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## CENTRAL CITY YMCA VOLUNTEERS

As the nation's leading nonprofit committed to strengthening communities through youth development, healthy living and social responsibility, the Y believes that everyone must be given the opportunity to be healthy, confident, connected and secure. Camp helps children avoid risky behaviors by engaging in quality supervised Y Day Camp activities with their friends during the summer.

Over \$50,000 in financial assistance was provided for YMCA day camp participation.

Day Camp Vega & Altair  
C.W. Avery  
Family YMCA  
15120 Wallin Dr.  
Plainfield, IL 60544  
815.267.8600

Day Camp Joydaka  
Central City  
YMCA  
c/o 1350 S. Briggs St  
Joliet, IL 60433  
815.726.3939

Central City Camp  
Galowich  
Family YMCA  
749 Houbolt Rd.  
Joliet, IL 60431  
815.744.3939

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c/o 749 Houbolt Rd.  
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FOR HEALTHY LIVING  
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

# BUILDING TOMORROWS LEADERS SUMMER CAMP GREATER JOLIET AREA YMCA



2010

The Greater Joliet Area YMCA has a long standing tradition of providing healthy and safe summer day camp fun since 1952. YMCA counselors instill the Christian character values of caring, honesty, respect, and responsibility through a variety of theme related activities such as arts and crafts, games, camp songs and weekly field trips. Campers end the summer fun with happy memories of establishing new skills and lifelong friendships.

**DAY CAMP VEGA & ALTAIR – C. W. AVERY FAMILY YMCA**



"I like camp because we have fun and it is so awesome that I get to see my friends every single day all summer long!"



Y campers experience great weekly field trips such as Pelican Harbor Water Park, Inwood Ice Skating & Lincoln Park Zoo.

**CAMP JOYDAKA – GALOWICH FAMILY YMCA**



"All of my friends are here, so I like to come."



A variety of Sports Camps are offered such as Baseball, Basketball, Cheerleading, Volleyball, Soccer, Football & Dance.

**MORRIS FAMILY YMCA – HELD AT SARATOGA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**



"My favorite experience this summer was our field trip to USA Skate Center because it is where I learned how to skate."



**Total Sports: 679**  
**Total Day Camp Grades 1-8: 609**  
**Total Preschool: 84**

The 2010 Central City YMCA Summer Day Camp was a safe and healthy environment for 107 kids from Joliet's low income, underserved families. These children would not otherwise have the opportunity to participate without the charitable funding from grants and endowments. The largest camp grant provider is Joliet Township Government.



"My favorite part about camp is the counselors and field trips. The counselors are nice and my favorite thing to do is swim."



- CENTRAL CITY CAMP FACTS:**
- Campsites: Sator Sanchez & Lynne Thigpen Elementary Schools
  - Eight weeks of camp for six hours/day Monday-Friday
  - Average cost to each child for the summer- \$25
  - Free daily nutritious lunches thanks to the State of Illinois
  - Weekly field trips average \$5/child
  - Free T-shirts provided

**TOTAL CHILDREN SERVED IN YMCA CAMPS: 1,372**