



**FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT  
FOR HEALTHY LIVING  
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY**

# 2011-2012 Rutherford School Age Childcare, Grades K-8

**Before and After School Programs Make a World of Difference.**

*The Meadowlands Area YMCA*, long noted for providing innovative child care options, has a variety of programs for parents seeking child care for their school age children. The School Age Child Care (SACC) is offered in a safe and exciting environment. All SACC programs are licensed childcare sites by the State of New Jersey, Department of Human Services.



Children are encouraged to participate in various activities including arts and crafts, gym games and board games. The YMCA provides a nutritious after school snack as well as academic assistance by our knowledgeable directors and trained assistants.

Because we know that leaders make the difference, our program has an experienced Child Care Director. Our Site Director and Group Leaders are supervised by the Meadowlands Area YMCA Child Care Director who welcomes any questions that you may have.

Dear Rutherford Parents:

The Meadowlands Area YMCA is proud to be the Provider of the School Age Child Care Program for residents of Rutherford.

The Board of Education will be providing the facilities at the Rutherford Public Schools. The YMCA has been a provider of School Age Child Care (SACC) for over 20 years, Summer Day Camp for over 27 years and a YMCA School Break Clubhouse Program for 18 years.

**To register please complete the enclosed registration form (on back) and send it to the YMCA. If you need assistance regarding registration please call Ext. 26 or Ext. 28.**

The YMCA invites any questions that you may have. Please feel free to call Amelia Griffiths, Child Care Director @ Ext 15 or Assistant Child Care Director, Melissa Irwin-Imbriano @ Ext. 17.

Sincerely,

*Jane A. Egan*

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YMCA Executive Director



### **Eligibility:**

Children in grades K-8 (who reside or attend school in Rutherford).

### **Co-Sponsored By:**

Meadowlands Area YMCA and the Rutherford Board of Education

Registration forms and Parent Packs can be downloaded from our website: [WWW.YMCAinfo.org](http://WWW.YMCAinfo.org)

For your convenience, we are now accepting  
Visa or MasterCard Payments.



### **Flexible Schedules are Available!**

#### **Hours:**

We cover half days that are on the school calendar.

After School, Monday through Friday  
From School Dismissal till 4:30pm, 6:00pm or 6:30pm

Before School, Monday through Friday  
7:00am until school starts

#### **Convenient Location:**

Lincoln, Washington, Pierrepont and Union Schools

Parents may choose the days of the week and time slots that best meet their child care needs. The program operates when the Rutherford Schools are in session and is available immediately after school even on scheduled School Calendar early dismissal days (*with the exception of Pre-K and Kindergarten Intro weeks*); however, if school is in session and is suddenly closed due to inclement weather or for any other reason, **the program will not be open**. The program will begin the first day of school.

#### **Activities:**

The Meadowlands Area Y School Age Child Care programs implement the CATCH model, a physical activity and nutrition education program. Children will practice physical fitness activities and learn about nutrition, physical fitness and healthy habits by participating in our afterschool Child Care program. This program incorporates fitness and nutrition, in a fun, yet educational way to engage children and lead them to healthier lifestyles for the rest of their lives. Healthier children lead to healthier communities, and the Y is working to improve the nation's health and well being, while nurturing the potential of every child and teen



**PAYMENT OPTION!** *Save Your Postage and avoid late fees!* We are offering a payment plan for SACC participants. You can authorize the YMCA to charge your credit/debit card the recurring monthly tuition charge on the scheduled due dates.

**The YMCA School Age Child Care (SACC) offers your children a safe and caring environment after school where they can have fun and complete their homework.**

**SACC is now available in 16 licensed locations in Bergen and Passaic Counties:**

Doyle School, Wood Ridge; McKenzie School, East Rutherford; Maywood Avenue School and Memorial School, Maywood; Jefferson School, Wallington; Carlstadt Public School, Carlstadt; Haskell School, Haskell; Wanaque School, Wanaque; Fairview #3 School, Fairview; Sylvan School, Pierrepont School, Union School, Lincoln School, and Washington School, Rutherford; Eleanor Van Gelder School, Edgewater; H.G. Hewitt School, Ringwood

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