



Ages
(4-5)

Little Vikes: A unique introductory camping experience for four and five year old boys and girls. Each day begins and ends at the YMCA. In between, campers are transported by bus to many different parks and places of interest. Our fantastic staff offers safe and healthy outdoor activities and the caring and understanding necessary for the development of a happy, self-confident, and well adjusted child.



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(6-9)

Leif Ericson: In a secure world, a child can run, play, and make new friends. There are horses to ride, campfires to enjoy, and stories to be told. Leif Ericson represents the foundation of the Sioux Falls YMCA camping program. This is a child's world where the spirit moves through the leaves, grasses, and waters of the Big Sioux River. Here the big city becomes an afterthought as campers become connected with the great outdoors.



Ages
(10-14)

Tepeetonka: Designed for the older camper, Tepeetonka is a natural extension of the Leif Ericson experience. It recognizes the changing needs for more adventure, more challenge, and more accomplishment. These experiences become all the more meaningful because they are shared with others. This is a distinctive camping experience that has a reputation of instilling traditional values through the example of a superb staff, inspirational campfire programs, and opening reflections each morning at chapel.

Tepeetonka Leadership Camp: This camp was designed especially for fourteen year olds. These young adults are too old to be considered campers, but too young to be camp staff members. Tepeetonka Leadership Camp or "TLC" will give these young adults the best of both worlds. A fun and adventurous camping experience, mixed with the challenges and responsibilities of being a camp staff member.

Sitter Service (6-14): Before and after the camp day - for Leif Ericson, Tepeetonka, and TLC campers. Sitter service is provided at the YMCA. Hours are 7:15 am - 5:30 pm. Campers are transported to and from camp. Sitter Service fee is an additional \$50.00 per child.

Did you know?

- One out of every six kids in Sioux Falls goes to Y-Camp.
- Campers are placed in small groups; no larger than twelve to a group.
- Camp is located in Central Sioux Falls.
- Lunch is provided daily for Leif Ericson, Tepeetonka, and TLC campers.



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TRANSPORTATION

Little Vikes (4-5 year olds): Parents are responsible for transportation to and from the YMCA each day. Drop off between 7:45 and 8:00 am. Pick up between 12 noon and 12:15 pm at the Scherschligt Family YMCA Play Space.

Leif Ericson/Tepeetonka/TLC (6-14 year olds): Transportation is provided to and from camp daily. The pickup and drop off points are listed below. **Pickup and drop off points must be the same location.**

Bus Pick-Up/Drop-Off Points

YMCA (Sitter Service)	54 th & Lewis Ave.
All Sioux Falls Public Elementary Schools (Please Indicate School Name)	49 th & Spencer Blvd.
St. Mary's School	49 th & Southeastern Dr.
Holy Spirit Catholic Church	Old Orchard & Southeastern
Wild Flower Presbyterian	Shenandoah Tr. & Sycamore
18 th & Sycamore	Apple Tree North (3 rd & Sycamore)
26 th & Montessori	Linwood Wesleyan
Dardanella & Marion Road	CAMPS 1, 3, & 5 ONLY
St. Michael's	Brandon Elementary
26 th & Valleyview	Brandon - Bennis Elementary
32 nd & Sertoma	Brandon - Assam Elementary
46 th & Holbrook	Lake Placid & Dubuque
Gloria Dei Church	Iverson Crossing
49 th & Marion Road	CAMPS 2 & 4 ONLY
53 rd & Louise	Tea Elementary
Sweetbriar & Chicory	Harrisburg Liberty
Lotta & Locust Drive	Harrisburg Explorer
Plum Creek & Tomar	Harrisburg Journey
Central Baptist	West Side Family Wellness
64 th & Tomar	CAMP 5 ONLY
Tomar & Sandpiper Trail	West Central
49 th & Ash Grove	
49 th & Lewis Ave.	

Campers are picked up between 7:30 and 8:25 am. They are dropped off between 4:30 and 5:00 pm. Exact pick-up and drop-off times will be mailed before camp begins. Transportation is not available for Little Vikes Campers.

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