



FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT®
FOR HEALTHY LIVING
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

This is Y.

ANNUAL CAMPAIGN
The Y.™ For a better us.™

WE BELIEVE IN YOU + WE BELIEVE IN US!



By nurturing the potential of every child, the YMCA encourages our youth to learn, grow and play, while developing essential skills and building character.

9-year-old Henry Geck has been coming to the Oshkosh Y with his family for many years. For his 9th birthday Henry had an idea. Rather than receive birthday presents, he asked for donations instead. Henry donated all of his birthday money to the YMCA Annual Campaign. The Y's Annual Campaign is just one way money is raised to support our youth programming. With Henry's heart of gold and gracious gift, we are one step closer to impacting more lives.

"I have done flag football and swimming lessons at the Y, and want other kids to be able to do sports that they like." - Henry Geck

YOUTH DEVELOPMENT

Believe in their potential and help all children discover what they can achieve.



The Anklam family joined the Y with the intention of creating an active and healthy life for their family and soon discovered Homeschool Fit for Kids, and Learn To Skate classes—where they've made great connections and friendships.

They decided to use time wisely while their girls were in classes, so they tied up their shoes and got moving. Steve eventually encouraged Kristen to take her fitness to the next level with personal training. Shortly after, she inspired him to do the same. Since they both enjoyed personal training so much, they decided to try partner training and loved it! They were hooked!

They now go to the Y several times a week to enjoy a partner training "date" while the girls spend time enjoying the ice rink.

HEALTHY LIVING

Helping kids, adults, and families improve their health and well-being.



Mark Zuehlke joined the Oshkosh YMCA after losing his wife to cancer. His friends encouraged him to join, to meet new people and get back into a routine.

Since then Mark has volunteered for many fundraisers that help support the Annual Campaign, contributing countless hours throughout the year. For the past several summers Mark has helped at EAA AirVenture at the YMCA Beverage Carts. He has also volunteered at Waterfest for the Y.

In 2016 Mark was diagnosed with bladder cancer but revealed his unwavering commitment to our YMCA by volunteering at the AirVenture the week after surgery! His dedication to our organization, and the community, is truly remarkable.

SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

The power of what we can achieve by giving back to those that need it most.

GIVE FOR A BETTER US

Every dollar donated to the Oshkosh Community YMCA has a lasting impact on the people of our community.

\$5,000 \$1,500 \$1,000 \$500 \$250 \$100 \$50 Other \$ _____

Name _____ Address _____

City _____ State/ZIP _____

Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____

Email _____

Formal name(s) for recognition _____

Check enclosed (payable to Oshkosh Community YMCA) Bill at once Remind me during the month of _____

Visa Mastercard Discover

Card number _____ Exp date _____ Security code _____

My employer has a matching-gift program. Employer Name: _____

CONNECT TO YOUR CAUSE

Working with generous donors like you, the Y provides everyone the opportunity to be healthy and thrive, to connect with others, and contribute to a better community. Everything the Y does is in an effort to make individuals and our community better.

We have an extraordinary opportunity to ensure a brighter future for our community, but we must take action today. Your support makes it possible to be...a better us.



\$50 helps two kids **discover** themselves through dance, swimming, gymnastics or youth sports



\$100 helps one child gain new skills and **confidence** at one week of day camp



\$250 provides 50 teens the opportunity to have a night of fun in a **positive**, chaperoned environment



\$500 helps an entire team of kids learn new skills, **sportsmanship** and values through youth sports



\$1000 provides two families the opportunity to belong at the Y, giving them a safe, fun and **healthy** environment to learn, grow and thrive

Every day, the Y gives our community the support it needs to learn, grow and thrive. From advocacy to education, disease prevention to athletics, football to dance classes, everything we do helps strengthen our neighborhood and the people who live here.

Keeping our community strong is a full-time job. We continuously face new challenges that create a greater need for the work we do. And we need your help to do it. Your gift can help our community and everyone in it shine.

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