

Ostomy Canada Youth Camp's *Mission Statement*

- To provide an opportunity for young people aged 9-18 who have ostomies or other special related needs (internal pouch, Crohn's disease, ulcerative colitis, bladder exstrophy, cancer, cecostomy tube, Mitrofanoff or spina bifida), to attend camp and participate in camp activities under professional supervision
- To provide formal/informal education on:
 - anatomy and physiology
 - self esteem and coping
 - sexuality
- To encourage independence and self confidence with personal care and camp activities
- To provide individual mentorship on stoma care and ostomy related needs (physical and or psychosocial).



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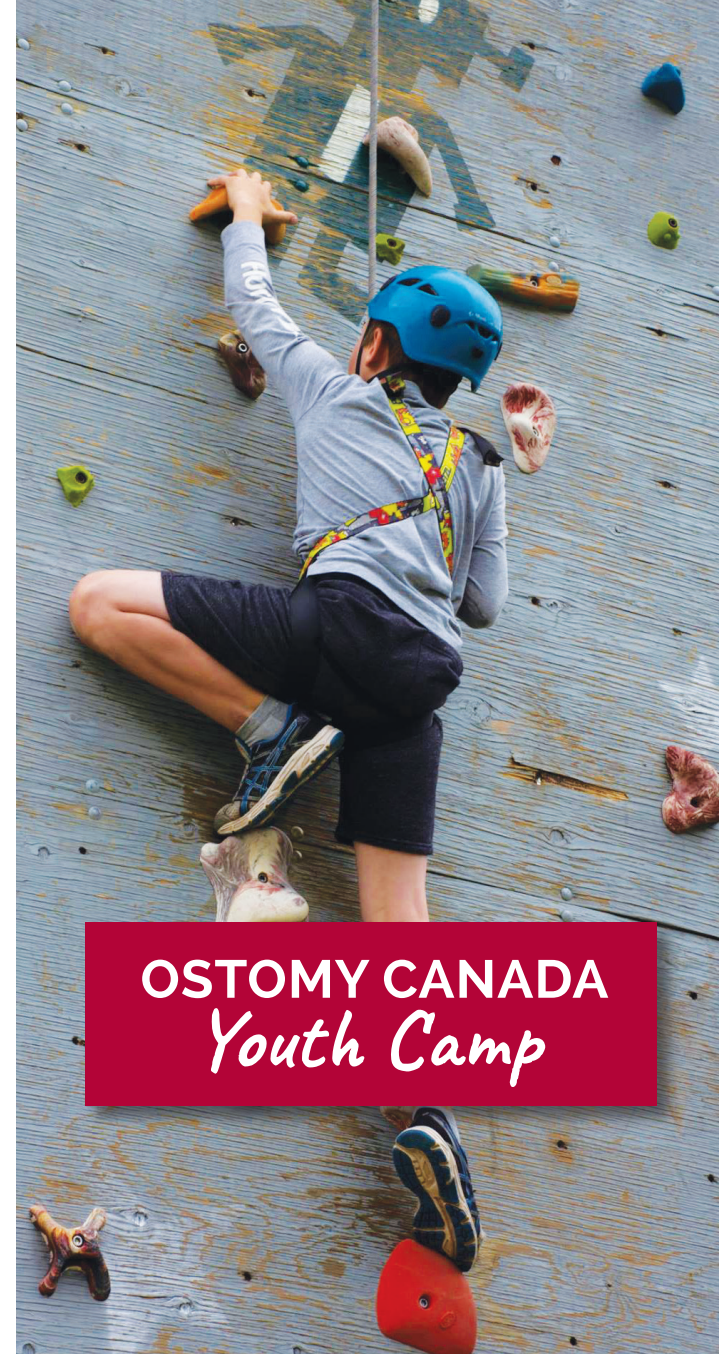
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OSTOMY CANADA Youth Camp

"Thank you so much for allowing me to come back to my favourite place on earth!" ~Aaron



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Dates/ Cost

6 days in July or August.
For dates and fees see: www.ostomycanada.ca/camp. Contact Ostomy Canada Society for information about registration fees and financial assistance. No child is ever denied the opportunity to attend camp due to financial limitations.

Who

Children between the ages 9–18 who have had or who will have bowel or bladder diversion surgery (such as an ostomy) or who have related special needs (e.g. self catheterization, bowel and bladder incontinence), due to birth defects, trauma or disease (i.e. internal pouch, Crohn's disease, ulcerative colitis, bladder exstrophy, cancer, cecostomy tube, Mitrofanoff or spina bifida).

Activities

- Formal/informal education sessions
- Swimming
- Rafting
- Camp out
- Arts and crafts
- Outdoor recreation
- Dance
- Rap sessions
- Archery



Where

Easter Seals Camp Horizon, Bragg Creek, Alberta (southwest of Calgary).
For more information about the camp see www.easterseals.ab.ca



"It's nice to be with people who understand what it's like to have an ostomy." ~Shane

