

Inclement Weather Policy: 2018–19

We will always put the safety of our members, program participants and staff first when decisions are made concerning inclement weather. When inclement weather poses a safety threat, the YMCA may adjust or cancel scheduled hours of operation, programs and/or special events. We make every attempt to make up classes and it is up to each instructor/program to communicate with participants and parents.

ADULT FITNESS / KIDS WORLD / ACE PLACE /LICENSED CHILDCARE

- Adult Fitness Classes as well as Kids World, Ace Place and Licensed Childcare rarely cancel.
- They will run contingent on YMCA staff's ability to get to the Y.
- Staff will be in direct contact with their supervisor and notify if unable to get to the Y.

YOUTH PROGRAMS / YBL / AOA / PEDALING FOR PARKINSON'S

Morning Programs are those that occur before 1:30 pm. Cancellation decisions will be made at 6:30 am and posted by 7:00 am.

- All morning programs/classes follow Grand Haven Area Public Schools (GHAPS) cancellation policy.
- If GHAPS is closed, or delayed due to inclement weather, then morning programs/classes will be cancelled.
- Evening Programs are those that occur after 1:30 pm. Cancellations regarding these programs/classes will be decided at 12:00 pm and posted by 12:30 pm.
- Evening classes DO NOT follow GHAPS cancellation policy and an independent decision will be made based on weather and road conditions.

LEARNING TREE PRESCHOOL (YMCA LOCATION)/Healthy Out of School Time (HOST)

- Learning Tree (YMCA Location) & HOST follow GHAPS delay and cancellation policy.
- If GHAPS is closed due to inclement weather, Learning Tree (YMCA Location) and HOST will be cancelled.
- If GHAPS is delayed, morning Learning Tree (YMCA Location) will be cancelled, afternoon preschool and HOST will run.

LEARNING TREE PRESCHOOL (HOLMES ELEMENTARY and SLIS LOCATION)

- Learning Tree (HOLMES ELEMENTARY/SLIS Location) follows Spring Lake Area Public Schools delay and cancellation policy.
- If SLPS is closed due to inclement weather, Learning Tree (HOLMES ELEMENTARY Location) will be cancelled.
- If SLPS is delayed, morning Learning Tree (HOLMES ELEMENTARY Location) will be cancelled, afternoon preschool and full day class will begin at 12:30PM.

FACILITY

- We make every effort to keep the building open.
- In the event that weather might force the closure of the YMCA facility, the CEO will review the status of the weather situation through news media, local conditions and input from the Management Team.

SATURDAY/SUNDAY PROGRAMS

- Saturday and Sunday Programs follow Grand Haven Area Public Schools cancellation policy.
- If GHAPS cancels weekend events due to inclement weather, then programs at the Y will be cancelled.

Closing information can be found in the Announcement section on our website as well as on our Facebook page.