

**“CAMP DU NORD IS TRULY A MAGICAL PLACE! THE OPPORTUNITY TO COME TOGETHER IN A COMMUNITY-ORIENTED, SUPPORTIVE ENVIRONMENT ALL IN A WILDERNESS SETTING, MAKES OUR CHILDREN AND FAMILY FEEL LIKE PART OF SOMETHING REALLY SPECIAL.”**  
**– DU NORD FAMILY**

YMCA of the Greater Twin Cities is a not-for-profit 501c3 organization.

## Summer Family Camp Registration

Summer registration at du Nord is handled through a Lottery process, giving all families an equal opportunity to register for a week of family camp. Online entry for the Lottery begins in September and has a deadline of November 27, 2019 and the Lottery Day will occur on December 7, 2019.

After Lottery Day, all cabin/sites remaining will be open for registration on a first-come, first-served basis beginning on January 16.

## Scholarships Pricing Plan

Everyone should experience family camp, regardless of family income or circumstances. Thanks to the generous support of donors in our annual fund, we are able to offer scholarships to campers who need assistance. We also offer monthly payment options for qualifying families.

Visit [dunord.org](http://dunord.org) for application information – all requests are kept strictly confidential.



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# YMCA CAMP DU NORD

## PLUG INTO NATURE

Summer 2020

YMCA Family Camp in Ely, MN  
[dunord.org](http://dunord.org)





## Summer Family Camp

A family camping experience provides lasting family memories, allowing for outdoor adventures, family growth, and a whole lot of laughter. Since 1960, our week-long camping programs for families have become a tradition for many. Staff supervised activities for every age are offered in the mornings and a variety of program options for families are available in the afternoons and evenings.

### Location

Only 250 miles north of the Twin Cities lies the Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness – over a million acres of lakes and forest – a place to captivate your heart and inspire your imagination. Camp du Nord is located on the north arm of Burntside Lake, just north of Ely, MN.

**YMCA Camp du Nord**  
3606 North Arm Rd.  
Ely, MN 55731

### Family Camp Dates

June 6-13	July 11-18	August 15-22
June 13-20	July 18-25	August 22-29
June 20-27	July 25-August 1	August 29-September 4
June 27-July 4	August 1-8	(Ends Friday)
July 4-11	August 8-15	



Visit [dunord.org](http://dunord.org) for a typical day schedule.

## Age Group Activities

Imagine two and a half hours enjoying time on the deck, hiking, paddling on the lake, all while knowing that your kids are having fun with our staff, allowing you some much needed time off! Our Age Group program provides just this and is truly what sets YMCA family camp apart from other family vacation destinations.

## Lodging

YMCA Camp du Nord consists of 36 unique cabins, 7 tent sites, and 2 platform tents. Cabins come in a variety of sizes, sleeping 2 – 16 people. The character of each of cabin and tent site offers a variety of lodging that appeals to all levels of comfort in the wilderness.

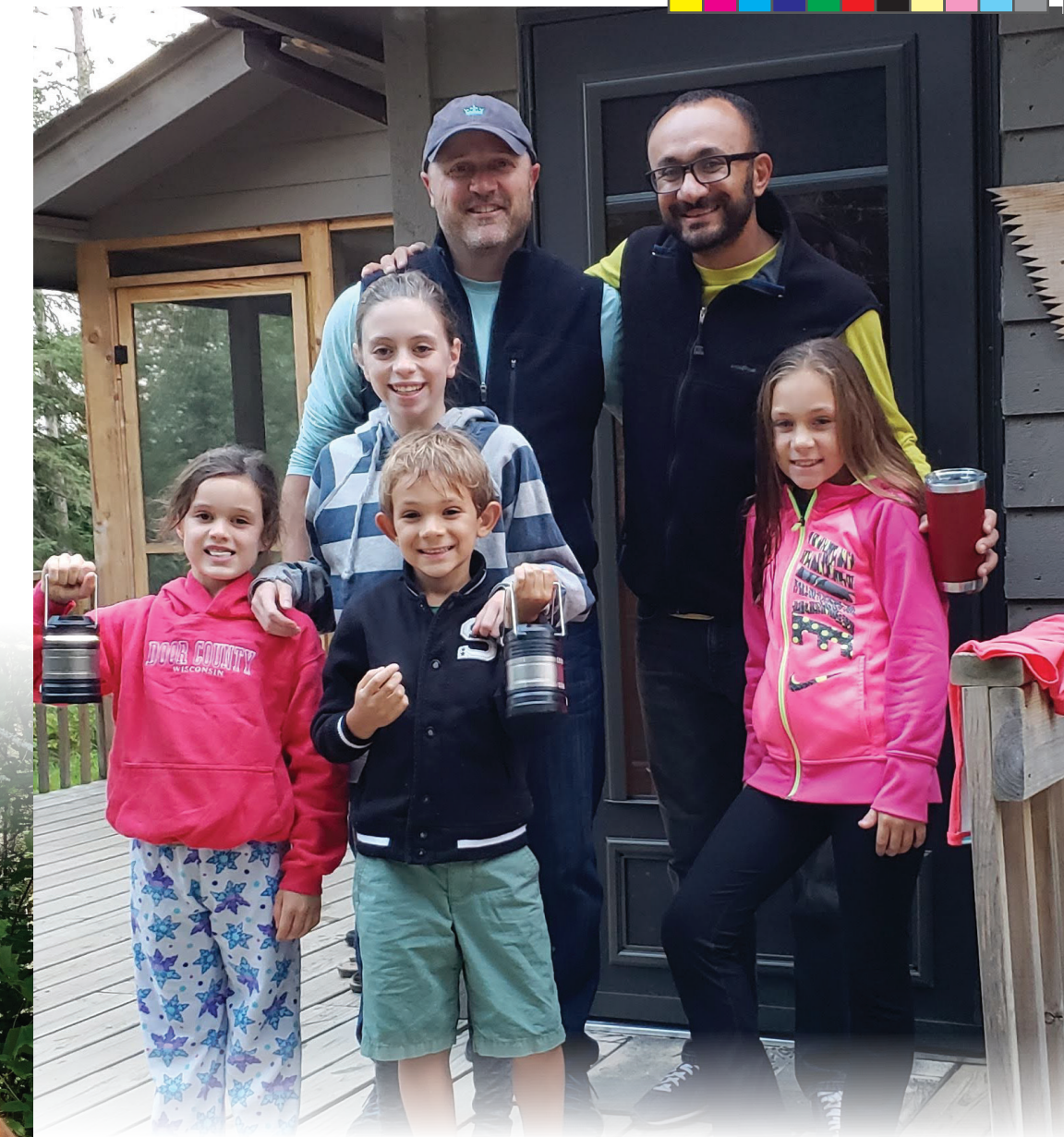
Visit [dunord.org](http://dunord.org) for pictures and details about each site.

## Meal Service

Delicious and nutritious meals are available in camp's dining hall for an added fee. Pricing, registration, and a sample menu can be found at [dunord.org](http://dunord.org).

"We love du Nord! It is wonderful being on Burntside Lake and away from the hubbub of the city. So peaceful and the staff are great!"

- Camp Family



## Additional Summer Programs

### Leadership Development Program

Teens entering grades 10 through their first summer out of high school may apply for the Leadership Development Program. LDP participants will learn about leadership through helping counselors facilitate camp programs and taking part in training sessions designed to help them grow as leaders and individuals. Applications are due Friday, January 17, 2020.

### Resource Families

Each week, Camp du Nord has two Resource Families that help our family programs by running Polar Bear Swim each morning, assisting with dining hall set-up, and facilitating adult age group programming. Returning families looking for a service component to their camp experience are encouraged to apply. Knowledge of and experience with nearby hikes, paddles, and other outdoor programming is important. Applications are due Friday, November 15, 2019.

### du Trips

The du Trips program provides opportunity for families to expand their wilderness experience. This 2-4 night experience begins and ends at du Nord. Spend time with your family and a trained staff member exploring the Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness. Housing provided at camp for arrival and departure days.

For more information, to apply or to register visit [dunord.org](http://dunord.org)