# Becket-Chimney Corners YMCA 2025 ENROLLMENT GUIDE

## Camp Becket and Chimney Corners Camp Programs (Finishing 2nd - 9th grade)

**Enrollment Process:** Enrollment for our 2025 season will open on **July 19, 2024**. We strongly encourage returning campers to apply for next summer on closing day. As a convenience, a **Quick Registration Application** will be available at check-out locations. Families are also welcome to register via their Ultracamp account by logging in here: <u>Camp Account.</u>

**All returning campers and sibling registrations received before September 1st will be given priority enrollment**. Registrations will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. On September 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025, the registration process will be open to all, and programs will be enrolled on a first-come, first-served basis. To complete the enrollment process, the following steps must be taken:

- Completion of a **Quick Registration** or **Online Registration**.
- Selection of the **Tiered Price Level** you require or an indication that you intend to apply for Financial Aid. Financial Aid applications must be started at the time of registration and must be completed within 30 days. Once financial aid has been awarded, you will be required to submit a deposit to hold the space.
- A \$500 deposit. Space cannot be held without a deposit. The deposit becomes non-refundable 10 business days after enrollment. If a family applies for financial aid, a reduced deposit of \$150 is required. Families must apply for financial aid within 30 days of enrollment to qualify for the reduced deposit amount.
- The selection of a payment plan and method of payment for future payments. (See payment options listed below).

**Tuition Due Dates:** 50% of tuition is due by February 1, 2025, and the remaining 50% is due by April 1, 2025.

**Payment Plans:** A payment plan must be selected and scheduled with a form of payment at the time of enrollment. We strongly recommend setting up a monthly payment plan; however, you may choose from the following payment plans:

- Pay in full at the time of enrollment.
- **Monthly Payment Plan** Pay the deposit now. Monthly payments will be automatically charged to your credit card or ACH account on file in your camp account on the 3rd of the following month until the balance is paid in full on April 1, 2025.
- **Payment in full February 1** Pay deposit now The remaining balance will be charged to your credit card or ACH account on February 1, 2025.
- Payment in 2 installments Pay deposit now The remaining balance will be charged to your credit card or ACH account in 2 installments: February 1 and April 1, 2025
- **Applying for Aid Tier 5** Pay deposit now only to be chosen by those applying to SSS for financial aid. The application must be completed within 30 days.

**Financial Aid:** Financial Aid applications for Summer 2025 will open on **September 1**. If you are applying for financial aid for 2025, please go to <u>SSS Family Portal</u> to begin this process. Please be prepared to pay a non-refundable processing fee. Financial Aid will be awarded on a first-come, first-served basis until funds are depleted.

**Refund Policy:** 10 business days after enrollment, the deposit becomes non-refundable. If you cancel before February 1, any tuition above your \$500 non-refundable deposit will be refunded. After February 1, 50% of the tuition becomes non-refundable and non-transferable, and the full tuition becomes non-refundable and non-transferable after April 1, 2025. If your child leaves the program early for any reason (voluntary or not), there will be no refund of tuition.

### **Travel and Service Programs (TSP) (Finishing 10th grade)**

Admission to all Travel and Service Programs is limited and based on demonstrated leadership potential, past camp experience, good health, maturity, successful cooperation with others, willingness to serve others, attitude, ability to meet registration/application deadlines, and the desire to experience and understand other cultures. **Only the most mature, responsible teens should apply.** Participation in Travel & Service Programs requires full attendance unless authorized by the Director.

#### **Enrollment Process:**

**Step 1**: Register your participant for the Travel and Service Program through <u>UltraCamp</u>. There is no deposit due for the initial application. Once registered, the **TSP Participant Application** will be available in UltraCamp.

**Step 2:** To be considered for the Travel and Service Program, the participant must complete the **TSP Participant Application** by **October 1, 2024**. The application will ask each applicant to select their top destinations and note dates of availability for the following summer. Applicants are encouraged to select all destinations that they would consider participating in. Only destinations for which there is sufficient interest will be offered.

**Notification of Acceptance to the Travel and Service Program** will be sent in November. At this time, participants will be assigned to a destination with tentative dates. On acceptance to a Travel and Service Program, participants will be asked to sign a Travel & Service Program Participant agreement, update payment information in Ultracamp, and pay a \$500 non-refundable deposit no later than **December 2, 2024**. Travel and Service Program participants will follow the same deadline for payments as listed above for the resident camp program. The final dates will be sent in January.

Please note that this is a selective application process, and **not all applicants will be accepted to the program**. We are looking for participants who have demonstrated leadership potential, good health, maturity, successful cooperation with others, willingness to serve others, and the ability to meet registration/ application deadlines.

## Aides Program (Finishing 11th Grade)

Admission to the Aides Program is limited and based on demonstrated leadership potential, past camp experience, a reputation for high moral character, successful cooperation with others, willingness to serve others, attitude, and the ability to meet registration/application deadlines. Applicants must also have the physical and mental resilience necessary to meet the demands of the program. We anticipate that for this 2025 Aide process, there will be more applicants than we have space for in our programs. Applications received after October 1, 2024, will only be considered if spaces are available in the program. Notification of the results of the selection process will be sent out in **November**.

#### **Enrollment Process:**

**Step 1**: Register your participant for the Aides Program and complete the **2025 Becket-Chimney Corners Aides Initial Application** (this should be completed by a parent or guardian through your family <a href="UltraCamp Account">UltraCamp Account</a>). This registration must be completed for your child to fully complete the application process. There is no deposit due for the initial application.

**Step 2:** The applicant must complete the <u>2025 Aides Participant Application</u>. The application is a <u>Google Form</u>, so the applicant may complete it at any time before October 1, 2024 and does not need to wait for the parent/guardian to complete the initial application.