

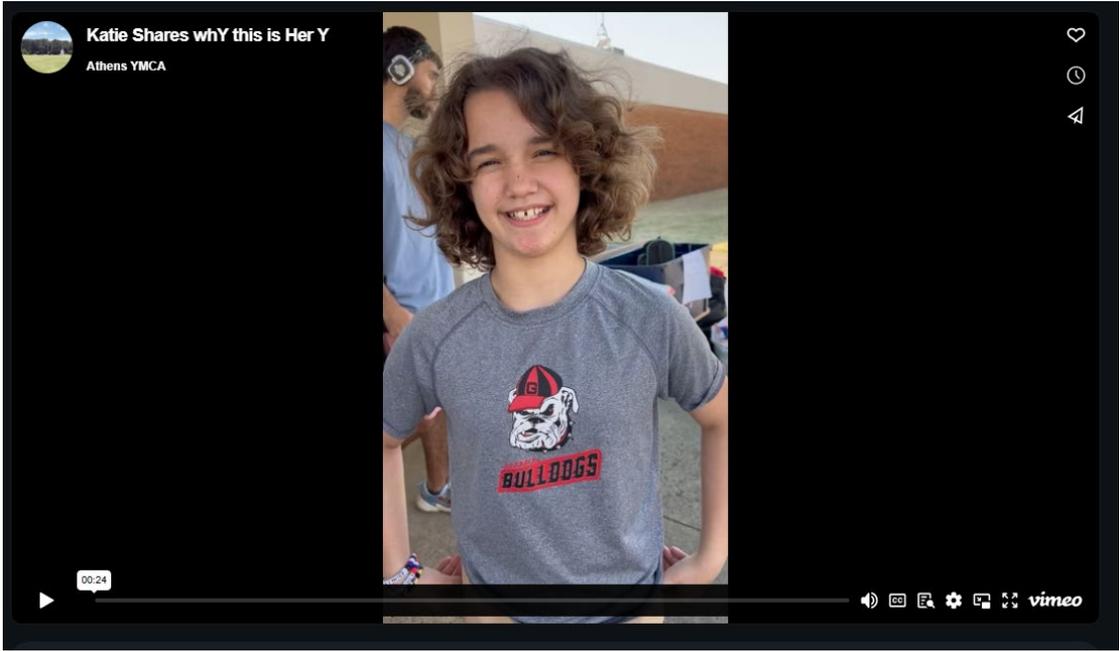
whY the Y

Dear Friend of the Athens YMCA,

Sweet moments happen every day at the Athens Y tucked in between the chaos— moments that remind me why this place matters.

Last week, one of our 6th graders, Katie, who’s been coming here since she was five, did something incredible. She gave *all her change* to our Building Community Campaign.

When we asked why, this is what she said:



Katie wants to make sure every student has the chance to belong here, just like she has.

But we can't do it without you. Right now, hundreds of kids are on waitlists for swim lessons, summer camp, athletic programs, and scholarships.

Will you join Katie and give for the future of the Y?



GIVE TODAY!

Why the Y?

Because it's a place where kids say:

"The Y is my favorite place... it's where I'm known for being me!"

Thank you for making that possible.

Blessings,

Shae Wilson

CEO