

**The Scott County Family Y
Membership Handbook
is currently in production.**

**In the meantime, please
find our Code of Conduct,
as well as our association-wide
Locker Room policy, on the next
three pages.**



YMCA

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strong families, strong communities.

Y Code of Conduct

The mission of the Scott County Family Y is to put Judeo Christian principles into practice through programs that build healthy spirit, mind and body for all. These principles include Caring, Honesty, Respect and Responsibility and are the basis for all we do as an organization. Using these core values as a guide, we have developed the following Code of Conduct to ensure that ALL who enter our facility enjoy a safe, welcoming and comfortable environment.

We respectfully require that all individuals act in a manner that upholds these principles at all times when they are in our facilities or participating in YMCA programs in our community. We expect those using the YMCA to behave in a way that shows respect and caring for others, which includes not using any language that is inflammatory or obscene or engaging in any action that can hurt or frighten another person or that falls below a generally accepted standard of conduct. Specifically, action which does not show respect for others and is not permitted includes:

- Wearing inappropriate attire. Attire must be appropriate, including swimsuits only in the pool area, and shoes, shorts and shirt or leotard in other areas of the facility. Clothing with vulgar or profane writing or pictures is not allowed in the facility. Individuals wearing such clothing will be asked to change clothes or leave the YMCA premises.
- Using angry or vulgar language which includes swearing of any kind, name calling or shouting.
- Making physical contact with another person in any angry or threatening way.

- Stealing or other behavior which results in the destruction of property.
- Carrying or concealing any weapons, devices or objects which may be used as weapons.
- Using or possessing illegal drugs, chemicals or alcohol on YMCA property or in YMCA vehicles.
- Smoking. All YMCA facilities and properties offers smoke-free environment for those who use them.
- Any other conduct of an inappropriate, threatening or offensive nature.
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Members and guests are encouraged to be responsible for their personal comfort and safety and to ask any person whose behavior threatens their comfort to refrain from doing so. If a member or guest feels uncomfortable confronting the person directly, they should report the behavior to a staff person who will respond immediately.

The managers and supervision team of the Scott County Family Y branches will investigate all reported incidents. Suspension or termination of the YMCA membership privileges, ranging in time from one day to permanent dismissal, may result from a determination by the management staff that a violation of this Code of Conduct has occurred.

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Scott County Family Y Locker Room Policy

Men's & Women's Locker Rooms

These locker rooms are for those 18 years and older. Members and guests will have access to private shower facilities, as well as hair dryers, swim suit spinners and towel service, where available, in each adult locker room. Kit lockers may also be rented for a small monthly fee – check with the Welcome Center for

availability. Please help keep your locker room clean and safe by reporting any inappropriate use of these facilities, including use by those under age 18.

Boy's & Girl's Locker Rooms

These areas are designated for children 17 and under. Parents are asked to supervise their children while using these facilities.

Family/Special Needs Locker Rooms

This area is available for parent/child (up to age 8) or those who might need to assist an adult of the opposite sex. **Changing children in the hallway of the Family/Special Needs Locker Room is prohibited.** If the locker rooms are full you may take your child to the youth locker rooms and change them there.

Locker Room Usage

The YMCA is not responsible for personal belongings. Please do not leave items of value in a locker or unattended in the building. All members and guests using the locker room should bring a lock to use. Other than rented lockers, locks must be removed after each use in order to have enough space for all members. Locks that are left overnight on the non-rental lockers will be cut off at the end

of the day and contents bagged and stored at the Welcome Center for 30 days. If these items are not claimed after 30 days they will be donated to charity. There are various hooks throughout the shower room – this is a good place for your bags or towels to hang while showering. Please be a courteous to fellow members and guests and do not leave your bag and/or towel in a shower as a way to “reserve” a shower. It is also a courtesy to clean up spilled makeup, excessive hair in the sink, etc., and to let the Welcome Center know immediately if there is a “major” mess to be clean up. We need your eyes and ears! Boys, girls and the family/special needs locker rooms are for all ages and must be used when you are here with children.

Thank you for abiding by the Scott County Family Y's locker room policies. If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to speak with any member of the Welcome Center staff or the facility's management team.

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