

## Magdalena Ecke Family YMCA Adventure Club Code of Conduct



The following Code of Conduct has been established for Magdalena Ecke Family YMCA Adventure Club programs. A high level of participation is expected of all participants. The Code of Conduct shall be observed by both youth and adults.

- I will maintain an attitude of respect and cooperation in dealing with YMCA volunteers and staff.
- I will be responsible for my own actions and those of my child(ren) at all times.
- I will strive to reflect the values of Caring, Honesty, Respect and Responsibility.
- I will adhere to the guidelines for responsible use of the Native American theme.
- I will refrain from all activities that endanger the health and safety of yourself, your child (ren) or others.
- Appropriate language will be used at all times.
- The facilities being used and the personal property of others will be respected at all times.
- I will support the YMCA of San Diego County drug/alcohol/smoking policy: Possession and/or consumption of alcoholic beverages or illegal drugs as well as smoking at any Y-Adventure Club event is prohibited.
- I will abide by all campground rules and regulations.
- At no time during a YMCA program may a volunteer or staff person be alone with a single child where he or she cannot be observed by others.
- Parents will never leave a child unsupervised.
- Positive techniques of guidance are strongly encouraged, including redirection, positive reinforcement and encouragement.
- Staff will not be with children they meet in YMCA programs outside the YMCA. This includes, but is not limited to: babysitting, sleep-overs, and inviting children to private home.
- YMCA staff will not be permitted to transport children in personal vehicles.
- Any suspicion of child abuse will be reported to a YMCA representative immediately. YMCA staff and volunteers are mandated reporters for child abuse.