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# SPORTS 2018 INFORMATION

LITTLETON FAMILY YMCA

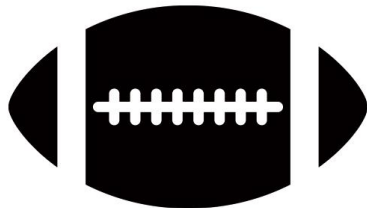


**SPRING SEASON – Mid-March/April through May**  
Registration period for indoor: Mid-January through mid-February  
Registration period for outdoor: Early February through mid-March

- **Baseball Leagues** – Pre-K – Kind divisions (TBall)
- **Basketball Leagues** – 1<sup>st</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> grade divisions
- **Soccer Leagues** – Pre-K - 5<sup>th</sup> grade divisions
- **Volleyball Leagues** – 3<sup>rd</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> grade divisions

**SUMMER SEASON – Mid-June through late July**  
Registration period: Late April through mid-May

- **Baseball Leagues** – Pre-K - 6<sup>th</sup> grade (TBall, Coach Pitch, Modified Player Pitch, & Player Pitch)
- **Basketball Leagues** – 3<sup>rd</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> grade divisions
- **Soccer Leagues** – Pre-K - 5<sup>th</sup> grade divisions
- **Summer Sport Camps** – 4 day camps for a variety of sports. Dates announced in March



**FALL 1 SEASON – Mid-August through early October**  
Registration period: Mid-June through late July

- **Basketball Leagues** – 3<sup>rd</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> grade divisions
- **Soccer Leagues** – Pre-K - 5<sup>th</sup> grade divisions
- **Volleyball Leagues** – 3<sup>rd</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> grade divisions

**FALL 2 SEASON – Mid-October through mid-December**  
Registration period: Late August through late September

- **Basketball Leagues** – Pre-K - 8<sup>th</sup> grade divisions
- **High School Basketball League** – No practices - Games only
- **Volleyball Leagues** – 3<sup>rd</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> grade divisions
- **Winter Holiday Sport Camp** – 3 day basketball camp. Dates announced in September



**WINTER SEASON 2018 – Early January through early March**  
Registration period: Early November through early December

- **Basketball Leagues** – Pre-K - 8<sup>th</sup> grade divisions
- **Adult Basketball League** – No practices – Wednesday games only
- **Volleyball Leagues** – 3<sup>rd</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> grade divisions

\*Prices and specific season dates and registration dates for each season and program will be available at the beginning of the registration period. This information will be available on [www.denverymca.org](http://www.denverymca.org) and also emailed to past participants. Questions? Contact Billy Merryman, Sports Coordinator, at [BMerryman@denverymca.org](mailto:BMerryman@denverymca.org) or 720.283.5010



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### **Volunteer Coaches Needed**

Volunteer coaches are the backbone of the YMCA Sports Program. No coaching experience is necessary, but basic knowledge of the sport is needed. If you are interested, please contact your Athletic Director. Background checks, reference checks and multiple online trainings are required to volunteer.

### **Program Refunds**

Full refunds are available only if requested before the first game. In the instance of hardship, such as injury, a refund amount is determined by the Athletic Director. In the event the YMCA cancels a program, it will be reschedule or a refund or credit will be given. \*\* Allow two weeks for delivery of a refund check. Cash refunds are not available.

### **Financial Assistance is available to those who qualify.**

At the YMCA we want every child to enjoy youth sports. If you are able to help us sustain and increase opportunities for children to participate in our programs, please add an extra amount to your registration fee, make a gift online or visit any front desk to complete a pledge card. Your donation stays local and will help children realize their potential. If you are unable to pay the full cost of Y membership or sports program fees, please apply for assistance by downloading an Open Doors Scholarship Application from our website or visiting your local Y.

### **YMCA Membership**

When you join the YMCA you get more than just access to our facilities and classes but also 40% off sports programs and much more. Visit the front desk at your YMCA for more details on becoming a YMCA member.

### **Combining Leagues**

One or more leagues may be combined with another YMCA branch if we do not receive enough registrations to create at least four teams

## **Program Descriptions**

### **Preschool & Kindergarten Sports**

Our preschool and kindergarten sports programs are designed to introduce young athletes (3-5 year olds) to the basics of their respective sports through games and drills. All preschool programs meet once a week, for forty minutes, and consists of a practice followed by a game. Kindergarten will meet once a week, for one hour, and consists of a practice followed by a game. Programs offered are Little Sluggers TBall, Little Hoopsters Basketball and Kickers Soccer.

### **Baseball**

The baseball program is centered around player skill development based on sportsmanship, teamwork and the fundamentals of the game. Teams will practice once per week and play at least one game per week. Divisions offered are 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> grade coach-pitch, 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> grade modified player pitch and 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> grade player-pitch. All divisions are coed.

### **Basketball**

Offered for first grade through high school age groups, our basketball program focuses on teaching fundamentals, sportsmanship and teamwork through game and drills. Teams practice once a week with the exception of high school, and will play at least one game per week. Leagues are coed until 3<sup>rd</sup> grade, with separate boys and girls divisions after. Divisions offered include 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> grade, 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> grade, 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> grade, 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> grade, and high school.

### **Flag Football**

Our flag football is played 5-on-5 and is designed to help kids learn the rules of the game and the fundamentals through fast-paced games. Sportsmanship, teamwork and having fun are the emphasis. Teams will practice once and play at least one game per week. Coed divisions offered in 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> grade, 3<sup>rd</sup>/5<sup>th</sup> grade.

### **Soccer**

Our soccer program focuses on sportsmanship, teamwork and teaching the basic skills of soccer through games and drills. Levels are divided into, 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> grade and 3<sup>rd</sup>/5<sup>th</sup> grade, and are all coed. Program features one practice per week, and at least one game per week.

### **Volleyball**

This league will focus on teaching players teamwork, sportsmanship and the fundamentals of the game of volleyball. Divisions offered are 3<sup>rd</sup>/5<sup>th</sup> grade and 6<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> grade. All divisions coed, teams will practice once and play at least one match per week.

### **Sports Camps**

We offer a variety of sports camps during the summer and winter breaks, including: basketball, volleyball, baseball, and soccer! Camps are for players of all ability levels. Join the YMCA to learn new skills in a fun, positive environment. Length of camp, times and age groups vary with each camp.

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