



**FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT  
FOR HEALTHY LIVING  
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY**

# **Fox Valley Family YMCA Membership Application**

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**Fox Valley Family YMCA Mission Statement:**

To put Christian principles into practice through programs that build a healthy spirit, mind, and body.

**Release and Waiver of Liability and Indemnity Agreement**

In consideration of being permitted to utilize the facilities, services, and programs of the YMCA for any purpose including, but not limited, to observation or use of facilities or equipment, or participation in any off-site program affiliated with the YMCA, the undersigned hereby agrees to the following:

I am an adult over 18 years of age and wish to participate in the Fox Valley Family YMCA activities. In addition, I give my children permission to participate in the Fox Valley Family YMCA activities. I understand that even when every reasonable precaution is taken, accidents can sometimes happen. Therefore, in exchange for the YMCA allowing me to participate in YMCA activities, I understand and expressly acknowledge that I release the Fox Valley Family YMCA and its staff members, directors, volunteers, board members, guests, and members from all liability for any injury, loss, or damage connected in any way whatsoever to my (or my children's) participation in the YMCA activities, whether on or off YMCA premises. I understand that this release includes any claim based on negligence, action or inaction of the Fox Valley Family YMCA, its staff, directors, members, and guests. I hereby release, waive, discharge, and agree not to sue the Fox Valley Family YMCA, its staff members, directors, volunteers, board members, guests, and members. This frees the YMCA and its agents from all liability to the undersigned or such children and/or other family members for any loss or damage, and any claim or demands on account of injury to the person, or property, or the result of death of the undersigned or such children and/or family members whether caused by negligence of the YMCA or its agents. This includes activities when the undersigned or such children are participating in YMCA programs, whether at the YMCA, off site, or in any way using any YMCA equipment or structures. This also releases the YMCA and its agents from all liability to the undersigned and such children for any loss or damage, claim or demands on account of injury or death to those using any part of the YMCA for basic membership use, whether at the YMCA or off site. I hereby assume full responsibility for risk of bodily injury, death, or property damage to the undersigned or such children. I understand that the YMCA is not responsible for personal property lost or stolen while members and or program participants are using YMCA facilities or are on YMCA premises, either on site or off site. I also authorize the YMCA to perform any and all background checks on myself or my family as stated by the fair credit report. I have read and am voluntarily signing this waiver. I understand that Annual Memberships are non-refundable. I give permission to the Fox Valley Family YMCA to use limitation and obligation, photographs, film footage, or tape recordings which may include my image or voice for purposes of promoting or interpreting YMCA programs or membership.

**Acceptance:** The undersigned further expressly agrees that the foregoing RELEASE and WAIVER and IDEMNITY AGREEMENT is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by the laws of the State of Illinois and that if any portion thereof is held invalid, it is agreed that the balance shall, notwithstanding, continue in full legal force and effect.

I have read this release. \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

**Signature of Participant** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of Parent** \_\_\_\_\_  
**/Legal Guardian**

**Electronic Funds Transfer Authorization**

I authorize my bank to honor pre-authorized EFT's drawn by the Fox Valley Family YMCA for membership, programs, and/or contributions. It is understood that my EFT membership will be renewed on the 15th of each month until written notification has been received by the Fox Valley Family YMCA. I understand that my deduction is continuous and may be terminated by me upon written request if received 10 business days prior to my draft date. If for any reason a check or draft is returned to the YMCA, I understand that I am responsible for bringing my account up to date and paying a service fee per returned item or draft. The return of a check or bank draft to the YMCA will result in cancellation of my membership and or program privileges until my account is current.

All membership rates are subject to change annually. I understand that it is my responsibility to notify the YMCA of any change of address or EFT (electronic funds transfer) account information 10 business days prior to the draft date.

If any changes, deletions, upgrades, downgrades, or cancellations need to be made to the account which is being drafted it is to be submitted in writing to the Fox Valley Family YMCA 5 business days prior to the draft date. No cancellations accepted by phone, fax, or mail. Failure to do so will result in that month's EFT being non-refundable. Any memberships that are cancelled and continue to draft will only be refunded up to the first month's amount. After 30 days it is the responsibility of the individual to notify the YMCA of the error. All bank drafts must have a voided check, credit card drafts will need a copy of the card, and savings debits will need a copy of a savings deposit/withdraw slip before the YMCA will set up membership.

**Initials** \_\_\_\_\_

**Bank Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Routing/ Transaction Number** \_\_\_\_\_

**Account Number** \_\_\_\_\_

Checking/Savings/Credit/Debit  
(please circle)

**Name on Account** \_\_\_\_\_

\$ \_\_\_\_\_  
**Total Monthly Amount**

**Credit Card #** \_\_\_\_\_ **Exp Date** \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

**Card Type** \_\_\_\_\_

\*I would like to donate to the Strong Kids Campaign \_\_\_\_\_ Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

## Emergency Treatment Permission

I understand that a minor may not be treated, even in an emergency situation, except when, in the opinion of the attending physician, life is in the balance. Consent of the parent or legal guardian is necessary for unmarried minors (under 18) except in such cases. Written consent is required for all other treatment. Accordingly, as a parent and or legal guardian, I do herewith in authorize the treatment of the minor in the event of an emergency, including administration of first aid, as appropriate, and further agree that I will be responsible for payment of any and all medical services rendered. I agree that any person or entity, including any doctor, or healthcare provider, may rely on a photocopy of this document the same as if it were an original.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

## Code of Conduct

The Fox Valley Family YMCA is committed to providing a safe and welcoming environment for all members and guests. To promote safety and comfort for all, we ask all individuals to act appropriately at all times when they are in the facility or participating in programs. We expect persons using the YMCA to behave in a mature and responsible way and to respect the rights and dignity of others. Our Code of Conduct does not permit language or any action that can hurt or frighten another person or that falls below a generally accepted standard of conduct. Specifically, this includes:

- Inappropriate attire: Appropriate attire must be worn at all times for all activities. Offensive wording on shirts or accessories fall under this area.
- Angry or vulgar language including swearing, name calling, or shouting.
- Physical contact with another person in any angry or threatening way.
- Any demonstration of sexual contact or activity.
- No one having been on any sexual offender list at any time may be a member of the Fox Valley Family YMCA, participate in programs, be on the property, or enter the facility.
- Harassment or intimidation by words, gestures, body language, or any other menacing behavior.
- Theft or behavior which results in the destruction of property.
- Carrying or concealing any weapons or devices or objects which may be used as weapons.
- Using or possessing illegal chemicals or alcohol in or on YMCA property or YMCA sponsored programs.
- Any other conduct of an inappropriate, threatening or offensive nature i.e. interrupting fitness classes or structured work outs.
- Loitering is not permitted in or outside the YMCA.
- The YMCA is a tobacco free environment.

If a member or guest feels uncomfortable or threatened he or she should report to a staff person. Consequences or violation of any of these will be presented to the board and staff for review and may result in the termination or suspension of membership without refund or credit.

I have read and understand the Code of Conduct.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_