



Richard Scranton swings into action during a CYO excursion to Egypt Park.



Robert Dixon and Tracy White work out with a friendly Indian.



Tracy White has found a new way to look at things.

# The CYO Day Camp

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How can a group of kids ages 6-13 visit interesting places, learning and having fun along the way? Three hundred and fifteen kids from the Rochester diocese have found the answer by joining the CYO day camp program.

The program begins at 8 a.m. when the bus begins picking up the kids who will either travel to one of the six camp locations or head out on a field trip.

The six area camps are the Northwest, Southwest, City Central, City East, City West, and the Northeast.

Sites frequently visited by the group are the Monroe County parks, the state police station in Canandaigua, Seneca Park Zoo, Lollypop Farm, and Fantasy Island near Niagara Falls to mention only a few of their stops.

The children, once on the road, seem to have little concern for their destination when, in the company of other day campers, they can enjoy a sack lunch on the grass or a field trip to Lollypop Farm with equal enthusiasm.

Sam Utter, director for the City West

region, recently remarked, "The staff under my direction is interested in working together trying to educate the kids in as many ways as possible." In speaking of the camps themselves he said, "We try to identify each camp as a group within itself."

Joseph Judge who is in charge of the Southwest region's camp said of the CYO program, "It gives kids the chance to visit places they couldn't see because their parents are working during the summer. Also, it gives kids the chance to experience working together, living together."

Jack Quiggle, who supervises the program for the CYO, said that one of the major problems confronting the program is the expense, which has been steadily increasing. He quickly noted however, that he already sees changes for next year, which should help in his efforts to cut costs.

In discussing the main goal of the CYO Quiggle said it was a commitment to offering day campers learning experiences rather than babysitting services.

Registration is on a weekly basis and will continue until Aug. 16. Requests for further information are directed to Quiggle at the CYO's office on Chestnut Street, telephone 454-2030.



Chris Manville jumps from a stump as he heads for a game of kickball.



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