YOUTH DROP-IN ACTIVITIES



Just For Youth!

Explore your potential through dynamic programs, exciting events, and meaningful opportunities. Whether it's sports, leadership, volunteering, or just hanging out at The Loft — there's always something happening for Youth in Aurora!



YOUTH FRIENDLY COMMUNITY

The Town of Aurora continues to thrive as a Platinum Youth Friendly Community, recognized provincially for our commitment to serve youth aged 13 to 19. The designation program acknowledges the work of communities to ensure their youth have continuous access to a diversity of play opportunities. Visit www.aurora.ca/YouthFriendly for full details.



YOUTH CENTRE

The Aurora Family Leisure Complex is the proud home of our Youth Centre. Come by with your friends to enjoy all of these exciting drop-in opportunities!

THE LOFT

Age: 12 to 17 years

Fee: FREE

The Loft houses an entertainment and media corner, pool table, table tennis, air hockey and much more. Full details at www.aurora.ca/theloft.

YOUTH GYMNASIUM DROP-IN

Age: 12 to 17 years Fee: \$3.25 per person

Bring your friends, or come out to meet new ones while enjoying lots of different sport activities in the gymnasium! See Family Drop-In Programs page for the full drop-in details.

OUTDOOR SKATE PARK

Check out our 10,000 sq. ft. permanent skate park, located at the AFLC. There are numerous ramps, rails and bowls.





BUILD A SKILL WORKSHOPS

Join Us For These Exciting Programs!

RESUME READY!

Age: 14 to 17 years Location: AFLC



Get equipped with the essential skills to prepare your resume and fill out job applications confidently. This program will focus on effective communication, professional etiquette, and strategies for a successful job search. Whether you're crafting your first resume or applying for your dream job, we'll help you stand out in the application process. Join us and become job ready.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Sat	Oct 18	9:00am - 12:00pm	\$29.00/1	37129

ACE YOUR INTERVIEW

Age: 14 to 17 years Location: AFLC



In this program, you won't just learn what to say, you'll actually practice it on the spot. You'll get to tackle the topmost asked real-time interview questions in a supportive, hands-on environment. Through interactive exercises, group sessions, and practical techniques like the "60 Seconds to Impact" method and the STAR formula, you'll build confidence and skills you can use immediately. Sign up today and watch as you ace your next interview.

DAY			FEE/CLASS	
Wed	Nov 21	4:00pm - 7:00pm	\$55.00/1	37131

LEADER IN TRAINING MULTI-WEEK

Age: 13 to 15 years Location: AFLC



This multi-week program is an introduction to leadership development in summer camp. Each week will consist of in-class training which includes basic information on program planning, communication, effective behaviour management for children, games, songs, policies and procedures.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Tue	Oct 21	6:00pm - 8:00pm	\$302.00/7	37096

ARCHERY

Age: 12 to 17 years Location: AFLC

Participants will get to learn and practise basic archery skills and techniques with their friends in an enjoyable and safe environment.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Mon	Sept 15	7:15pm - 8:15pm	\$55.00/6	37106
Mon	Nov 10	7:15pm - 8:15pm	\$55.00/6	37107

AURORA BARBARIANS - LEARN TO RUBY

Age: 11 to 14 years

Location: Lind Realty Sports Dome

This non-contact session is geared towards learning how to play touch/flag rugby through mini/modified games. These sessions will be filled with fun challenges, while learning how to play rugby. Participants will receive an article of Aurora Barbarians clothing.

*No class on: Oct 13

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Mon	Sept 15	5:00pm - 6:00pm	\$40.00/8	36940*

BADMINTON BLAST

Age: 12 to 15 years Location: SARC

This introductory program will provide participants with the opportunity to gain experience with various badminton skills and an opportunity to rally with peers. Join us for an active hour of badminton while making new friends. All levels are welcome.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Mon	Sept 15	5:45pm - 6:45pm	\$55.00/6	37109
Mon	Nov 10	5:45pm - 6:45pm	\$55.00/6	37108

BALLET

Age: 11 to 14 years Location: ATS

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Ballet class offers new dancers the opportunity to learn the fundamentals of ballet in a nurturing and supportive environment. Through structured lessons and creative exercises, students will develop grace, discipline, and a love for the art of dance.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Sat	Oct 25	1:00pm - 2:00pm	\$150.00/8	37098

BASKETBALL SKILL DEVELOPMENT

Age: 13 to 17 years **Location: SARC**



This exciting co-ed program introduces youth aged players to the game of basketball. Each week we will focus on a fundamental basketball skill to give beginners a chance to learn and more experienced players a chance to fine tune their skills. Focus will include: shooting, passing, ball handling, rebounding, offense and defense.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Wed	Sept 17	7:00pm - 7:45pm	\$55.00/6	37110
Wed	Nov 12	7:00pm - 7:45pm	\$55.00/6	37111

CANADA SAFETY COUNCIL - BABYSITTER'S TRAINING

Age: 12 to 16 years **Location: AFLC**

The Canada Safety Council Babysitter's Training course will provide participants with the skills and knowledge to safely care for children, while building confidence alongside their peers.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Thu	Oct 23	6:00pm - 8:00pm	\$90.00/5	37099

CANADA SAFETY COUNCIL - HOME ALONE

Age: 10 to 13 years **Location: AFLC**

The Canada Safety Council Home Alone course will provide participants with appropriate skills and knowledge to remain home on their own for short periods of time. Participants will learn skills such as home safety, when to call 911, fire safety and much more.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Thu	Sept 18	6:30pm - 8:00pm	\$58.00/4	37112
Sat	Sept 26	9:00am - 4:00pm	\$58.00/1	37113
Sat	Nov 21	9:00am - 4:00pm	\$58.00/1	37115

CONFIDENT CONVERSATIONS - PUBLIC SPEAKING

Age: 10 to 17 years **Location: AFLC**



This program is tailored to elevate self-confidence in conversations from the ground up, simplifying socializing through engaging activities and interactive exercises. Participants will explore confidence techniques, impactful presentation design, delivery styles, and constructive feedback.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Wed	Sept 17	4:30pm - 5:30pm	\$125.00/4	37133

CONFIDENT LEADERS - LEADERSHIP TRAINING

Age: 10 to 17 years **Location: AFLC**

This dynamic course develops foundational leadership skills through hands-on activities and real-world practice. Participants will explore self-leadership, effective communication, empathy, and team leadership while leading groups, tackling challenges, and receiving feedback to foster confidence, critical thinking, and selfdiscipline in a supportive environment.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Wed	Nov 19	4:30pm - 5:30pm	\$125.00/4	37134

CONFIDENT PRESENTATIONS - PUBLIC SPEAKING

Age: 10 to 17 years **Location: AFLC**



Led by National Award-Winning Speaker Tyler Bayley, this course focuses on mastering "Prepared Presentation" techniques with an emphasis on power, design and style. Participants will enhance their skills through interactive worksheets, written evaluations, and engaging 10-minute homework assignments, with a final certificate assessment.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Wed	Oct 15	4:30pm - 5:30pm	\$125,00/4	37135

YOUTH VOLUNTEER FAIR

Wednesday October 8 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. Aurora Town Square

Make a difference in your community, get involved!

- Check out a variety of local Aurora & GTA organizations
- Build your community service toolkit
- Sign up for volunteer opportunities on the spot

aurora.ca/YouthVolunteering



COOKING CLUB

Age: 11 to 14 years Location: AFLC

Learn about kitchen safety, food hacks and how to make healthy choices. Each week participants will create a new recipe, enjoy a snack and work with others to have fun in the kitchen.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Thu	Sept 18	4:00pm - 5:30pm	\$116.00/4	37116
Thu	Oct 22	4:00pm - 5:30pm	\$116.00/4	37117
Thu	Nov 27	4:00pm - 5:30pm	\$116.00/4	37118

GIRLS GOT GAME BASKETBALL SKILL & HOUSE LEAGUE

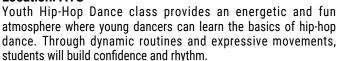
Age: 8 to 13 years Location: AFLC

This program is focused on girls who are interested in learning the game of basketball, developing their skills, and building confidence. Emphasis will be on skill development and learning the team concepts in a fun, interactive environment. This is for GIRLS ONLY and no experience is necessary.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Wed	Oct 1	7:00pm - 8:15pm	\$246.00/10	37100

HIP-HOP DANCE

Age: 11 to 14 years Location: ATS



Fri Oct 24 6:30pm - 7:30pm \$150.00/8 37147	DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
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PICKLEBALL - LEARN TO PLAY

Age: 10 to 17 years Location: ASC

This is a fun sport that combines many elements of tennis, badminton and ping-pong. Youth will learn pickleball basics and be able to play with more confidence at the end of this introductory learn to play program. Our coaches will cover the fundamentals of serve, return and volley. This program is offered by Elevation Athletics Association. All abilities and skill levels are welcome. Paddles will be provided for players that do not have their own.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Mon	Sept 15	5:30pm - 6:30pm	\$92.00/8	37119
Wed	Sept 17	5:30pm - 6:30pm	\$92.00/8	37120

STONE MONKEYS ROCK CLIMBING

Age: 12 to 17 years Location: AFLC



Follow in the footsteps of Yosemite climbing royalty with our Stone Monkeys climbing course. Designed for ages 12 to 17, this program covers essential climbing techniques, safety practices, and teamwork skills through interactive and challenging activities.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Sat	Nov 8	2:15pm - 3:15pm	\$60.00/4	37102



aurora.ca/GenderEquity



AGE REQUIREMENTS

For most Youth programs, participants must be the minimum program age by the last class of the program. Some exceptions apply.

STORM VOLLEYBALL - FUNDAMENTALS

Age: 11 to 13 years Location: AFLC

This introductory program lays the groundwork for aspiring volleyball players. Athletes will learn essential skills and positional gameplay, with coaches emphasizing a strong foundation. Designed for beginners, this program focuses on building a solid understanding of volleyball fundamentals.

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DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Tue	Oct 14	5:45pm - 6:45pm	\$154.00/8	37104

STORM VOLLEYBALL - SKILL DEVELOPMENT

Age: 11 to 13 years Location: AFLC

In this program players transition from foundational skills to refining their techniques. Coaches will lead drills and gameplay sessions to enhance technical abilities while incorporating strategic elements. Designed for athletes who can consistently execute the basic skills of volleyball.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Tue	Oct 14	7:00pm - 8:00pm	\$154.00/8	37105

STRONG IN SPORT

Age: 10 to 12 years Location: AFLC

Female identifying participants will take part in sport, physical activity, mindfulness, and confidence building activities led by an all-female coaching team. Each week participants will have a chance to try out various sport activities in a friendly, non-competitive environment. Programming will focus on supporting participant's mental and emotional well-being.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Thu	Oct 16	5:00pm - 6:30pm	\$40.00/8	37148



YOUTH PROGRAM

This program is brought to you by the Aurora Cultural Centre.

LEARN CARTOONING

Age: 11 to 16 years Location: ATS

This program is brought to you by the Aurora Cultural Centre. Learn the fundamentals of cartoon drawing. By breaking down different parts of cartoon and anime characters, students will learn how to draw hair, eyes, hands, faces, emotions, perspective, style, noses, body proportion and so much more. It is the perfect class to learn fun basic drawing skills needed to create anime and cartoons. Digital devices are welcome to the class. Please email info@auroraculturalcentre.ca if you have any guestions.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Wed	Sept 17	4:30pm - 5:30pm	\$125.00/5	36784

