

YMCA OF THE TREASURE COAST

8TH GRADE MEMBERSHIP

MEMBERSHIP POLICIES & AGREEMENT

YMCA of the Treasure Coast is excited to offer a free YMCA membership to all students in (or entering) 8th grade! The goal of the 8th Grade Membership is to inspire youth to discover their passions, develop a healthy lifestyle, and gain the assets needed to avoid risky behaviors and succeed in school and life.

The membership begins when all paperwork and orientations are completed, and it is valid through the end of the current school year. 8th Grade Membership is subject to all existing membership and program policies, as well as the additional policies contained in this document. Membership may be suspended or revoked if YMCA rules or policies are violated.

MEMBERSHIP PROCESS

To receive a membership, each 8th grader must:

- Visit YMCA of the Treasure Coast with a parent or guardian.
- Present a valid report card indicating the student is currently in 8th grade (or final 7th grade report card).
- Complete the YMCA Membership Application.
- Complete and sign the 8th Grade Membership Agreement (attached).
- Complete a Fitness Center Orientation (to be scheduled at the time of registration).

YMCA FACILITY ACCESS

- 8th Grade Members are permitted in the YMCA facility during regular operating hours, for a maximum of 2 hours at a time.
- 8th grade membership does not include guest passes.
- Membership barcode must be presented and scanned to access the facility. There is a \$5.00 replacement fee for lost cards.
- 8th Grade Members must report directly to the Fitness Center after scanning in to obtain a wristband.
- 8th Grade Members are required to be actively engaged in a fitness activity while at the YMCA.
- Membership hours and activities are subject to change at any time.

TEEN LEADERS CLUB

- 8th Grade Members are encouraged to volunteer at the Y. All 8th Grade Volunteers will be given service-learning opportunities and healthy living information. Volunteer opportunities may vary based on age at the time of the service opportunity.

8th GRADE MEMBERSHIP AGREEMENT

8th Grader's Name (Print): _____

8th Grader's Email Address: _____

8th Grader's Cell Phone: _____

8th Grader's School: _____

Parent/Guardian Name (Print): _____

Parent/Guardian Email Address: _____

Parent/Guardian Cell Phone: _____

By our signature below, the 8th grader and the parent/guardian of the 8th grader understand and agree to abide by the following statements:

- We have received the 8th Grade Initiative Membership Policies and understand that it is our responsibility to follow these policies.
- We understand that the 8th Grade Membership will not be activated until all registration documents have been submitted, and the Fitness Orientation has been completed.
- We understand that the 8th grader must be actively engaged in a fitness activity while at the YMCA.
- We understand that YMCA is not responsible for lost or stolen personal belongings.
- All members are expected to demonstrate YMCA's Four Core Values: Caring, Honesty, Respect and Responsibility. We understand that the 8th Grade Membership may be suspended or revoked, at the discretion of the YMCA, if behaviors occur that endanger others or create an unfavorable atmosphere at the YMCA.
- We understand that the 8th Grade Membership is not a childcare program. YMCA staff and volunteers are not responsible for maintaining child accountability, providing transportation, or in any other way supervising the 8th grader.
- We understand that 8th Grade Members are limited to two (2) hours per day of facility usage, and only during normal operating hours.
- We understand that the 8th grader must scan in at the front desk and check in at the fitness center upon arrival.

8th Grader's Name (printed)

8th Grader's Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Name (printed)

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date