



YMCA of Northeastern Ontario

Dear Markstay Families,

We hope that you are enjoying the last warm days of Summer!

We are pleased to inform you that the YMCA of Northeastern Ontario is working to enroll in the Canada-Wide Early Learning and Child Care (CWELCC) system.

If your family has an eligible child or children that qualify you will have a reduction in their childcare fees. For the calendar year of 2022, there will be a fee reduction of up to 25% of the daily fee charged retroactive to April 2022 down to a daily fee of \$12.00. In 2023, the fee reduction will be up to 50% of your eligible child's daily fee down to \$12.00.

Children who qualify for CWELCC:

- Are under the age of 6
- Turned 6 years old from January 1st, 2022 to June 30th, 2022 and are CWELCC eligible for fees paid from April 1st, 2022 to June 30th, 2022
- turned 6 years old from July 1st, 2022 to December 31st, 2022 and are CWELCC eligible for fees paid from April 1st, 2022 up to the end of the month that they turn 6 years old

As we work towards enrollment and crediting families you will see a credit in your Avocado account. Please note that the total refund amount will be confirmed prior to payment being issued. Cheques will be delivered to families at pick up/drop off or mailed if your child is no longer in our care for the CWELCC rebate for the daily fees paid from April 1st, 2022 to September 30th, 2022 for eligible children. Afterwards, your daily fee will be reduced by the minimum of the applicable rebate percentage down to \$12.00.

Thank you for your patience as we navigate through all the changes and administrative work that it includes. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out to Barb Landriault, at 705-688-7300 ext. 2126 or by email at barb.landriault@ymcaneoe.ca.

Sincerely,

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