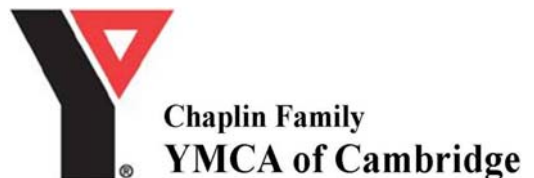
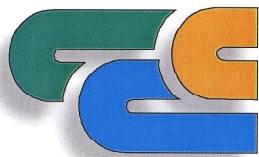


ACTIVITIES FOR LESS

2010





The Corporation
of the City
of Cambridge

Activities For Less

The City of Cambridge believes that all citizens of Cambridge have access to enjoy the many recreational programs offered at our Centres, even when a person's personal or financial circumstances may keep them from participating. For that reason, the City is committed to providing assistance to those individuals and families with low incomes by subsidizing all or part of the costs of memberships or programs directly run by the Community Services Department. This assistance is based on the 'Statistics Canada Low Income Level Indicators.

The Activities For Less card can ONLY be used at the following locations

Allan Reuter Centre	John Dolson Centre
Centre for the Arts	Duncan McIntosh Skateboard Park*
David Durward Centre	W. G. Johnson Centre
G. E. (Ted) Wake Lounge	

For ONE of the following up to four times per calendar year per person:

- Swimming Lessons
- One Month Activity Pass (Youth, Adult, Senior)
- One 10 Visit Activity Pass (Youth, Adult, Senior)
- Annual Cambridge 50+ Recreation Centre Membership
- Registered Program
- Summer Swim Pass (**restrictions apply**)
- Arts Centre Membership (Child, Student, Adult, Senior)
- Pipes and Rails Membership *

The Activities For Less card CANNOT be used for:

- Private or semi-private lessons
- Manuals, exam fees or administrative fees for programs
- Supply costs for programs i.e. art supplies
- Programs offered by Neighbourhood Associations/Playground Committees

General Information

1. For Cambridge residents **ONLY**.
2. Incomplete applications will be returned by mail.
3. The Activities For Less card does not allow you to pre-register before the session registration date.
4. Only the person named on the card can use the card.
5. Fee assistance applies to the course/membership/pass fee only. It does not include manuals, exam fees or items needed for courses.
6. All cards will expire on December 31, 2010.
7. You must apply at least three (3) weeks prior to registration if you wish to receive fee assistance. You will be able to apply for the 2010 Activities For Less card, beginning early November 2009 and throughout the 2010 calendar year.

Application Process
Fill in all the blanks on the form

STEP 1

Contact Information.

STEP 2

List the name of **each family member** who wishes to have a card. Birth date (month/day/year) and gender (male or female) are required.

STEP 3

List all sources of household income stating separate incomes for all adults. You must include all income for 2009. You must provide proof of income as requested. Attach copies of **ALL** income including social assistance statement, pay stub from place of employment, insurance benefits, income tax statement (not income tax summary), etc. Name must be on copy provided. **(If all documents are not attached, the application package will be returned to the applicant by mail.)**

STEP 4

Sign and date application form.

THEN WHAT HAPPENS

1. *Mail or drop off* the application form and **all attachments** to:
 - **W. G. Johnson Centre, 31 Kribs Street, Cambridge, N3C 2L3**
(allow 15 business days to process)

OR drop off at any one of the following locations (allow 20 business days to process):
Allan Reuter Centre, 507 King Street
Centre for the Arts, 60 Dickson Street
Cambridge City Hall, 50 Dickson Street
David Durward Centre, 62 Dickson Street
G. E. (Ted) Wake Lounge, 31 Kribs Street
John Dolson Centre, 212 South Street
2. If you qualify, an Activities For Less card will be mailed to you (allow 15 working days for processing).
3. The card is valid for **one registered program OR membership OR one eligible activity pass per session per person** up to a maximum value of \$75 per program, membership OR pass.
4. If you have any questions or require assistance in completing the application, please contact Nancy H. at the Community Services Department at 519.740.4681, ext 4458.

City of Cambridge Privacy Policy

Personal information contained on this form is collected pursuant to Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act and will be used for the purpose of determining eligibility for C.A.R.E. and for program/membership registration. Questions about the collection of personal information should be directed to the City's Freedom of Information and Privacy Co-ordinator in the Public Access and Council Services Department at 519.740.4680 ext. 4079.



Activities For Less

The Family YMCA of Cambridge is a charitable organization committed to helping people grow in spirit, mind and body. We believe that our programs and services should be accessible to everyone regardless of age, background, ability or socio-economic status. That's why the YMCA makes sponsored memberships available.

A YMCA sponsored membership offers the same facilities, programs and services as our YMCA general membership but at a reduced monthly rate. No membership is free. Every member is asked to pay some portion of the cost of their membership on a monthly basis. Those who are approved for a sponsored membership are asked to commit to utilizing the facility a minimum of two times per week.

General Information

1. For Cambridge residents **ONLY**
2. Incomplete applications will be returned
3. Please attach or bring a void cheque with the completed application.
4. Only the person named on the YMCA membership card can use the card.
5. Fee assistance applies to the membership fee only. It does not include manuals, exam or course fees or items needed for the course.

THEN WHAT HAPPENS

1. Mail or drop off application in person to:
 - Chaplin Family YMCA of Cambridge, 250 Hespeler Road, Cambridge, N1R 3H3
2. If mailed in, once your application is processed a YMCA staff person will contact you.
3. An appointment to process your application is **not** required between the hours of 9am and 5pm, Monday through Friday. Outside of these hours please phone ahead for an appointment.
4. Once approved a YMCA membership will be set up for a period of one year or less.
5. The responsibility is on the individual to complete a new application before the membership expires.

YMCA Privacy Policy

The YMCA of Cambridge is committed to protecting personal information by following responsible information handling practices, in keeping with privacy laws. We collect and use personal data in order to better meet your service needs, to ensure a safe environment while members are visiting our centres, for statistical purposes, to inform you about the YMCA program or service in which you are registered, to complete payment transactions and to satisfy regulatory obligations. You may also hear from us periodically about other YMCA programs, services and opportunities that may interest and benefit you. Contact 519-621-3250 ext 244 for more information.

Step 3

List **all household 2009 income (before deductions) received during the year** (proof of income for the entire year must be attached) e.g. income tax return (not income tax summary), pay stub showing year to date earned and current date, cheque stub from Ontario Works, insurance benefits, etc. **Photocopies ONLY, no originals.** Name must be on proof of income provided. Bank statements cannot be accepted.

ANNUAL INCOME (before deductions)	Adult 1	Adult 2
<input type="checkbox"/> Employment Income	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Social Assistance (Ontario Works)	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Disability Benefits	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Old Age Security	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Canada Pension Plan	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Employment Insurance <small>(statement is required indicating weekly payment and # of weeks entitlement for Employment Insurance)</small>	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (e.g. support payment, RIF, etc.)	_____	_____

Step 4

Your application cannot be processed without proof of income as requested in STEP 3. Please include all attachments as requested. The information that you provide is confidential and will not be released. **Everyone receiving *Activities For Less* must be a resident of the City of Cambridge.**

I hereby attest that the information I provide in this application is complete, true and accurate.

Date: _____ Signature: _____

Statistics Canada Low Income Level Indicators

Family Size	100,000-499,999 City population
1	\$19,094
2	\$23,769
3	\$29,222
4	\$35,480
5	\$40,239
6	\$45,385
7 +	\$50,529

This table indicates 100% subsidy. There are also subsidies of 75%, 50% and 25%.

I wish to apply for *Activities For Less* at:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> City of Cambridge
mail to: W. G. Johnson Centre
31 Kribs Street
Cambridge, ON N3C 2L3 | <input type="checkbox"/> YMCA of Cambridge
250 Hespeler Road
Cambridge, ON N1R 3H3 |
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