

Day Camp Site Phone Number 808-271-6354

Spring Day Camp Staff

Site Coordinators

Ms. Lena (AM)

Ms. Elizabeth (PM)

Ms. Taby Youth Director

Ms. Jessica

Program Hours

Monday-Friday

7am-5:30pm

Drive Through DROP-OFF:

7am-8am

(Monday-Thursday)

Drive Through Pick-Up: 4:00pm-5:30pm

Fri 03/21- There will be no drive through drop off. Walk in and participate in voting for our Spring Project **Contest. Winning participants** will receive prizes.

Heroic Journey

This week we will be focusing on identity, a heavy focus will be on the question of "Who am **I?**"

HAWAIIAN WORD OF THE WEEK 'Ano (Ah-noh) - Identity

Ho'omaika'i (Ho-oh-my-kah-ee) - Appreciation



Mililani Y Spring Day Camp Newsletter March 17-21, 2025 Theme: Spring, Flowers, & Harvest

ALOHA

Welcome to Spring Day Camp, we are so glad to have your child(ren) in our program! Spring is when many things begin to grow and bloom, like flowers, vegetables, herbs, and sprouts. Participants will learn about agriculture and how it also relates to human beings. We will focus on how to be the best versions of ourselves through growing, learning, and cultivating. They will participate in fun activities such as reading, arts and crafts, S.T.E.A.M., and outdoor activities.

Parent Engagement!

On Friday, March 21, there will be NO DRIVE-THRU DROP OFF. Instead, parents/guardians will be asked to walk in and vote on our Spring Project Contest. Participants will be coloring/painting a beautiful picture of a tree blooming in the springtime. Parents will vote on creativity, coloring ability, and overall beauty. The vote will determine our prize winners.

MARI'S GARDEN EXCURSION- THURSDAY MARCH 20, 2025

All Day Camp participants will be going to Mari's Garden, here in Mililani on Thursday, March 20th. Participants will partake in many fun gardening activities. All participants will need to dress comfortably with covered-toe shoes and sunscreen. Participants should bring a reusable water bottle and a sack lunch. Participants need to be at the Y by 8:15am, buses will depart promptly. We will arrive back at the Mililani Y by 12:30pm.

ACTIVITY SCHEDULE				
Monday March 17	Tuesday March 18	Wednesday March 19	Thursday March 20	Friday March 21
Welcome Assembly Spark: Obstacle Course Spring Project Contest	Kidz Lit: "The Vegetables We Eat" Leader's Choice	Food & Fun: Edible Soil Layered Dirt Cups Leader's Choice	Mari's Garden Excursion Arrive at Y by 8:15am	Parent Engagement: Voting on Spring Project Contest S.T.E.A.M Marshmallow Spring Challenge Leader's Choice
Curriculum: Color by Number/Spring Word Search Arts & Crafts: Popsicle Scarecrow Spring Project Contest	Group 1 Swim S.T.E.A.M Coffee Filter Flowers Leader's Choice	Group 2 Swim Mental Wellness: Heroic Journey & Hawaiian Words Y360 Dance	Group 3 Swim Return to YMCA by 12:30pm Spring Project Contest Arts & Crafts: Paper Plate Garden	Group 4 Swim Kid's Choice Leader's Choice

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- DROP-OFF: 7am- 8am and PICK-UP: 4:00pm-5:30pm- If you will be dropping off your child(ren) outside of the times listed above, please notify us at 808-271-6354. It is vital for our attendance. Call us by 8am if your child will be absent
- Notify Day Camp staff immediately if you will be late. A \$15 late fee will be charged for the first 5 minutes past the pick-up time and \$1 a minute thereafter. Repeated late pick-ups may result in termination from the program. 100% ID CHECKS—For safety purposes,
- please have your ID or dashboard sign ready to present when picking up your child(ren).
- Pack two snacks—one for the morning and one for the afternoon. We are a nut-free program; please do not pack snacks containing nuts.
- Please send your child(ren) with a reusable water bottle.

Parent Engagement Event **Spring Project Contest Votina** When: Fri, March 21 7am-10am Where: Wall to the right of Welcome Center Who can participate: All participants and their parents/guardians

SNACK & LUNCH

Snack (Please provide AM & PM Snacks)

Participants will have two snack times, one in the morning and one in the afternoon. Please provide enough snacks for both times and remind child(ren) to save a snack for PM.

- AM Snack(s)
- PM Snack(s) •
- NO PEANUTS
- NO PEANUT BUTTER





Lunch

Please provide your child with Lunch DAILY!

Please send your child with a reusable water bottle every dav.

ACTIVITY SUPPLIES

Please provide the following supplies in a bag with your child daily.

- Pencil/Crayons/Markers
- Eraser
- Scissors
- Glue





SWIM DAYS

Please make sure your child has the following for their swim day. Swim schedule is on the activity calendar on this newsletter. GARDEN

- Swimwear or clothes to get wet in Sunscreen
- Towel
- Hair tie if hair is shoulder length or longer •
- **Change of clothes** •
- Slippers .
- Extra bag for wet clothes •



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Arrive at Y by: 8:15 (Buses will leave promptly!) Return to the Y by: **12:30pm**

Items to bring:

Attire: Comfortable clothing and covered-toe shoes

- Sunscreen
- **Reusable Water Bottle**
- Sack Lunch





PROMOTIONS

FREE CAMP COMMUNITY DAY, SAT, MAR 29. Enjoy camp activities at Camp Erdman Get free tickets.



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FREE HEALTHY KIDS DAY, SAT, APR 26. Enjoy family activities, games & more at all Y locations. Get free tickets.



Y FAMILY MEMBERS SAVE UP TO 20%: Camps, Programs, Swim Lessons. Join today & save \$99!

FREE OR DISCOUNTED Y Membership thru your Health Insurance. Learn more.



ANNUAL CAMPAIGN -Donate Today. Supports financial aid to ensure all have access to Y programs & services. Watch our video and learn more.

\$1 SAVES YOUR CAMP ERDMAN SUMMER 2025 OVERNIGHT CAMP WEEK SPOT



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Summer 2025 day, specialty, overnight camps Registration \$50 Saves your spot for packages! Summer teen programs are free!



EARLY LEARNING & PRESCHOOL -NEW LOCATIONS: 2-5 YR OLD

FINANCIAL AID: PROGRAMS, CAMPS, MEMBERSHIP bit.ly/YMCAAid

SWIM LESSON REGISTRATION OPENS MAR 3 @8:30AM April-May 2025 Session

ALL-INCLUSIVE CAMP **ERDMAN FAMILY** STAYCATIONS Private cabins, all-included-Meals & Activities

BEACHFRONT YURT AND CABIN RENTALS KAMAAINA SPECIAL Starts at \$165/per night ٠

Bring your own food

FREE AFTERSCHOOL Y TEEN CLUB Grades: 6th - 12th Afterschool & some weekends.



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