# AURORA TOWN SQUARE



# **Exhibits, Performances & Events**

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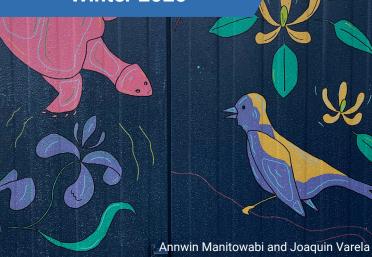
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## **Winter 2025**



# Exhibits

Presented by the Aurora Cultural Centre

#### **Congruent (by definitions)**

Group Exhibition Continuing through January 18 Great Hall Gallery

#### Annwin Manitowabi and Joaquin Varela

Temporary Mural Continuing through January 19 Lower Hall Gallery

#### **GCAC Permanent Collection**

Georgina Centre for Arts and Culture Continuing through January 26 Homeroom Galleries

#### Mayor's Celebration of Youth Arts '25 February 13 - April 25 Homeroom, Great Hall and Lower Hall Galleries

Admission to galleries is free. Guided tours available at a fixed rate. To inquire, please email: info@auroraculturalcentre.ca.



# **Exhibits**

Presented by the Aurora Museum & Archives

#### Long Term Exhibits

## Echoes of Aurora: Bridging Past & Present Continuing through June 30

The Aurora Room

#### **Before The Land Was Broken**

By: August Swinson Permanent Mural The Aurora Room

## **Rotating Exhibits**

## Standing in the Doorway: Lived Histories & Experiences of the Chinese Community

On Loan from the Markham Museum and YRDSB Museum & Archives January 13 – March 16 Town Square Galleries

## Standing in the Doorway Opening Reception

Join us for interactive family-friendly activities as we officially open this award-winning exhibition! Saturday, January 25 | 10 to 12 p.m. Brevik Hall



Student artwork from Unionville High School

# **Details & Contact Us**

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# **Film Screenings**

Presented by the Town of Aurora

An Evening in Oblivion February 21 | 6:30 p.m. | \$12

The untold true story of Operation: Oblivion, a secret World-War II special forces unit comprised of Chinese-Canadian soldiers on how the unit's material culture worked to challenge and reshape the standard narratives of Canadian history to include racialized communities.

Join us on National Puppy Day for a screening of Happy **Woodland Pet Cemetery: Uncovering History** Sunday, March 23 | 2 p.m.

Recipient of a gold Telly Award, Happy Woodland Pet Cemetery: Uncovering History, is directed and produced by Mountain Goat Film Company in conjunction with the Aurora Museum & Archives. The film explores the origins of the pet cemetery, believed to be the first in Canada, and the vital work of Museum staff and volunteers who have been restoring and cataloguing the burial sites of more than 800 named pets on the property. Join us for a screening of this short documentary, which will be followed by a Q&A with staff.



# Performances

Presented by the Aurora Cultural Centre

#### "Up Close & Musical" Performing Arts

Campbell, Fagan, Park Trio New Orford String Quartet

Great Artist Music Series January 17 | 7 p.m. | \$40 Classical

**Great Artist Music Series** March 7 | 7:30 p.m. | \$40 Classical

#### **OW4RTZ**

January 25 | 7:30 p.m. | \$50 Magic Carpet Series for Pop

# Ouest for the Moon ages 18 months+

March 15 | 11 a.m. | \$10

Kattam and His Tam-Tams Family

Family Series for ages 4+ Feb 15 | 2 p.m. | \$25 Family

**Kellylee Evans** Supported by Sammy Jackson Feb 22 | 7:30 p.m. | \$50 Jazz/Blues

# Newberry & Verch

March 1 | 7:30 p.m. | \$40 Folk

Danny Michel **Supported by Drew** Gonsalves March 22 | 7:30 p.m. | \$40 Folk

## Genticorum

March 29 | 7:30 p.m. | \$40 Folk

Buy 3 or more shows in the Up Close & Musical Series and receive 15 % off!\* Receive 4 tickets for the price of 3 on all Magic Carpet & Family shows!\*

To purchase, visit AuroraCulturalCentre.ca, or in-person at the Aurora Town Square Box Office. \*Conditions apply. All prices inclusive of taxes and fees.



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# **AURORA TOWN SQUARE**





Aurora Film Circuit invites you to join us for screenings of first-run films at Aurora Town Square.

The Aurora Film Circuit is a volunteer initiative committed to enhancing arts and culture in the Aurora community. Since 2006, we have been programming critically acclaimed Canadian, international movies and documentaries. Ticket sales and film titles to be announced at a later date.

For a full list of community workshops and programs, education programs, and special events taking place at Aurora Town Square, please visit AuroraTownSquare.ca.

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#### Yuk Yuk's On Tour Presents IMPROV & STAND-UP COMEDY SHOW! January 18 | 8 p.m. | \$25

Headliner Scott Faulconbridge (Faulconbridge Is Falling Down) and host Justin Shaw (Tales From Island Boy) bring IMPROV & Stand-Up to nationwide audiences bringing along the best comedians in Canadian Comedy today.

#### Sumach Roots February 8 | 7:30 p.m. | \$30

Sumach Roots takes audiences on a bold and innovative exploration of Upper Canada's evolution over the past three hundred years.

## Sultans of String – The Refuge Project March 6 | 7:30 p.m. | \$33.90

The Refuge Project speaks to the changing face of Aurora and reflects the theme of working together for a common goal.

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