YMCA and the Olympics

In 2012, there will be athletes from 205 countries participating in the Olympics. The YMCA is present in 120 of those countries. Only five sports have been contested at every summer Olympics since 1896: athletics, cycling, fencing, gymnastics and swimming. There will be 26 sports contested and the ones in bold are part of our YMCA programs:

- archery
- badminton
- basketball
- beach volleyball
- boxing
- canoe / kayak
- cycling
- diving
- equestrian
- fencing
- field hockey
- gymnastics
- handball
- judo
- modern pentathlon
- rowing
- sailing
- shooting
- soccer
- swimming
- synchronized swimming
- table tennis
- taekwondo
- tennis
- track and field
- triathlon
- volleyball
- water polo
- weightlifting
- wrestling

The YMCA is one of the largest volunteer organizations in the world serving 45 million people. In the United States, there are 21 million members and half of them are under 18 years old. There are 2,700 Y facilities serving 10,000 communities.

As a member, you get 6 guest passes per year and if your friend joins then we will refill your account.

YMCA Mini-Triathlon on Sat, Sept 15th

For ages 13+: 500 yard swim, 3 mile run and a 10 mile bike ride.

For ages 6 to 12: 200 yard swim and a 1 mile run.