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Merlefest Camping General Information Sheet

Thank you for choosing the Wilkes Family YMCA campground for Merlefest. Proceeds from Merlefest camping allow us to do facility upgrades like the locker room renovation which you will enjoy this year so we appreciate you choosing us for your home for Merlefest!

The Wilkes Family YMCA is located at the end of Rivers Edge Park, convenient to both the Blue lot and the Festival. We have 105 camping sites, including 25 campfire sites with fire rings and 10 sites for pop-up vans or very small campers. **We allow one tent and one vehicle per site.**

PRICES: If mailing in your reg. form PLEASE NO Personal Checks!

Registration Dates	Thursday, Friday and Saturday	Extra Days: Wednesday/Sunday
January 1 – January 31	\$100 (Campfire \$110)	\$30 per day
February 1 – March 31	\$120 (Campfire \$130)	\$30 per day
April 1 – April 28	\$150 (Campfire \$160)	\$30 per day

Each camp site includes **HOT SHOWERS**, regular shuttles to the campus using Rivers Edge shuttles and an outdoor restroom/picnic complex. We are a family oriented campground. No drugs, alcohol or animals are permitted. There will be a security guard on duty from 8 pm till 8 am and the Wilkesboro Police Dept. also makes rounds daily. Campfires will only be allowed in designated areas.

Please note that you may not be allowed to have a campfire at a reserved Camp Fire Site if a burning ban is in effect during the festival weekend.

As a YMCA Merlefest Camper, you will be allowed to use the entire facility during regular operating hours. The hours are as follows: Thursday 5am – 9 pm., Friday 5am – 8 pm., Saturday 7am – 6pm and Sunday 1pm – 6 pm. **(ONLY SHOWERS WILL BE AVAILABLE ON SATURDAY FROM 7 AM UNTIL 8 AM AND SUNDAY 7 AM UNTIL 1 PM)**

The facility includes: hot showers, wellness center, two indoor heated swimming pools, gymnasium, indoor track, two racquetball courts, steam room, whirlpool and sauna.

To register online, click this link: <http://ymcanwnc.org/?s=merlefest+camping>. You will register from there as a Potential Member. To add on a night (arriving early or departing late) there is an additional fee of \$30. You will see this in the registration section. You can also complete the registration form and return with a cashier's check or money order **(No personal checks)** to the Wilkes Family YMCA, Attention: Merlefest Camping. 1801 YMCA Blvd, Wilkesboro, NC 28697 or call Andrea Vestal at 336-838-3991 and pay with a credit or debit card.

SORRY NO REFUNDS!

WILKES FAMILY YMCA

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