



THE LOFT - FALL

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www.aurora.ca/theloft

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. Visit www.aurora.ca/theloft for more information.

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.

Drop-Ins Just For Youth!

THE TOWN OF AURORA IS A DESIGNATED 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.



Thanks to the support of our local youth-serving organizations, the Town was successful in achieving the highest level of designation. For more information, please visit www.aurora.ca/YouthFriendly or email youth@aurora.ca

We're Open



LOFT HOURS

THURS 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM

FRI 3:30 PM - 8:00 PM

SAT 3:30 PM - 8:00 PM

FREE
AGES 12 TO 17

2ND FLOOR
 AURORA FAMILY LEISURE COMPLEX
 135 INDUSTRIAL PARKWAY NORTH



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BUILD A SKILL WORKSHOPS

Join Us For These Exciting Programs!

BACKPACK BLING

Age: 11 to 14 years

Location: AFLC

Does your backpack or school bag need a little bling? Join us for this crafty workshop where participants will try out shrink art, button making and keychain creations.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Tue	Oct 22	5:30pm – 7:00pm	\$25.00/1	32237

GAME ON WORKSHOP

Age: 11 to 14 years

Location: AFLC

Are you a board game fanatic? Join us for an hour and a half of challenging fun. Participants will have an opportunity to play various board games and socialize with peers in this laid-back gaming experience.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Tue	Nov 19	5:30pm – 7:00pm	\$15.00/1	32240

GEO-WOW!

Age: 11 to 14 years

Location: AFLC

Ready to go on an adventure? Join us on the hunt for a local geo-cache through an Aurora Town Park. Participants will also work together to create a group geo-cache to add to the community.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Sat	Oct 5	1:30pm – 3:00pm	\$20.00/1	32242

New!



JOB PREP

Age: 14 to 17 years

Location: AFLC

This workshop will teach you how to fill out a job application, build your resume, learn important interview skills and find out how to impress a prospective employer.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Sat	Oct 19	1:00pm – 4:00pm	\$23.73/1	32238
Sat	Nov 16	1:00pm – 4:00pm	\$23.73/1	32239

PICNIC 101

Age: 11 to 14 years

Location: AFLC

Get outside this Fall and enjoy some snacks in the fresh air. Participants will learn about food prep hacks and snack selections that are ideal for a hike or park picnic. Each participant will take a snack kit home at the end of the workshop.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Tue	Sept 24	5:30pm – 7:00pm	\$25.00/1	32241

New!

SNACK HACKS WORKSHOP

Age: 11 to 13 years

Location: AFLC

Join us for some tasty P.A. Day fun! Participants will spend the afternoon trying out different food hacks and snack recipes. Please indicate dietary restrictions during registration.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Fri	Sept 27	1:00pm – 4:00pm	\$45.00/1	32261

ULTIMATE CATCH

Age: 12 to 15 years

Location: AFLC

Join us for a disc crash course as we learn the basics of the game and tackle a few rounds together. Participants will have a chance to learn new skills while meeting friends. Participants will meet in the AFLC Lobby and then walk down to Lambert Willson Park.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Sat	Sept 28	1:30pm – 3:00pm	\$20.00/1	32236

New!

YOUTH VOLUNTEER FAIR

October 17 • 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. • Aurora Family Leisure Complex

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



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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 16	7:15pm – 8:15pm	\$54.00/6	32244
Mon	Nov 4	7:15pm – 8:15pm	\$54.00/6	32245

BADMINTON BLAST

Age: 12 to 15 years

Location: AFLC

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 16	5:45pm – 6:45pm	\$54.00/6	32246
Mon	Nov 4	5:45pm – 6:45pm	\$54.00/6	32247

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	Sept 19	6:00pm – 8:00pm	\$89.00/5	32249

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
Fri	Sept 27	9:00am – 4:00pm	\$57.00/1	32258
Thu	Nov 7	6:30pm – 8:00pm	\$57.00/4	32248
Fri	Nov 15	9:00am – 4:00pm	\$57.00/1	32259

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. We are proud to play like girls!

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Wed	Sept 18	7:00pm – 8:15pm	\$241.00/10	32253

AGE REQUIREMENTS

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

RACQUET SPORTS

Age: 11 to 14 years

Location: ASC

This program focuses on the basics of various racquet sports such as Badminton, Tennis and Pickleball. Through skills, drills and friendly matches, participants will not only hone their skills, but build their fair play and teamworking abilities.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Thu	Oct 3	4:45pm – 5:45pm	\$54.00/6	32252

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.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Tue	Oct 15	5:45pm – 6:45pm	\$151.00/8	32255

STORM VOLLEYBALL – SKILL DEVELOPMENT

Age: 11 to 13 years

Location: AFLC

In this program, previously referred to as “Level Two,” 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 15	7:00pm – 8:00pm	\$151.00/8	32256

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 and non-competitive environment. Programming will focus on supporting participants’ mental and emotional well-being.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Thu	Sept 26	5:00pm – 6:30pm	\$40.00/8	32257

TEEN RUN CLUB

Age: 12 to 15 years

Location: AFLC

This motivational running club is for youth who want to learn new skills and have fun running with others. It is a non-competitive program. All fitness levels are welcome. Simply do your best and compete against your own time. Learn to build endurance, practice proper running form, pacing, injury prevention and nutrition. Each week participants will meet in the AFLC Lobby and run on trails in Lambert Willson Park.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Wed	Sept 18	6:00pm – 6:45pm	\$63.00/6	32260

YOUTH PROGRAMS

THE CONFIDENT SPEAKER

Age: 10 to 14 years

Location: AFLC

The Confident Speaker Program is an introductory course that is strategically crafted to elevate public speaking skills from the ground up, employing engaging games and interactive activities as effective learning tools. The course will cover four key areas: power through confidence techniques, design via presentation structure, style in delivering with impact, and evaluation by giving and receiving feedback.

New!

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Wed	Sept 4	4:45pm – 5:45pm	\$135.00/4	33053
Wed	Oct 2	4:45pm – 5:45pm	\$135.00/4	33054
Wed	Oct 30	4:45pm – 5:45pm	\$135.00/4	33055
Wed	Nov 27	4:45pm – 5:45pm	\$135.00/4	33056

YOUTH COOKING CLUB

Age: 11 to 14 years

Location: AFLC

Participants will 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 19	4:00pm – 5:30pm	\$70.00/4	32250
Thu	Nov 7	4:00pm – 5:30pm	\$70.00/4	32251

YOUTH 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. This is a great opportunity for youth to try a new activity, as Pickleball is one of the fastest growing sports in the world. Our coaches will cover the fundamentals of serve, return and volley. This program is offered by Elevation Athletics Association. All abilities and skill levels welcome. Paddles will be provided for players that do not have their own.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Mon	Sept 23	5:30 pm – 6:30pm	\$90.00/8	32296
Wed	Sept 25	5:30 pm – 6:30pm	\$90.00/8	32297



STRONG IN SPORT PROGRAM

September 26 to November 14, 2024

5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Aurora Family Leisure Complex
Gymnasium

aurora.ca/GenderEquity

➤ \$40/8 weeks (Thursday's)
Girls ages 10 to 12
Registration required
Program #32257

YOUTH PROGRAMS

These programs are brought to you by the Aurora Cultural Centre.

iPAD/TABLET DRAWING FOR TEENS – JAN DOLBY

Age: 11 to 16 years

Location: ATS

Learn the essential elements to help new users, including brush choice, gestures, layers, colour, using ProCreate and more. Ideal for those with prior painting and drawing experience, and some iPad/ Tablet proficiency. Materials List: A tablet or iPad, charger and stylus.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Wed	Sept 25	4:30pm – 5:30pm	\$125.00/5	32889

SMARTPHONE FILMMAKING FOR TEENS – MAZIAR GHADERI

Age: 11 to 16 years

Location: ATS

Designed for teenagers interested in filmmaking using the tools they already have – smartphone and laptops. They will learn the entire process of short film creation, with a completed short film at the end. Materials List: A smartphone, laptop or tablet and charger.

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE/CLASS	CODE
Tue	Oct 1	4:30pm – 5:45pm	\$150.00/4	32918