

WAYNESBORO AREA YMCA MIDDLE SCHOOL ENGAGEMENT

Welcome to the YMCA's Middle School Engagement program (MSE) for the 2025–2026 school year! The BASC Program incorporates the values of caring, honesty, respect and responsibility into practice through programs that build healthy spirit, mind, and body for all. We believe that these values give a solid foundation for children to play, thrive and succeed. This program is proudly supported through the generous funding of the United Way of Franklin County. This letter is to address some important items in advance of that hectic first day of school and we look forward to your child's participation in our MSE program.

The Waynesboro Area Middle School Engagement Program will start on the first day of school, August 19th. It runs after school, following the 2:30 PM dismissal and ending at 5:30 PM.

Program Highlights:

- Nutritious after-school snacks
- Creative arts and crafts opportunities
- Engaging classroom-based activities
- Fun and interactive table card/board games
- Educational information from community partners
- Technology lab will offer computer and gaming opportunities
- Teen intramural activities (advance registration required) Ping Pong, Air Hockey, Corn Hole, Indoor Mini Golf, Outdoor Frisbee Golf, Jazzminton (the latest craze), Pickleball, Volleyball, Dodgeball and Foosball.

Things to Do BEFORE School Starts & participation in MSE:

- Complete all required paperwork.
- Emergency Form—(CY 867) This form must be <u>Completely</u> Filled out by a parent & list N/A when appropriate. (ALL SPACES MUST HAVE SOMETHING WRITTEN IN THEM)

Important reminders Regarding Change of Care Plans:

- If you registered for this program, but decide not to participate before public school commences, you MUST UNENROLL IN WRITING IN ORDER TO AVOID BEING REPONSIBLE FOR YOUR BILLING.
- If you wish to unenroll any time after August 19, 2025 you must UNENROLL IN WRITING BY GIVING A 2-WEEK NOTICE. Monthly Billing will continue unless you submit your WRITTEN request to the director.

Our MSE Staff are experienced childcare providers with background checks, CPR/First Aid training and annual training.

BASC enrollment packets are available at the YMCA Front Desk, and are on the website at waynesboroymca.org or call 717-762-6012 ext. 107 and request a packet. The packet contains forms which need to be completed in full. Teens cannot be enrolled until all forms are completed and returned, except for the Child Health Report. A \$30 non-refundable registration fee is required at the time of enrollment and charges begin 2 weeks in advance of the program beginning. **Try the first 2 weeks (9/19-29) for FREE!

If you have any questions about billing or the draft, please contact Amy Donald or Rhonda Fulmor. If you have any other questions about the program operations, policies, or procedures, please call the Youth Development department at 717–762–6012 ext. 107.

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