# **Volunteer Opportunities**

Compiled for the students of Sir William Mulock Secondary School – updated December 2022

#### **Alexander Muir Retirement Home**

Address: 197 Prospect Street, Newmarket, ON, L3Y 3T7

Phone: 905-836-8399

Website: https://careersatchartwell.com/en/volunteers/volunteer-opportunities

Type of Volunteer Work: Students will work 1-1. Various tasks include: Bingo, Horse Races, Social Teas, Trips to the mall, movies, Walmart, Dollarama and Shoppers Drug Mart. Students will also help make up the monthly calendars, post notices and help search on the internet for new program ideas.

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### **Alzheimer Society of York Region**

Address: 2-240 Edward St., Aurora, ON, L4G 3S9

Phone: 905-726-3477; 888-414-5550

Website: https://alzheimer.ca/york/en/take-action/volunteer

Type of Volunteer Work: office support, fundraising, party events

### **Aurora Food Pantry**

Address: 350 Industrial Parkway South, Aurora, ON, L4G 3V7

Phone: 905-841-1577

Website: https://aurorafoodpantry.ca/volunteering/

Type of Volunteer Work: Sorting food, restocking shelves, breaking down bulk items.

### **Aurora Historical Society**

Address: 15372 Yonge Street, Aurora, ON, L4G 1N8

Phone: 905-727-8991

Website: https://aurorahs.com/volunteer

Type of Volunteer Work: Gardening and landscape maintenance; conducting tours to the public; helping with special events - children's activities, tours, refreshments, etc..

#### **Barton Retirement Residence**

Address: 17290 Leslie Street, Newmarket, ON, L3Y 3E1

Phone: 905-967-1331

Website: https://careersatchartwell.com/en/volunteers/volunteer-opportunities

Type of Volunteer Work: Assisting with group programs and events; 1:1 visits with residents; facilitating large group programs(eg. bingo, group games); assisting during group outings

# **Big Brothers & Sisters of York**

Address: 350 Industrial Parkway South, Aurora, ON, L4G 3V7

Phone: 905-726-2149 (X 310)

Website: https://york.bigbrothersbigsisters.ca/inquirehere/

Type of Volunteer Work: In-school Mentor and the Club (one to one mentoring) VOLUNTEERS MUST BE 16+ for mentoring. Also, indirect volunteering NO AGE RESTRICTION for indirect VOLUNTEERS

### **Canadian Cancer Society**

Address: 30 Prospect Street, Suite 101, Newmarket, ON, L3Y 3S9

Phone: 647-895-5524 (X 3833)

Website: https://cancer.ca/en/get-involved/volunteer

Type of Volunteer Work: Events, office assistance, fundraising

#### **Doane House Hospice**

Address: 17100 Yonge Street, Newmarket, ON, L3Y 8V3

Phone: 905-967-0259

Website: https://www.doanehospice.org/volunteer-opportunities

Type of Volunteer Work: Community and fundraising events

#### **Eagle Terrace Retirement Home**

Address: 329 Eagle Street, Newmarket, ON, L3Y 1K3

Phone: 905-895-5187 (X305)

Website: <a href="https://reveraliving.com/en/about-us/volunteer-at-revera">https://reveraliving.com/en/about-us/volunteer-at-revera</a>

Type of Volunteer Work: Assisting with social/recreation programs

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# **East Gwillimbury Public Library**

Address: Holland Landing Branch, 19513 Yonge Street, Holland Landing, ON, L9N 1M4

Phone: 905-836-6492

Website: https://www.egpl.ca/about-your-library/employment-and-volunteer-opportunities/

Type of Volunteer Work: Teen Advisory Board (meets monthly); Santa Claus Parade: assist with set up and take down of float decorations (November); Used Book Sale: set up and take down (mid-October), Summer Reading Club volunteers (July and August), special programming events, e.g., youth/seniors intergenerational programs(late 2016/early 2017)

#### Elman W. Campbell Museum

Address: 134 Main Street South, Newmarket, ON, L3Y 3Y7

Phone: 905 953-5314

Website: https://www.newmarket.ca/thingstodo/pages/recreation%20and%20culture/volunteer0415-4245.aspx

Type of Volunteer Work: special events, crafts, tours, social media, computer work

#### **Girls Incorporated of York Region**

Address: 460 Davis Drive, Newmarket, ON, L3Y 2P1

Phone: 905-830-0776 (X309)

Website: https://girlsincyork.org/volunteer/

Type of Volunteer Work: assistant program facilitation, office/administrative, special events

### **Habitat for Humanity**

Address: 449 Eagle Street, Newmarket, ON, L3Y 1K7

Phone: 905-868-8722 (X 24)

Website: https://habitatgta.ca/volunteer-services/students/

Type of Volunteer Work: Volunteering at special events across York Region; 16+: building homes and working in the ReStore

#### **Heart and Stroke Foundation**

Address: 17665 Leslie Street, Suite 29, Newmarket, ON, L3Y 3E3

Phone: 905-853-6355

Website: https://www.heartandstroke.ca/how-you-can-help/volunteer

Type of Volunteer Work: office work, event days, school ambassadors, health ambassadors

**Kerry's Place Autism Services** 

Address: 34 Berczy Street, Aurora, ON, L4G 1W9

Phone: 905-841-6611 (x371)

Website: https://www.kerrysplace.org/support-us/volunteer/

Type of Volunteer Work: office support, social group support, special event support (golf tournament, Evening for Autism)

### **Learning Disabilities Association of York Region**

Address: 11181 Yonge Street, Unit 221, Richmond Hill, ON, L4S 1L2

Phone: 905-884-7933 (x 26)

Website: https://ldayr.org/get-involved/#volunteer

Type of Volunteer Work: Volunteer tutors working with students in grade 1-8 supporting literacy and numeracy skills. Minimum commitment is 9 months to meet once a week for one hour at the local public library

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## **Mackenzie Place Long Term Care**

Address: 52 George Street, Newmarket, ON, L3Y 4V3

Phone: 905 953-3242 (x3009)

Website: <a href="https://reveraliving.com/en/about-us/volunteer-at-revera">https://reveraliving.com/en/about-us/volunteer-at-revera</a>

Type of Volunteer Work: Assisting with recreation programs or special events, leading organized programs and clubs, or by

providing one-on-one visits with residents.

## **Multiple Sclerosis Society**

Address: 17665 Leslie Street, Unit 7, Newmarket, ON, L3Y 3E3

Phone: 905-830-4950

Website: https://mssociety.ca/get-involved/volunteer

Type of Volunteer Work: Special events

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#### **Neighbourhood Network**

Address: 14988 Yonge St, Suite 3, Aurora, ON, L4G 1M6

Phone: 905-726-3737 (X27)

Website: https://neighbourhoodnetwork.org/volunteer/

Type of Volunteer Work: **Postings of opportunities for 350 charities**, non-profits, and community groups; annual volunteer programs for students (Fall Food Drive, Winter Snow Removal, Spring Tree Planting); annual scholarship "Give Back Awards for graduating grade 12 students; almost 10,000 registered volunteers from Aurora, East Gwillimbury, Georgina, King Township, and Newmarket

### **Newmarket Public Library**

Address: 438 Park Avenue, Newmarket, ON, L3Y 1W1

Phone: 905-953-5110 (X 4700)

Website: https://www.newmarketpl.ca/en/community/volunteering.aspx

Type of Volunteer Work: Volunteers for Online Reading Buddies and Teen Advisory Group programs.

#### **Newmarket Recreation Youth Centre & Sk8 Park**

Address: 56 Charles Street, Newmarket, ON, L3Y 3V8

Phone: 905-953-5120

Website: https://www.newmarket.ca/thingstodo/pages/recreation%20and%20culture/volunteer0415-4245.aspx

Type of Volunteer Work: Assistance with programming and special events with other youth and children

#### **Newmarket Soccer Club**

Address: 621 Newpark Boulevard, Newmarket, ON, L3Y 2S2

Phone: 905-836-8761

Website: https://www.newmarketsoccer.com/volunteer/

Type of Volunteer Work: setting up/taking down nets, general office, light warehouse, tournament set up/tear down, tournament field marshalls, other duties as required. Coach and Assistant coach

# **Newmarket Theatre**

Address: 505 Pickering Crescent, Newmarket, ON, L3Y 8H1

Phone: 905-953-5155

Website: https://www.newmarket.ca/ThingsToDo/Pages/Recreation%20and%20Culture/Volunteer0415-4245.aspx

Type of Volunteer Work: Ticket taking, ushering, cash, concession, coat check

#### **Ontario Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals**

Address: 16586 Woodbine Avenue, Stouffville, ON, L4A2W3

Phone: 905-898-7122 (X 370)

Website: https://ontariospca.ca/how-to-help/

Type of Volunteer Work: Under 16 – prepare food for animals, help with office and cleaning tasks. Over 16 – animal care and enrichment. Volunteers must be 14 years of age and commit 3-4 hours/week for 6 months. Fundraising for animal surgeries, medicine and animal care.

#### **Palliative Care Network for York Region**

Address: 194 Eagle Street, Newmarket, ON, L3Y 1J6

Phone: 905-895-3628 (X 3142)

Website: <a href="https://www.palcarenetwork.org/volunteer.html">https://www.palcarenetwork.org/volunteer.html</a>

Type of Volunteer Work: Office assistant; data entry; event planning

### **Rose of Sharon Services for Young Mothers**

Address: 361 Eagle Street, Newmarket, ON, L3Y 2R2

Phone: 905-853-5514 (X 239)

Website: https://roseofsharon.com/help/volunteer/

Type of Volunteer Work: stocking food and sorting clothing for our Christmas Basket Campaign. This will take place over the month of December; evening hours available for up to 10 students.

### Salvation Army - Northridge Community Church

Address: 15338 Leslie Street, Aurora, ON, L4G7C4

Phone: 905-895-6276

Website: https://www.northridgesa.com/volunteer

Type of Volunteer Work: Kettle donations

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### **Salvation Army Thrift Store**

Address: 130 Davis Drive, Newmarket, ON, L3Y 2N1

Phone: 905-830-1656

Website: https://thriftstore.ca/volunteering/

Type of Volunteer Work: Assist in retail store, sorting, hanging and ticketing clothes

#### **Southlake Regional Health Centre**

Address: 596 Davis Drive, Newmarket, ON, L3Y 2P9

Phone: 905-895-4521 (X 2907)

Website: https://southlake.ca/volunteer/student-volunteers/

Type of Volunteer Work: Information sessions held monthly to explain the volunteer process. Students must volunteer a minimum of 75 hours a year.

# **Theatre Aurora**

Address: P.O. Box 28532, Aurora, ON, L4G 6S6

Phone: 905-727-3669

Website: <a href="https://www.theatreaurora.com/">https://www.theatreaurora.com/</a>

Type of Volunteer Work: Live theatre related tasks(assistant stage management, props, running crew, operating sound and/or

lights, costumes, front of house)

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#### **Town of Aurora, Special Events**

Address: 100 John West Way, Box 1000, Aurora, ON, L4G 6J1

Phone: 905-727-1375 (X 3133)

Website: <a href="https://www.aurora.ca/en/recreation-arts-and-culture/youth-volunteering.aspx">https://www.aurora.ca/en/recreation-arts-and-culture/youth-volunteering.aspx</a>

Type of Volunteer Work: various placements opportunities within recreation (special events, aquatics, community programs)

# **Town of Newmarket, Special Events**

Address: 395 Mulock Drive, Newmarket, ON, L3Y 4X7

Phone: 905 953 5300 (x 2824)

Website: https://www.newmarket.ca/thingstodo/pages/recreation%20and%20culture/volunteer0415-4245.aspx

Type of Volunteer Work: Volunteering for all of our community events - Busker Festival, Canada Day, First Night

### Women's Centre of York Region

Address: 120 Harry Walker Pkwy North, Newmarket, ON, L3Y 7B2

Phone: 905-853-9270 (X 107)

Website: https://www.wcyr.ca/give-help-donate-now

Type of Volunteer Work: Assisting with special events, administrative duties, special projects etc. Normally M – F 9 – 4:30, except

for some fundraising events.

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#### **Yellow Brick House**

Address: 52 West Beaver Creek, Unit 4, Richmond Hill, ON, L4B 1L9

Phone: 905-709-0900 (X 2252)

Website: https://www.yellowbrickhouse.org/volunteer/

Type of Volunteer Work: Sorting donations of household items, food, clothing, toys and toiletries; Childcare if the volunteer is 16

or older; representing Yellow Brick House at public events.

YLC - YMCA

Address: 10610 Bayview Avenue, Unit 12, Richmond Hill, ON, L4C 3N8

Phone: 905-780-9622 (X 353)

Website: https://ymcagta.org/Join-Our-Team/volunteer-opportunities

Type of Volunteer Work: youth leadership volunteering

# **York Region Food Network**

Address: 350 Industrial Parkway South, Aurora, ON, L4G 3V7

Phone: 905-841-3101 (X 202)

Website: <a href="https://yrfn.ca/get-involved/">https://yrfn.ca/get-involved/</a>

Type of Volunteer Work: Assistance with our community garden program