



Green County Family YMCA
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Dear Albany Parents,

The Green County Family YMCA has partnered with the Village of Albany to offer Albany children a fun and convenient way to stay physically active while teaching them the lifelong skill of swimming. The valuable skill of learning to swim and water safety could save your child's life someday.

The seven week program runs Wednesday's Sept 13th – Oct 25th. The last day of lessons we invite the parents to come to watch the great progress their children have made throughout the seven weeks. This program is for children in grades 4K-5. The program includes a free swim time and a 45 minute swim lesson beginning at 4:00pm. Families interested in enrolling their children in this program can do so at the Village Hall office from now through September 11th. Cost of the program is \$28.00 for YMCA members and \$56.00 for non-members. The children participating in the program will be bused from the school to the YMCA at 3:15 pm, and then returned to the school around 5:10 pm. The YMCA Annual Campaign will be paying for the majority of the bus fee, but we are asking all participants to pay \$8.00 each to help in the \$1000.00 transportation cost. Please make checks payable to Green County Family YMCA.

Due to the school being released at 2:29 p.m. on Wednesday, the Albany Community Center will be offering child care from the time school lets out until the bus picks students up for swim lessons. The cost is \$10 per child and is for the entire 7 weeks. The Community Center requests two forms be filled out and turned in along with the money, first form is their standard *Permission Slip for After School Drop-In Program* and the second form is the *Permission Slip for Swim Session*. Please fill out both forms if you intend to use the after-school child care program during the 7 weeks of swim lessons. The forms and money are due to the Community Center, but can be dropped off at the Village Hall. A separate check made payable to the *Albany Community Center* will be needed for the swim child care.

The YMCA feels that a family's finances should not stand in the way of children learning to swim. To help families who are struggling financially, the Green County Family YMCA offers financial assistance through our Annual Campaign where 100% of the donations go directly to support Green County families. Any children in the free or reduced school lunch program may be eligible to enroll in this program. On the enclosed form indicate if they are on free or reduced school lunch to be eligible. Hand in the form when signing up for swim lessons. If you don't hear from the YMCA through e-mail or phone your child will be enrolled in the program.

There will be an adult supervisor present on the bus ride as well as in the YMCA's male and female locker rooms. If you have any questions, please call me at 325-2003 or e-mail britschard@greencountyymca.org. If you would be interested in riding the bus with your child and supervising the bus ride, please contact me as soon as possible. Thank you!

Help us achieve zero drowning's in Green County.

Sincerely yours,

Brenda Ritschard
Aquatic Director



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Parent's Name _____

Home Phone _____ Cell _____

School District _____

E-mail _____

Child's Name _____ Age _____ Grade _____

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Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Is your child allergic to any food? Yes _____ No _____

If yes, what

Is your Child/ren currently enrolled in the free or reduced lunch program? _____

If **YES** your application is complete.

If **NO** and you would like to request financial assistance to pay your child/ren fee for swimming lessons, please briefly explain your need for financial assistance.

