STYLE AT CAMP HASHAWHA!

- ▶ Modern cabins with comfortable twin bunk beds
- ▶ Clean shower and toilet facilities
- ▶ Spacious dining hall to get your grub on
- ▶ Outdoor pavilions for fun in the shade
- ▶ Luscious green sports fields for fun in the sun
- ▶ Beautiful Lake Hashawha
- ▶ Nature center and conservatory
- ▶ Hiking trails
- ▶ Outdoor pool

MEALS

**They come for the experience,
they stay for the food! Campers
do not need to bring food.
We provide three fantastic meals
and snacks every day!**

Breakfast: French toast, fruit, sausage, pancakes, milk, juice, bacon, cereal, yogurt, scrambled eggs, and more.

Lunch/Dinner: Fajitas, nachos, hamburgers, hot dogs, meatball subs, chicken tenders, tacos, salad, veggies, and more.

Every effort will be made to accommodate special dietary needs.

SAFETY:

All activities are designed with safety in mind. All Y staff are CPR and First Aid certified.

DROP-OFF/PICK-UP/ TRANSPORTATION:

Camp Hashawha

Campers can be dropped off at Camp Hashawha on day 1 at 9:00am and picked up on the last day by 11:00am.

Hill Family Center Y

Campers can be dropped off at the Hill Family Center Y on day 1 between 7am–10am and picked up on the last day by 6pm.

Transportation is provided to and from Camp Hashawha free of charge!

Other Y Centers

The Dancel, Parkville, Ward and Greater Annapolis Family Center Y will provide transportation to and from Camp Hashawha. Fees are \$20 each way per child, per week and are non-refundable and non-transferable. All pick up times vary on July 4th. See ymaryland.org.



CAMP HASHAWHA OVERVIEW AND FEES

LOCATION: Hashawha Center

300 John Owings Road
Westminster, MD 21158

AGES: 8–15

SESSIONS:

Date	Theme
6/30–7/4	Party Like a Y Star
7/7–7/11	Mud, Sweat, and Glory
7/21–7/25	Super Hero All-Stars
8/4–8/8	Myths and Legends
8/11–8/15	Survivor Reunion Week

CAMP HASHAWHA FEES

Family Member	Youth Member	Open Rate
\$347/wk	\$384/wk	\$394/wk

SPECIAL ADD-ONS FEES:

\$30 per week, per camper
Drama • STEM • Archery

TRANSPORTATION FEES:

Non-refundable, non-transferable

**Transportation to/from
Camp Hashawha is available
at the following Y locations:**

Hill Family Center Y: Free
Dancel, Parkville, Ward and
Greater Annapolis Family Center Y:
\$20 each way per child, per week



The Y's **NEW** Online Camp Registration Process

Registration for the 2014 Y camp season is going on now! Online registration tips and instructions can be found at ymaryland.org. Should you need assistance with your online registration, please contact your nearest Y center. Y front desk staff is available to answer any questions. Anyone with special financial considerations must contact Y Customer Billing at billing@ymaryland.org or call 443-322-8000 for help.

Registration is
**ONLY AVAILABLE
ONLINE**
at ymaryland.org/camps
(click the **REGISTER**
button). Discounts are
now available online!

ADVANTAGES OF THE NEW ONLINE REGISTRATION SYSTEM

- ▶ Less paperwork to complete
- ▶ No standing in long lines
- ▶ Easy access to view the camp locations and weeks your camper is signed up for
- ▶ Sibling discounts and promotions are now available online*
- ▶ Pay camp balances online
- ▶ Print your own receipts and tax information



*See Sibling Discount and Promotion section on page 9 for specifics.

Important Information to Create Your Account

- ▶ **Advantages of Membership:** To receive discounts on camp fees, membership must be active at the time of registration and throughout the camp season. If a membership is purchased after registration, the member rate cannot be applied. For family membership holders, the membership must be in the name of the parent/guardian registering the child.
- ▶ **Facility Access Number (found on membership keytag):** If you have a family membership, you will need to enter the parent/guardian facility access number AND each child's number. If you have a youth membership, you will only need to enter the facility access number for each child. Membership keytags can be obtained at any Family Center Y.
- ▶ To create your account, go to ymaryland.org/camps, click on the REGISTER button, click on CREATE AN ACCOUNT, and follow the prompts.

Important Information to Register and Create Camper File(s)

- ▶ Once your account is created, it's time to develop your camper file(s).
- ▶ Make your camp selection and add your first week to your shopping cart. Choose only one week per camper and follow the prompts to complete and pay for this initial week. This initial registration will save your camper's information, eliminating the need for you to re-enter the information each time you add additional camp weeks.
(If you choose multiple weeks for your camper during the initial registration, you will have to re-enter their information for each of the weeks).
- ▶ Complete your initial registration and payment (including any promo codes) by paying in full or via payment plan options.
- ▶ Now that your initial registration and camper information have been saved, additional weeks of camp may be added.
- ▶ At the time of registration, information such as phone numbers, emergency contacts, tetanus shot date (month/day/year), medications, and allergies will be necessary.

Sibling Discounts and Promotions

You will be able to process sibling discounts and promotion codes when the registration and camper file creation directions are followed. These discounts only work ONCE per transaction. Registering each camper in the family for one week at a time is the best way to optimize this process and get the best savings.

For Example you Should:

Register one or more children at the same time for week 2 of camp.

For Example you Should Not:

Register one or more children for weeks 2, 3, and 5 at the same time.

(Discounts will only apply once and not for three weeks.)

Helpful Hints and Reminders

- ▶ Phone numbers can be entered more than once.
- ▶ Tetanus shots must be entered as month/day/year. If the day is unknown, you may use the 1st of the month.
- ▶ Provide an email address that you will check frequently as this will be our main form of communication with you regarding your account and camp information.
- ▶ You can search for camps/programs without logging in or creating an account.
- ▶ You can add camps or programs to your account wish list and register later. Wish lists do not reserve your space.
- ▶ Remember to visit ymaryland.org for FAQs and to download forms, manuals, and agreements.
- ▶ Many forms are now completed online, however you will need to go to ymaryland.org to download and submit the All About Me, All About My Camper and Immunization forms (all required forms for participation in overnight camp).



GENERAL INFORMATION

Registration Fee

One-time fee of \$35 per camper. This fee is non-refundable and non-transferable.

(Registration fees for overnight camp and traditional Y day camp are separate.)

Sibling Discounts

A \$10/week fee reduction is available for each additional child when registered for the same weeks of camp. Discounts are available online.

Deposits and Balances

A non-refundable \$25 per week/per camper deposit is required for all camps and is applied to the total weekly camp fee. Even when camp is paid in full, \$25 per week is considered a non-refundable deposit. (Not subject to sibling discount.) The balance of all weekly camp fees is due two weeks prior to the start of that week of camp. See payment schedule in the Camp/Overnight Parent Manuals. If balance isn't received, the camper will not be allowed to attend and the slot will be reassigned.

Financial Assistance

Financial assistance is available. Apply early as funding may be limited. Applications are available online at ymaryland.org. Discounts and promotions do not apply in conjunction with financial assistance.

Paperwork & Camp/Overnight Parent Manuals

All forms are available online at ymaryland.org. Campers are not considered fully registered until all information is received. Campers may be removed from the roster or not admitted to camp if paperwork is incomplete, including medication, allergy emergency form and immunizations. The Camp/Overnight Parent Manuals contain important information you need to know prior to your child's first day of camp. Manuals are available for download at ymaryland.org.



Cancellation Policy

All changes and cancellations must be made in writing and include the dates of the weeks and a description of the request. All requests must be submitted to the Billing Office either via fax at 410-779-9426, or by email to billing@ymaryland.org. Registration fees are non-refundable and non-transferable. If a camp week is cancelled the Friday before payment is due, the deposit will be left as a credit (less a \$5 per week/per child processing fee) on your account for one year and any balance paid will be refunded. Cancellations made after the Friday before payment is due will not be accepted; all fees are non-refundable. For more information please review the financial policy in the Camp Parent Manual and Camp Agreement.



To Register

ONLINE

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Camp Fairs

Join us on March 2nd from 11am-2pm, for the Maple & Sugar Festival at Camp Hashawha! This is a great opportunity to see the camp grounds, meet Y staff and ask those burning questions! Be sure to visit ymaryland.org for a list of other camp fairs the Y is participating in.

For more information on the Hashawha Center, go to <http://ccgoverment.carr.org/ccg/recpark/hashawha/>

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