



# Camp G.R.A.C.E.

Growth Recognition Achievement Character Encouragement

A partnership with YMCA of the Triangle Area and A Small Miracle, Inc.

**Camp Schedule:** see explanation of sessions on back

**A.E. Finley YMCA**

June 22 – July 2\*: Social Skills  
July 6 – July 17: Building Blocks  
July 20 – July 31: Social Skills  
August 3 – August 14: Building Blocks

**Kraft Family YMCA**

June 22 – July 2\*: Building Blocks  
July 6 – July 17: Social Skills  
July 20 – July 31: Building Blocks  
August 3 – August 14: Social Skills

\*Please note camp will not be operating on Friday, July 3 due to the observance of a national holiday.

**Registration Deadlines for A.E. Finley:**

Applications will be accepted beginning on January 26<sup>th</sup> for A.E. Finley or Triangle members of the YMCA, February 2<sup>nd</sup> for returning campers, and February 16<sup>th</sup> for all other program participants. A \$50/per session deposit is due when applications are turned in on the above dates.

**2009 Applications are available:**

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| A.E. Finley YMCA     | Kraft Family YMCA              | A Small Miracle, Inc.             |
| 9216 Baileywick Road | 1610 Center Street, Suite. 110 | 4904 Waters Edge Drive, Suite 275 |
| Raleigh, NC 27615    | Apex, NC 27502                 | Raleigh, NC 27606                 |

**Or online at:**

[www.ymcatriangle.org](http://www.ymcatriangle.org) or [www.asmallmiracleinc.com](http://www.asmallmiracleinc.com)

Lottery for A.E. Finley will be on April 15, 2009 and parents will be notified on April 20, 2009. Parents will be notified if their child has received a camper's slot in the session or if their child is on the waitlist.

**Prices:**

**Camp for Ages 6-13:**

\$373.00 for two-week session for A.E. Finley, Kraft, or Triangle YMCA members.

\$402.00 for two-week session for all other program participants.

**Camp for CILTS (Ages 14 & up) only offered during Social Skills sessions at A.E. Finley YMCA:**

\$299.00 for two-week session for A.E. Finley or Triangle YMCA members.

\$312.00 for two-week session for all other program participants.

**\*Scholarships and payment plans are available. Please check with Erin Grover or the front desk of the A. E. Finley YMCA for more information.**

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Kraft Family YMCA, Jeremy Crisp (919) 249-1417, [Jeremy.Crisp@ymcatriangle.org](mailto:Jeremy.Crisp@ymcatriangle.org)

## **Social Skills Sessions:**

Social Skills sessions are designed for children who do not require one-on-one assistance (1:3 ratio); the focus of the session will be on activity skill building, inclusive activities, and social situations. We will work on building individual skills and also incorporating teamwork.

The participants of this session should be able to do the following:

- Communicate Clearly
- Follow Complex Instructions
- Participate in Group Activities
- Independent Self-Help Skills

## **Building Blocks Sessions:**

The Building Blocks sessions are designed with a smaller ratio (1:2 ratio) to allow for more individual attention. The goal is to break down the activities in our smaller groups and work on teaching the basic skills. This session is developed for children who need more hand-over-hand assistance and more simplistic instructions.

## **Examples of Activities (which will be adapted for Social Skills and Building Blocks sessions):**

The following are examples of activities that are incorporated into the weekly schedules. Please note, the activities will be adapted to meet the needs and skill levels of the children.

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| Scooters        | Slip and Slide     |
| Soccer          | Arts and Crafts    |
| Bean Bag Games  | Imitation Games    |
| Tag Games       | Water Games        |
| Relay Races     | Music Intervention |
| Finger Painting | Ball Games         |
| Parachute Games |                    |