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Sports camps scheduled at Spears Y

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Alex W. Spears III Family YMCA will offer several sports camps for ages 5 through 13 this summer.

Sports camps consist of lacrosse, soccer, baseball, tennis, basketball and volleyball.

The YMCA's summer sport programs enable young people to meet and participate with collegiate and high school athletes and coaches.

Camps are designed for beginner- to intermediate-level players. Time is devoted to the basic skills, and emphasis is on individual-skill improvement, maximum number of ball contacts and motivation. Homogenous grouping (based on the skill level of each participant) is done so that each session can

be designed to meet the needs of the players and maximize progress.

Staff members are selected for their knowledge, teaching skills and ability to relate with young children and young adults.

Each staff member is proficient in his sport and is expected to create a team atmosphere among participants.

The staff's primary focus is to ensure that each child is given correct instruction so improve their abilities.

Mark Goldsmith will lead the three sessions of lacrosse camp. John Hackett will lead two soccer camps at the Spears soccer fields.

Nick Black and the Guilford College baseball team will hold three baseball camps at the Spears baseball fields.

Kim Strable will lead tennis camps at Guilford Day Schools

tennis courts.

Robert Kent and Mike Everett will hold three basketball camps in the Spears gymnasium.

Chuck McCracken will lead a volleyball camp Aug. 9-13 for ages 9-13 in the Spears gymnasium.

For all-day child care, you may enroll your child in sports camp in the morning and Summer Day Camp in the afternoon at a discounted rate for day camp at \$50 per week.

Reserve your spot for Summer Day Camp as soon as possible because space is limited.

All sports camps run from 8:30 a.m. to noon.
For more information, visit www.spearsymca.org or call 387-9622.

Jordan Robertson is sports director of the Spears Family YMCA.

WANT TO GO?

What: Spears YMCA Sports Camps

When: 8:30 a.m.-noon

Cost: \$100 for YMCA members, \$130 for nonmembers

Lacrosse: June 21-24, July 12-15, Aug. 2-5

Soccer: June 28, July 2, July 12-16

Baseball: June 21-25, July 5-9, July 19-23

Tennis: June 21-25, June 28, July 2, July 19-23

Basketball: June 21-25, July 5-9, Aug. 2-6

Volleyball: Aug. 9-13 for ages 9-13

Information: 387-9622 or www.spearsymca.org