YMCA BRANCHES
Bonita Springs YMCA
Bradenton YMCA
Englewood YMCA
Fort Myers YMCA
Franz Ross YMCA
Lakewood Ranch YMCA
Palmer Ranch YMCA
Punta Gorda YMCA
Sarasota City YMCA
Venice YMCA

SKY ACADEMIES
SKY Academy Englewood
SKY Academy Venice

EARLY LEARNING ACADEMIES
Charlotte Harbor YMCA Early Learning Academy

Bonita Springs YMCA The Suwyn Early Learning Academy

Venice YMCA Early Learning Academy

YMCA Early Learning Academy at PGT Innovations

OFFSITE LOCATIONS
Cooper Street Recreation Center
YMCA Camp Estero

ALSO SERVING
Cape Coral
Clewiston
DeSoto
Estero
Labelle
Lehigh Acres
Moore Haven
North Port

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YMCA of Southwest Florida Welcomes Two Distinguished Leaders to Board of Directors

VENICE, FL — October 13, 2026— YMCA of Southwest Florida is pleased to welcome Selynto Anderson, Ph.D., and Samuel "Sam" C. Scott III to its Board of Directors. Their appointments add significant healthcare, corporate leadership, governance and community expertise to the YMCA's Board as the organization continues to expand its impact across Southwest Florida.

"We are honored to welcome Dr. Anderson and Sam Scott to YMCA of Southwest Florida's Board of Directors," said John Giglio, Chief Volunteer Officer. "Both have demonstrated an exceptional commitment to leadership and community service throughout their careers. Their experience and perspective will be tremendous assets to the Y and the communities we serve."

Selynto Anderson, Ph.D.

Dr. Anderson joined Lee Health in 2022 and leads the health system's community health impact strategy and programs. He previously served as Vice President of Community Health at Self-Regional Healthcare in South Carolina, where he spent more than 15 years in healthcare leadership, developing initiatives focused on population health, wellness, health access and community health outcomes. Dr. Anderson holds a doctorate in public health from Walden University and currently serves on the boards of Habitat for Humanity of Lee & Hendry Counties, The Chamber of Southwest Florida and Goodwill Industries of Southwest Florida.

Samuel "Sam" C. Scott III

Scott is the retired Chairman, President and CEO of Corn Products International, Inc., now known as Ingredion, where he led a global ingredients solutions company. He brings extensive experience in executive leadership and corporate governance, including current service as Lead Independent Director of GCM Grosvenor and previous board service with BNY Mellon, Motorola Solutions and Abbott Laboratories. Scott also serves with nonprofit and civic organizations including Ringling College of Art and Design, Sarasota Memorial Hospital Foundation and the American Business Immigration Coalition, and holds both a B.S. and M.B.A. from Fairleigh Dickinson University.

"The addition of Dr. Anderson and Sam to our Board reflects the strength and depth of leadership we want to bring to the YMCA as we look toward our future," said Gene T. Jones, President and CEO of YMCA of Southwest Florida. "Their experience, relationships and commitment to community will help us think boldly about how the Y can continue to meet the evolving needs of Southwest Florida."

YMCA of Southwest Florida serves more than 107,000 individuals across seven counties through programs focused on youth development, healthy living, education, food security, drowning prevention and community engagement.

To learn more about YMCA of Southwest Florida's mission and programs, please visit www.ymcaswfl.org.

For more information on YMCA of Southwest Florida, community members are encouraged to contact Jamie Browning, Vice President of Philanthropy, YMCA of Southwest Florida, at (941) 492-9622 or JBrowning@ymcaswfl.org.

About YMCA of Southwest Florida
YMCA of Southwest Florida is a leading non-profit strengthening southwest Florida communities through youth development, healthy living and social responsibility. Driven by its founding mission, the Y has served as a leading non-profit committed to strengthening community for more than 175 years. The Y empowers everyone, no matter who they are or where they're from, by ensuring access to resources, relationships and opportunities for all to learn, grow and thrive. By bringing together people from different backgrounds, perspectives and generations, the Y aims to improve overall health and well-being, ignite youth empowerment and demonstrate the importance of connections in and across Manatee, Sarasota, Charlotte, Lee, Desoto, Hendry and Glades Counties.