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Y GUIDES 2018-2019: REGISTRATION CHECKLIST

STEP 1: THERE ARE TWO WAYS TO FORM A TRIBE

Gather a group of dads/daughters or dads/sons

- Many tribes are formed with neighbors, classmates, sports teams, etc.
- We have found the optimal number for a tribe is between 6-10 pairs
- Your Tribe must be formed before the First Year Dads Trainings in September

OR

Find a tribe

- Fill out the online Find a Tribe Form at YGuides.YMCATriangle.org
- We will connect you with a tribe based on your zip code and your child's age/gender

STEP 2: CHOOSE YOUR TRIBE CHIEF

The Chief is the point person for the tribe and can serve for one, two or all three years

- If you don't have a tribe, once you've been assigned, a chief will be determined
- **If we have any questions about your tribe, the Chief will be the person we contact**

STEP 3: REGISTRATION & PROGRAM FEES

Complete the Y Guides Registration Form and bring to the First Year Dads Meeting

- Each dad/child pair must complete the Y Guides registration form (even if you've had a prior child in the program)

Attach your Y Guides program fees payment to your registration form

- 2018-2019 Yearly program fees: \$116 for members, \$134 for non-members (Y member fee is based on the child's Y membership, not the adult)
- Payment may be made by:
 - Check - make payable to YMCA
(If using a business check, please write your name on the memo line)
 - Credit Card - Visa, MasterCard and Amex only (we do not accept Discover Card)
 - Cash - please place cash inside an envelope and write your name on the front
- If a family has multiple children in the program, Dads may pay for all at once:
 - Please write all of your children's names and their tribe names on the payment

STEP 4: ATTEND A FIRST YEAR DADS TRAINING

☐ Attend one First Year Dads Training – everyone in the tribe must attend a meeting

- Tuesday, September 4, 7-9 p.m., McKimmon Center (Wake County)
- Wednesday, September 5, 7-9 p.m., University Club (Durham County)
- Thursday, September 6, 7-9 p.m., McKimmon Center (Wake County)
- More information can be found at YGuides.YMCATriangle.org

☐ Tribe Chief, turn in your Tribe's Registration Packet at the end of this meeting

- Your Tribe's Registration Packet should include a Registration Form and program fees from each dad/child pair in your tribe
- The packet will ONLY be accepted if all registration forms/payments are included for participants
- If you do not have all forms/payments on this night, a member of the Tribe will need to bring the packet to the Y Guides office by Friday, September 28, 2018
Address: 801 Corporate Center Drive, Suite 200, Raleigh, NC 27607

☐ Y Guides patches & packet

- Patches and a packet will be handed out once the Chief has turned in his forms
- The First Year Y Guides Packet includes: Father/child program patches, Y Guides Handbook and a few other Y Guides goodies

STEP 5: TRIBE NAME

☐ Select a Tribe Name

- The Chief will receive a Y Guides Tribe name roster
- Please make sure you review the roster before selecting a name, as every Tribe must have their own, unique name
- The name should be selected by the entire Tribe, instructions will be provided at the First Year Dads Training
- Please note that the tribe's name cannot be differentiated by adding a "The" before an already taken tribe name

☐ Submit your Tribe name by Friday, October 5, 2018

- Email your Tribe name and your temporary Tribe code to YGuides@ymcatriangle.org

QUESTIONS

If you have any questions about the registration process outlined above, please complete the Contact Form on our website at YGuides.YMCATriangle.org.