



Dear YMCA Members,

For over 175 years, the YMCA has served as an organization that steps up to community challenges. In the coming days, your YMCA will need to continue to be an entity that fills critical needs in our community. While we are missing the regular everyday routines, just like you are, and seeing you every day, your YMCA still needs you. There are several things you can do to help your YMCA if you are able.

First, if you are able, your continued membership will help the YMCA be able to fill critical gaps that now exist and be able to reopen when the time comes. Time, and again, YMCA members have shown us that membership is not about the facility. It is about people and relationships - the YMCA is a movement that strengthens the foundations of community and takes care of our neighbors. Please continue to invest in your YMCA and your community. If you are unable at this time to continue your membership, we understand. Please consider a hold instead of a cancel so you can be ready to be an active member when the Y is able to resume normal operations.

Second, as the YMCA pivots its resources to take on the daily challenges we now have, we continue to have volunteer needs to help us deliver services. If you are able to volunteer and would like to do so, we need you for special projects. Right now, we need help in calling through our 800 Silver Sneakers, Silver & Fit, and Senior members to check on well-being. We are also delivering meals to over 1,300 children each day during Spring Break, so we make sure no child goes hungry. If you have some time on your hands, please contact the Y to see how you can help.

Third, if you are able, donate. With the other needs of our community right now, the YMCA will not be conducting their normal Y Partners Annual Campaign this year. If you have any extra resources, please consider a donation to the YMCA to continue vital services.

During this uncertain time, a sense of community will be needed more than ever. These coming days and weeks will test the will and strength of every one of us and we will need to come together to get through this. The YMCA has always put itself at the center of community and we have always aimed to be there when our neighbors, friends, and families need us.

Thank you for staying with your YMCA.

With clean hands and open hearts,

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