



Jackson YMCA Inclement Weather Policy

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We will always put the safety of our members, guests and staff first when we make decisions concerning inclement weather. When extreme weather poses a safety threat, the Jackson YMCA may adjust or cancel scheduled hours of operation, programs/classes and/or special events. During the school year, if Jackson Public Schools are closed due to inclement weather, the Jackson YMCA classes and hours of operation may be impacted.

Weather updates

The YMCA will communicate all changes to hours/programs on our website, social media (Facebook, Instagram and Twitter) and through our app.

If Jackson Public Schools cancels in the evening for the next day:

- Both branches of the Jackson YMCA will open at 7 a.m.
- School out camp will run from 7:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.
- Group fitness classes will resume after 8 a.m., contingent on the instructor's ability to get to the Y; early a.m. classes will be canceled.
- Pedaling for Parkinson's, Rock Steady Boxing and Enhance Fitness classes will be canceled. Other programs may be canceled; please check before coming in.

If Jackson Public Schools cancels in the morning:

- The Y **may** be open normal hours; make sure to check the website/social media/app for the latest updates.
- School out camp will run from 7:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.
- Early a.m. group fitness classes **may** be canceled; if canceled, classes will resume after 8 a.m., contingent on the instructor's ability to get to the Y. Please check before coming in.
- Pedaling for Parkinson's, Rock Steady Boxing and Enhance Fitness classes will be canceled. Other programs may be canceled.

If Jackson Public Schools release early/cancel evening programs:

- There will be no bus-in program at the YMCA with early release.
- The YMCA leadership team will evaluate the weather conditions and make a decision on youth programs/group fitness classes/building hours for the remainder of the day. Please check before coming in.

If inclement weather occurs on a weekend

- The YMCA leadership team will evaluate the weather conditions and make a decision on classes/programs/hours for the remainder of the day.

Inclement Weather Pool Policy

Our YMCA guidelines require us to close the pools to all activities if lightning is within 6 miles of our facility. Lifeguards are trained to judge this and have the final say on all closures. After the last sighting, the pool will remain closed for 30 minutes.