

INCLUSION SERVICES



The Town of Aurora welcomes and encourages residents of all abilities to have equitable and meaningful access to recreation opportunities. This is accomplished through specialized programming, individualized support options and accessible facilities for patrons with disabilities or unique needs. Service animals are welcome at all Town owned and operated facilities.

INTEGRATED OPPORTUNITIES



Additional Support

Participants with disabilities and unique needs are encouraged to take part in year-round recreation programs that suit their interests and hobbies. If assistance is required outside of the typical staff to participant ratio, individuals have the following options:

• 1:1 Town Support Staff

Inclusion 1:1 support staff are available to facilitate participation in all Town of Aurora recreation programs. A support staff may provide redirection for safety reasons and allow opportunities for sensory or emotional breaks. Upon request, the Town of Aurora will do their best to arrange a 1:1 support staff for a participant based on availability and resources. In most cases, 1:1 support can be arranged, however, we ask families to provide at least two weeks notice prior to the start of a program to allow for adequate time to confirm a staff member.

• External Support Workers

The Town of Aurora welcomes external personal support workers into all our programs and drop-ins at no additional registration costs. An external support worker can include a parent, family member, or paid external staff member at the expense of the family.

Participants require additional support if:

- They have extra support at school or at home;
- A physical, medical, or developmental/learning disability exists that affects the safety of others;
- Extra support is required at home for basic care such as dressing and toileting;
- The individual is currently associated with a support agency or program; or
- There are challenging behaviours to be managed.



If you have any questions, please send us an email.

Inclusion Services
inclusion@aurora.ca



www.aurora.ca/inclusionservices

COOK-ABILITY

Age: *12 to 17 years

^18+ years

Location: AFLC

This hands-on introductory cooking class will provide participants with developmental disabilities an opportunity to experience the joys of cooking while having fun and even being a little messy. Learn about cooking equipment and a variety of skills that are used in the kitchen, along with kitchen safety. Create a menu as a team, incorporating food groups into each session/meal. A 1:3 staff to participant ratio will be provided.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Wed	Oct 1	6:30pm – 8:00pm	\$175.00/6	36944*
Fri	Oct 3	6:30pm – 8:00pm	\$175.00/6	36943^

INCLUSION – PLAY FOR ALL

Age: 4 to 10 years

Location: ACC

This program will focus on the development of gross motor skills, a variety of movement skills, turn taking and sharing. Adult caregiver supervision and participation is encouraged in this class. A 1:3 staff to participant ratio will be provided.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Sun	Sept 21	1:00pm – 2:00pm	\$100.00/8	37036

New!

JAYS CARE – CHALLENGER BASEBALL

Age: 6 to 12 years

Location: ASC

Join us weekly for fun-filled sessions where athletes living with disabilities will learn the core life skills inherent to baseball including teamwork, communication, self-regulation, resiliency, inclusion, support and courage. In partnership with the Jays Care Foundation, we are excited about this adaptive baseball program. Created in partnership with Little League Canada and Baseball Canada, this program is specifically designed to empower children, youth and adults living with physical and/or cognitive disabilities.

*No class on: Nov 1

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Sat	Sept 20	9:15am – 10:15am	\$37.00/8	37038*



All Abilities Open Gym

Join us for a family friendly and sensory aware sport drop-in that features lower numbers, space to spread out and a variety of activities

SARC Desjardins Gymnasium

Fridays, 4 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Sundays, 8:45 a.m. to 10:15 a.m.

No pre-registration required. Participants must attend with their own support.

Full Details and Schedules
www.aurora.ca/SARCDropins

INCLUSION SUPPORT IN CAMPS

Does your child require 1:1 support for their P.A. Day Camps or Winterfest Camps?

1:1 SUPPORT FOR SEASONAL CAMPS

Age: 4 to 12 years

Inclusion 1:1 Support is available for campers with disabilities whose needs are not met within large group supervision ratios and require an additional staff to be integrated into a P.A. Day or Winterfest Camp. Inclusion 1:1 Support staff can provide emotional and sensory breaks, assist with personal care, and help adapt programming to fit the needs of each individual camper. Registrants must register into a Camp program, along with the 1:1 support for the same date.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Fri	Sept 26	8:30am – 4:30pm	FREE/1	36964
Fri	Oct 24	8:30am – 4:30pm	FREE/1	36963
Fri	Nov 21	8:30am – 4:30pm	FREE/1	36962
Mon	Dec 22	8:30am – 4:30pm	FREE/1	36965
Tue	Dec 23	8:30am – 4:30pm	FREE/1	36966
Mon	Dec 29	8:30am – 4:30pm	FREE/1	36969
Tue	Dec 30	8:30am – 4:30pm	FREE/1	36967
Fri	Jan 2	8:30am – 4:30pm	FREE/1	36968

PLAY-ABILITY KINDER

Age: 4 to 7 years

Location: ACC

Participants will partake in an engaging warm-up, sing-alongs, and interactive movement activities. This program will focus on the development of gross motor skills, a variety of movement skills, turn taking and sharing. A 1:3 staff to participant ratio will be provided.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Wed	Sept 24	5:00pm – 5:45pm	\$100.00/8	37037

PLAY-ABILITY KIDS

Age: 8 to 12 years

Location: ACC

Participants will partake in an engaging warm-up, engaging games and interactive movement activities. This program will focus on building and strengthening social skills with peers, physical activity, and appropriate play. A 1:3 staff to participant ratio will be provided.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Wed	Sept 24	6:00pm – 6:45pm	\$100.00/8	36947

SOC-ABILITY

Age: *12 to 15 years

^16 to 21 years

Location: AFLC

Come and join our social club for youth and young adults of all abilities. Join us weekly for a hang out session specifically designed for participants aged 12 to 15 and 16 to 21 years old. Soc-Ability sessions will include simple activities, facilitated social discussion, and other theme-focused chats with friends. This program will have a focus on meeting new people, practicing social and life skills, and socializing in a safe, adapted and supported space. All abilities are welcome. A 1:4 staff to participant ratio will be provided.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Mon	Oct 20	3:30pm – 4:30pm	\$10.00/4	36946^
Mon	Oct 20	4:45pm – 5:45pm	\$10.00/4	36945*

INCLUSION SUPPORT

If your participant requires 1:1 support, please email our Inclusion Services team at inclusion@aurora.ca.