

The City of Peru and the Illinois Valley YMCA 2021 Summer Swimming Program

June 1st - August 31st

Dear Parents or Guardians of children in grades pre-K through 4th grades residing in Peru,

The City of Peru, in conjunction with the Illinois Valley YMCA, are offering all pre-K through 4th grade children, living in the City of Peru, the opportunity to participate in a Summer Swimming Program at the Illinois Valley YMCA. The program has 2 parts as follows:

Part 1: Unlimited swimming at the Illinois Valley YMCA, during regularly scheduled swim times. To participate, a parent or guardian will simply bring proof of Peru residency (ie. Utility bill, driver's license, etc.) and \$ 55 to the Illinois Valley YMCA and receive the Summer Swim Pass.

Part 2: The Summer Swim Pass will also include Swimming Lessons at the Illinois Valley YMCA, conducted by YMCA Certified Instructors for those students that wish to participate. There is no extra charge for the swimming lessons. Those who participate in swimming lessons and complete the class (at least 85% attendance at any session) will receive a certificate of completion from the YMCA. This certificate of completion can then be brought to the Peru City Clerk's office by a parent or guardian, along with proof of residency for a full refund of the original \$55 as a reward from the City for completing their swimming lessons. All swim lesson dates and times are available on the Illinois Valley YMCA webpage and Facebook Page.

On behalf of the City of Peru, the Peru Recreation Board and the Illinois Valley YMCA, we wish all our children and their families a safe and happy summer.

For questions please contact the
City of Peru at 815.223.0061 or the
Illinois Valley YMCA at 815.223.7904

The Illinois Valley Y & City of Peru Collaborate for Summer Swim Lessons

Collaboration is a key resource in our community. The Illinois Valley YMCA and City of Peru have been working together to establish a Summer Swim Lesson Plan and recreational swim for kids in Peru. Residents of Peru will be able to be enrolled in all summer lessons and have the ability to use the Y pools all summer long for the cost of \$55.00 per child (pre-K through 4th grade). The City of Peru will reimburse residents upon completion of the lessons (at least 85% attendance at any session) at the City Clerk's office. The program begins June 1st and ends August 31st.

Swim Lessons:

6/2-6/28: 1st Session; 9:30-10:05am Monday & Wednesday Mornings

6/1-6/24: 1st Session; 5:30-6:05pm Tuesday & Thursday Evenings

7/5-7/28: 2nd Session; 9:30-10:05am Monday & Wednesday Mornings

7/6-7/29: 2nd Session; 5:30-6:05pm Tuesday & Thursday Evenings

8/2-8/12: 3rd Session; 5:30-6:05pm Monday - Thursday Evenings

Pool School: (FREE FOR ALL PARTICIPANTS)

6/29-7/2: 9:30-10:05am Tuesday-Friday Mornings

Water Park: June 11th – August 7th

Fridays: 1-3pm

Saturdays: 12-3pm

Lap Pool: June 1st – August 14th

Monday-Friday: 6:30am-6:30pm

Saturday 12pm-3pm

“The Y is pleased to continue to work with the City of Peru in a collaborative effort to provide kids both water safety and recreational water fun all summer long. Y lessons provide the ideal leaning environment for kids with low instructor to student ratios, warm water pools, and certified swim instructors. We appreciate the support of Mayor Kolowski, City Council, Peru Recreation Department, and our YMCA Board of Directors,” said YMCA Aquatic Director Thomas Scholle.