

## Council & Committee Meetings

Date	Time	Location	Meeting
Thursday, January 16	7 p.m.	Holland Room	Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee (Cancelled)
Tuesday, January 21	5:45 p.m.	Holland Room	Finance Advisory Committee
Tuesday, January 21	7 p.m.	Council Chambers	Public Planning
Wednesday, January 22	7 p.m.	Council Chambers	Active Transportation & Traffic Safety Advisory Committee
Thursday, January 23	10 a.m.	Video Conference	Aurora Appeal Tribunal/Property Standards Committee (if required)
Tuesday, January 28	5:45 p.m.	Council Chambers	Council (Closed Session)
Tuesday, January 28	7 p.m.	Council Chambers	Council

\*Committee of the Whole, Public Planning and Council meetings are available to the public in-person and via live stream on the Town's YouTube channel.

## What's Happening

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**Standing in the Doorway: Lived Histories and Experiences of the Chinese Community**

**Sur le Seuil de la Porte: Histoire et Expériences Vécues de la Collectivité Chinoise**

榮繞中華文化: 華人社區歷史和生活展覽  
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**Standing in the Doorway Opening Reception**

Join us for interactive family friendly activities as we officially open this award-winning exhibition!

**When:**  
Saturday, January 25, 2025  
from 10 to 12 p.m.

**Where:**  
Aurora Town Square – Brevik Hall  
50 Victoria Street, Aurora, Ontario

Additional funding provided by:

## Online Skylight Gallery Exhibition

### Featured Artist: J. David Murphy - Colours and Shapes

A message from the artist: "I've painted for over 50 years - in oil, acrylic, watercolour, pen and ink and even Chinese brush. As one of my early teachers used to say: painting is nothing more than a pleasing and evocative arrangement of colours and shapes. In this exhibition I've tried to display my 'Colours and Shapes' in different contexts by including a broad range of my work - from impressionistic landscapes to abstracts; from realistic urbanscapes to portraits and figure studies." More information can be found at [jddavidmurphyart.com](http://jddavidmurphyart.com). View in-person at Aurora Town Hall in the Skylight Gallery. View online at [aurora.ca/SkylightGallery](http://aurora.ca/SkylightGallery). All work is for sale. Please contact Sarah Reynolds at [sreynolds@aurora.ca](mailto:sreynolds@aurora.ca) if you are interested in investing and owning a beautiful artwork piece.

## 2025

DIVERSITY, EQUITY & INCLUSION CALENDAR



### Introducing our 2025 DEI Calendar!

We are proud to present our Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Calendar. This resource highlights significant faith, cultural, and awareness dates that reflect the vibrant diversity of our community.

Visit [aurora.ca/DEI](http://aurora.ca/DEI) to explore or download the calendar.

### Outdoor Rinks Update

Glide on down to one of our outdoor rinks currently open - Machell Park, Ada Johnson Park, Aurora Town Square and Confederation Park!

Don't forget to grab your helmets for a safe skating experience.

Visit [aurora.ca/OutdoorRinks](http://aurora.ca/OutdoorRinks) for updates.

### Civil Ceremonies

Planning a destination wedding but want to make it official at home? Our wedding officiants can help you get your marriage licence and perform your civil ceremony at Town Hall. Let us make this special moment stress-free. Visit [aurora.ca/CivilCeremonies](http://aurora.ca/CivilCeremonies) for details.

DON'T MISS WASTE COLLECTION!

Place all items to the curb by

7 A.M.

[aurora.ca/WasteAndRecycling](http://aurora.ca/WasteAndRecycling)

## WINTER PARKING BYLAW IN EFFECT

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November 15 to April 15

No street parking between 2 a.m. and 6 a.m.

[aurora.ca/WinterParking](http://aurora.ca/WinterParking)

## Winter 2025 Program Guide



The Winter 2025 Program Guide is available to view online at [aurora.ca/ProgramGuide](http://aurora.ca/ProgramGuide). Registration is open for Recreation and Aquatic programs. View our interactive guide and click on the code # to register online. Pay in-person at the A.F.L.C. or S.A.R.C.

### 2025 Aquatic Leadership Courses

Aquatic Leadership registration is now open for all seasons of our 2025 Aquatic Leadership courses. Full details at [aurora.ca/AquaticLeadership](http://aurora.ca/AquaticLeadership). Register online or pay in-person at the A.F.L.C. or S.A.R.C.

## STAY OFF FROZEN PONDS

[aurora.ca/OutdoorRinks](http://aurora.ca/OutdoorRinks)

### Club Aurora Wellness Series – Fun Guided Hike

Join us on **Sunday, January 19** for a Fun Guided Hike at Sheppard's Bush. Check out our Fitness and Health webpage for full details at [aurora.ca/Fitness](http://aurora.ca/Fitness).

### Seniors Walking Club

Free Seniors Walking Club for older adults, every Tuesday at the Aurora Family Leisure Complex. Visit our Older Adults webpage for details at [aurora.ca/ActiveSeniors](http://aurora.ca/ActiveSeniors).



### Christmas Tree Pick-Up

Christmas Tree Pick-Up Alert! Residents, mark your calendars! Christmas trees will be picked up from **January 14 to 17** on your usual collection day.

Remember to remove all decorations, tree skirts, and bags. For more details on waste collection, visit [aurora.ca/wasteandrecycling](http://aurora.ca/wasteandrecycling).

# PERFORMANCES, PROGRAMS & EVENTS

aurora.ca/WhatsOn

[AuroraTownSquare.ca](http://AuroraTownSquare.ca)

[InfoTownSquare@aurora.ca](mailto:InfoTownSquare@aurora.ca)

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