

Y-Guides Pancake Breakfast FACT SHEET

What is the Y-Guides Pancake Breakfast?

Each year, all groups of the Y-Guides Program (NunPaWaPa Nation, Trailblazers and Y-Papoose) hosts an annual Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser, which serves over 500 people with pancakes, sausages, bagels and drinks. This year, the event is scheduled for Saturday, November 7th, 7 a.m.-11 a.m. at Placerita Jr. High School.

What do I do with the tickets?

Each child enrolled in the Y-Guides Program is expected to sell 20 tickets for \$3 each (families with more than 1 child in the program is expected to sell 10 additional tickets per additional child). All participants are expected to turn in their \$60 minimum (for 1 child) by the morning of the pancake breakfast.

Where do the proceeds from the breakfast go?

100% of the proceeds of the Pancake Breakfast benefit the Santa Clarita YMCA's Y-Guides Program. The proceeds are deposited into each of the Nation's Wampum accounts which then supports the program (at the discretion of the Nation Council). In the past, proceeds have supported the following:

- Provides 100% financial assistance for program fees for families that require emergency assistance due to the loss of a job.
- Funds program/event enhancements (rental costs of boats, funding for an authentic Native American storyteller or dancer)
- Eagle Spirit awards—the Y-Guides Program promotes community service, teaching the youth to give back to the community. At the end of each program year, the tribe that receives the most eagle spirit points for participating in community service projects receive a special award and outing.
- Induction and graduation supplies—each parent-child pair entering the program receives a special necklace symbolizing their commitment to the program and its purpose of strengthening relationships between parent and child; in addition, each parent-child pair receives a special keepsake the final year of the program.

If I sell all of my tickets, how do I get more?

First of all, congratulations! What a terrific job! To get more tickets to sell, please contact Jenny Warner at the YMCA (661-253-3593 or jennywarner@ymcala.org) and she will get you more tickets.

What if I cannot sell all of my tickets?

The Pancake Breakfast is the largest annual fundraiser for the Y-Guides Program and the expectation is for all tickets to be sold. Some ideas: ask neighbors, colleagues, sport team members, or purchase the tickets yourself and then donate the tickets to a homeless shelter. You may drop off the tickets you were unable to sell when you drop off the money you have raised.

What can I do to help with the Pancake Breakfast?

All program participants will be asked to sign-up for a 1-hour time slot the day of the Pancake Breakfast to assist with set-up, clean-up, and cooking. Remember, the Pancake Breakfast is relying on the parent volunteers of the Y-Guides Program. If everyone sells their tickets and helps out, the event will be a huge success!



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strong families,
strong communities.