THE BRIDGE TO BELONGING



NOVEMBER AT A GLANCE

November 2-6: Spirit Week
Members are invited to join in Spirit Week to help bring awareness to our Annual Campaign. Please advocate for our Y and share why every donation makes a difference. Together we're helping remove financial barriers so everyone can access Y memberships and programs.
(Themes are listed on the next page.)

November 6: First Friday Family Fun Night
Gather for an evening of trivia, laughter, and friendly competition in the YZone 6:00 – 8:00 pm. This is a free event for YMCA families with memberships.

November 6: Paint & Sip
Unleash your creativity with a glass of sparkling cider in hand. Registration is open until November 5 online and in-house. This event is $40 per person and includes all supplies.

November 20: Parents Night Out
Parents can take the night off while the kids hang at the Y. Five hours of care and dinner are included in this program. Register online or in-house by Thursday, November 12.
Cost per child: $35 members, $52.50 potential members

November 26: Turkey Trot 5K and Gobbler Dash
Run for the challenge, or trot for fun on Thanksgiving Day. Our certified 5k course wraps through our historical Sumter neighborhood while the Gobbler Dash explored the Shot Pouch Creek Path from the Y to Guinard and back.
Regular registration is open online or in-house through November 22
Rates increase $10 on November 23.
Turkey Trot: (ages 6 & up) $30 Gobbler Dash: (ages 6-9) $25

Packet pick up: Wednesday, November 25 – 12:00 pm – 7:00 pm

CONNECTING PEOPLE TO LIFE-CHANGING OPPORTUNITIES

Celebrate with us

Happy birthday to you!

Bill G.
Fidel M.
Oriana P.
Emberly W..
Lyndsi W.
Denise L.
Caron P.
Roslyn T.
Joseph W.
Donald W.

Welcome to the team!

Henry F.
Andre M.
Austin J.
Braxton R.

Noteworthy
Member Code of Conduct and Age Guidelines are available on the Membership page of our website. Contact us if you have any concerns, comments or suggestions.

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YMCA SPIRIT WEEK

Be ready to share your "why" — every donation makes a difference! Together we're helping remove financial barriers so everyone can access Y memberships and programs that nurture children, promote healthy living, and build strong families.

"Connecting increases your influence in every situation."
John C. Maxwell

Fri, Oct 30	Mon, Nov 2	Tues, Nov 3	Wed, Nov 4	Thur, Nov 5	Fri, Nov 6
Festive Friday	Movie Monday	Timewarp Tuesday	What the What? Wednesday	Thirsty Thursday	Fanatic Friday
Halloween Costume Contest*	Dress as your favorite movie or character	Represent your favorite era	Wear something unexpected	Drink from anything but a cup	Show your Y Spirit with Y Gear

SAVE THE DATE – SATURDAY, APRIL 17

The YMCA Leadership Team is hard at work to plan a grand celebration for our 75th year operating summer camp for Sumter's youth.

Reconnect with fellow campers, staff, volunteers, and friends while celebrating the rich history and lasting impact of Camp Mac Boykin. The day will feature opportunities to explore camp, share memories, reconnect with old friends, and honor 75 years of camping traditions that have shaped generations.
Whether camp was part of your life decades ago or just last summer, this is a celebration you won't want to miss.

Save the Date and plan to join us on April 17, 2027, as we celebrate 75 years of Camp Mac Boykin!
More details, registration information, and event highlights will be announced soon.

Stay up to date on the latest news by joining our 75th Celebration mailing list. Just scan the QR code and enter your information.

Share your Camp Mac Boykin memorabilia with us! We're creating a timeline celebrating 75 years of camp memories and building a time capsule to preserve Camp Mac Boykin's legacy for future generations. If you have photos, camp programs, patches, awards, letters, or other memorabilia, we'd love to include them in this special anniversary project.

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Scan the QR Code
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