

# GROUP EXERCISE CLASS DESCRIPTIONS

## CARDIO / STRENGTH

**Athletic Conditioning** A cross training workout that combines movements from various sports, boot camp drills, muscle conditioning, and functional movements to improve cardio and muscular endurance and agility.

**Barre** Taking the hottest trend in dance-inspired conditioning, ballet barre training, and using "make-sense progressions" to create a format suitable for every level of exerciser. BARRE is a full-body workout like no other. No dance experience or pink tights required!

**BODYCOMBAT™** high-energy martial arts-inspired workout that is totally non-contact. No experience needed. Learn moves from Karate, Taekwondo, Boxing, Muay Thai, Capoeira and Kung Fu. Punch and kick your way to fitness.

**BODYPUMP™** THE ORIGINAL BARBELL CLASS, and the ideal workout for anyone looking to develop lean muscle and get fit fast! Using light to moderate weights with lots of repetition, BODYPUMP gives you a total body workout.

**Core Conditioning** A muscle toning class that focuses on your core through trunk stability and strength training exercises.

**Cycle** Indoor cycle class on stationary bikes that includes a variety of techniques & skills to provide a high energy cardio workout.

**Low Impact Fitness** Enjoy fun, low-impact exercise as you move through a variety of exercises designed to be easier on your joints and bones. Increase your muscular strength and range of movement as well as your cardiovascular fitness, helping with everyday activities!

**Strength Fusion** Sculpt your entire body using a variety of equipment & exercises with an emphasis on strength & balance.

**TRX®** Total Body Resistance Exercise training uses your bodyweight and TRX straps to challenge your entire body with exercises designed to develop strength, balance, flexibility & core stability simultaneously.

## MIND / BODY

**BODYBALANCE™** a new generation yoga class for anyone and everyone to help improve your mind, body and life. You can expect to bend and stretch through a series of simple yoga moves with elements of Tai Chi and Pilates incorporated. Breathing control is a part of all exercises.

**Gentle Yoga** A gentle class for anyone looking for a relaxing practice incorporating stretching, breathing and balance.

**Meditation** focuses on the numerous benefits of Meditating for overall wellbeing in mind, body and spirit, which can ultimately enhance our happiness and equanimity. Various modalities will be explored in this class including silent meditation, point-of-focus meditation, and guided meditation techniques.

**Pilates** evolved from the principles of Joseph Pilates, this conditioning program incorporates strengthening, toning and stretching exercises for a full body workout. Proper breathing, core training, and flexibility are key portions of this class.

**Slow Flow Yoga** a slower pace class where you will learn to combine breathing, flowing postures and meditation in this gentle, but deep approach to Vinyasa yoga.

**Tai Chi for Arthritis** In this class, you will have a chance to improve balance, mobility, pain, and mental health. While focused on arthritis improvement, this class is open to anyone who wishes to start a Tai Chi practice.

**Vinyasa Yoga** students will focus on linking conscious breath with mindful movement, awakening their energy and flexibility. A number of postures will be practiced, with a focus on moving gracefully from one pose to the next. Intensity level set by instructor and all poses modifiable.

**DANCE**

**Hip Hop Fitness** A dance-based cardio & toning program that blends various hip hop & dancehall moves to strengthen the core & lower body. Dance to the hottest hits while getting fit & having fun!

**Zumba®** Latin inspired dance class that incorporates international and pop music creating a dynamic, exciting, and effective workout.

## KIDS

**Kid Fit (ages 4+)** Get your kids moving and active while having fun, incorporating basic aerobic exercises, games, and physical activities to get their hearts pumping and interests engaged.

**Kids Yoga (ages 6+)** In this class, your child can tame their "inner animal" by practicing traditional Yoga poses, relaxation, meditation, and breathing techniques. This class will also help kids learn to move with focused energy in a fun and nurturing environment.

## PAID PROGRAMS

**Ferguson Fit** 18-week falls prevention exercise program that improves endurance, strength, balance, and flexibility. Designed to reduce arthritis symptoms with safe, low impact exercises led by certified instructors in a relaxed atmosphere that promotes fun, laughter, friendship, and smiles! In-person and via ZOOM. Register at front desk. \$180 members / \$245 non-members.

**Rock Steady Boxing** 12-week Parkinson's wellness recovery program designed to help maintain or restore skills that deteriorate and interfere with everyday movements. Exercises are largely adapted from boxing drills that focus on optimal agility, speed, muscular endurance, accuracy, hand-eye coordination, footwork and overall strength. Exercises vary in purpose and form but share one common trait: they are rigorous and intended to challenge the participant. Register at front desk. \$125 members / \$150 non-members.

**Youth Ballet** Our youth ballet programming focuses on the basic principles of dance, movement, coordination, balance, rhythm, and choreography. Sessions run quarterly. Next one starts March! \$125 for members / \$185 non-members.

- Creative Movement (ages 3-4)
- Youth Ballet (ages 5-7)



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FOR HEALTHY LIVING  
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

# GROUP EXERCISE SCHEDULE

## MAY 2024

### FERGUSON FAMILY YMCA

**Ferguson Family YMCA**  
31 Westridge Market Place  
828-575-2940 | Ymcawnc.org

## RESERVE YOUR SPOT

Required reservations for classes open 26 hours in advance.

**Scan this code to download the mobile app and get started!**



**\*\*Reservation is forfeited if not present at scheduled start of class\*\***

## CENTER HOURS

Mon-Thurs	6:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Friday	6:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Saturday	8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Sunday	10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

## CHILDCARE HOURS

Mon-Thurs	8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. 3:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.
Fri-Sat	8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

