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# March Break Camp 2020

Please note that every effort was made to ensure that all information is up to date and accurate. This list is not exhaustive and other respite options and programs may exist. Please contact agencies directly for the most up to date information.



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**Christian Horizons** - *Programs are located at 2972 Islington Ave. Toronto ON*

**Eligibility:** 18+

**Program Runs:** March 16-20, 2020

**Time:** 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

**Program Fee:** \$200.00

**Program Description:** Come and join for a fun filled week of exciting activities during March break. Some activities included are: sugar bush, day at the movies, Raptors 905 basketball game, Playdium, pizza party, magician.

**Contact Information:** [thevillage@christian-horizons.org](mailto:thevillage@christian-horizons.org) or (416) 633 - 0614

**Website:** [mycommunityhub.ca](http://mycommunityhub.ca)

**Corbrook** - *West Campus- 581 Trethewey Drive, East Campus – 931 Progress Ave, Unit 1, 2 & 3*

**Eligibility:** Individuals 14-18 years old and individuals 19-29 years old

**Program Runs:** March 16-20, 2020 (**Registration coming soon!**)

**Time:** Contact program for additional information

**Program Fee:** Contact program for additional information

**Program Description:** Contact program for additional information

**Contact Information:** 416-245-5565

**Website:** corbrook.com

**Geneva Centre for Autism** - *Programs are located at 164 Merton St, Toronto, ON, M4S 2Z8*

**Eligibility:** While attending March Break camp, campers will participate in traditional, exciting camp activities and community events. March Break Camp provides campers with a recreational environment where fun and learning come together in a day of structured activities. Camp provides the children with opportunities to meet their individual gross motor, fine motor and sensory needs while encouraging communication, socialization and discovery. Open to individuals of all abilities 2- 18+

**Program Runs:** March 16-20, 2020

**Time:** 9:30am-3:30pm

**Program Fee:** Varies

**Program Description:** Varies

**Contact Information:** 416-322-7877 ext. 259

**Website:** [mycommunityhub.ca](http://mycommunityhub.ca)

**Holland Bloorview Kids Rehab** -*Programs are located at 150 Kilgour Rd., Toronto ON M4G 1R8*

**Eligibility:** In order to register for any of our respite services you must first complete a respite application to confirm eligibility for services. Your application will be reviewed by the Respite team and you will be contacted as soon as possible to confirm eligibility. You will only need to complete this application once per year. Return the form at any time during the year, either with your request for specific dates or in advance.

**Program Runs:** March 16-20, 2020

**Time:** 9:00am–3:30pm

**Program Fee:** \$300.00

**Program Description:** Come play, dance, sing and make art together for a week of spring creativity with our experienced artists, musicians and care team.

**Contact Information:** Program Administrator – 416-425-6220 ext. 6406 or [musicandart@hollandbloorview.ca](mailto:musicandart@hollandbloorview.ca)

**Website:** <https://www.hollandbloorview.ca/services/programs-services/respite/respite-day-programs>

**Meta Centre** - 401 Champagne Drive North York M3J 2C6

**Eligibility:** Individuals of all abilities, Youth: ages 10+, Adults: ages 18+

**Program Runs:** March 16-20, 2020

**Time:** Contact for more Information

**Program Fee:** Contact for more Information

**Program Description:** Participants will enjoy a week with fun filled social activities both on and off site.

**Contact Information:** Lana Cianfrini at 416-736-0199 ext. 337 or email [lcianfrini@metacentre.ca](mailto:lcianfrini@metacentre.ca)

**Website:** [www.metacentre.ca](http://www.metacentre.ca)

**Reena** - Program is located at 927 Clark Ave West, Thornhill, ON L4J 8G6 (Toby & Henry Battle Developmental Centre)

**Eligibility:** Individuals who have a diagnosis of a Developmental Disability. Participants who attend are aged 7-30 years of age and runs out of the Toby and Henry Battle Developmental Centre.

**Program Runs:** March 16-20, 2020

**Time:** 9:00am-3:00pm

**Program Fee:** Contact for more Information

**Program Description:** This program is a five-day program and provides families with the necessary respite break. This program incorporates social skills and life skills based programming, as well as community integration via local community outings. Special guests, arts and crafts activities, as well as sports activities are also included.

**Contact Information:** 905-889-6484 or [info@reena.org](mailto:info@reena.org)

**Website:** <http://www.reena.org/>

**Toronto Parks and Recreation** - Programs are located at community centres throughout the City of Toronto.

**Eligibility:** Individuals of all abilities (ages 4 – 29)

**Program Runs:** March 16-20, 2020

**Time:** 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

**Program Fee:** Contact for more Information

**Program Description:** Various general and special interest camp programs. \*PLEASE NOTE: **Inclusive services** are offered so that participants with disabilities may choose to join general programs for the mutual benefit of experiencing recreational interests together with other participants. Special needs support staff assist individuals who have a special need and/or a disability. Special needs support staff is a limited resource – can be provided for up to a maximum of two weeks per child for summer camps city wide.

**Inclusive services** cannot be provided for cases where participants require 1:1 support for behavioural, personal or medical care. For 1:1 support, participants will be requested to provide their own support worker/ family member/ volunteer. People who bring their own support person must let staff know and complete the related forms.

**Adapted Programs** are specialized programs for individuals who have special needs and/or disabilities and who want to be involved in recreational activities. These programs support people who have special needs and/or disabilities to be with other people who have similar interests, abilities and needs in a safe and positive environment.

**Contact Information: For General Programs:** (416) 396 – 7378, option 1; **For Adapted Services,** call the central hotline at (416) 395 – 6128 or email [aiscw@toronto.ca](mailto:aiscw@toronto.ca)

**Website:** <https://efun.toronto.ca/TorontoFun/Start/Start.asp>

**Variety Village** - Program is located at 3701 Danforth Ave, Toronto, ON, M1N 2G2

**Eligibility:** Variety Village offers a broad range of integrated full-day camps for participants of \*ALL abilities, ages 4 to 20+ years old.

**Program runs:** March 16-20, 2020

**Time:** 9:00am–4:00pm & **Extended Hours: (OPTIONAL)** 8:00am-5:00pm = \$40/week

**Program Fee:** Member - \$250 & Non – Member - \$300

**Program Description:** Variety Village experience includes: a 76,000sq foot gym, 2 indoor pools and a 200 metre track with a combination of sports, swimming, games and training activities. It's a fun way to learn new skills, make new friends, and enhance your self-esteem.

**Contact Information: Registration Contact:** 416-699-7167, **Camp Concerns, Accommodations, Program and Schedule Contact:** Matt Robitaille at 416-696-7167 ext. 254 or [mrobitaille@varietyontario.ca](mailto:mrobitaille@varietyontario.ca) , **1:1 support requests and inquiries:** [varietycamps@varietyontario.ca](mailto:varietycamps@varietyontario.ca) .

**Website:** <http://www.varietyvillage.ca/>

## Additional Camp Options

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**Believe Support Services** - Program is located at 1510 Birchmount Rd. Unit 103, Toronto, ON

**Eligibility:** Individuals up to the age of 7 years old and older with a diagnosis of a Development Disability.

**Program Runs:** March 16-20, 2020

**Time:** 8:00 am – 4:00 pm

**Program Fee:** \$200 per week

**Contact Information:** [believedayprogram@gmail.com](mailto:believedayprogram@gmail.com) or (647) 269 – 5538

**Website:** <https://www.believesupportservices.com/>

**Contemporary Care Solutions** - Program is located at 2011 Lawrence Ave. W. Unit 20, Toronto On M9N 3V3

**Eligibility:** Individuals up to the age of 7 years old and older with a diagnosis of a Development Disability.

**Program Runs:** TBA

**Time:** Contact for more Information

**Program Fee:** Contact for more Information

**Contact Information:** 416-760-7232 email: [ejjs@sympatico.ca](mailto:ejjs@sympatico.ca)

**Website:** <http://contemporarycaresolutions.com/>

**Enhanced Day Program March Break Camp** – 973 Brock Rd., Pickering ON, L1W 3A5

**Eligibility:** Individuals with the ages between 14-21 years old with a Developmental Disability.

**Program runs:** March 16-20, 2020

**Time:** 9:00am-3:00pm

**Program Fee:** \$75/day + taxes (\$350/week + taxes)

**Program Description:** Contact for more Information

**Contact Information:** 905-492-9200 or **Email:** [info@edayprogram.com](mailto:info@edayprogram.com)

**Website:** [www.edayprogram.com](http://www.edayprogram.com)

**Harbourfront Camp** - Program is located at 235 Queens Quay West, Toronto, ON, M5J 2G8

**Eligibility:** Individuals with the ages between 4-15 years old of all abilities.

**Program runs:** March 16-20, 2020 (**Registration opens January 2, 2020**)

**Time:** Contact for more Information

**Program Fee:** Varies, Contact for more Information

**Program Description:** Contact for more Information

**Contact Information:** 416-973-4093 or **Email:** [camps@harbourfrontcentre.com](mailto:camps@harbourfrontcentre.com)

**Website:** <https://www.harbourfrontcentre.com/camps/marchbreak/sessions/index.cfm>



**Ontario Science Centre** *Program is located at the Ontario Science Centre, 770 Don Mills Rd, Toronto ON M3C 1T3*

**Eligibility:** The Science Centre is unable to provide one-to-one supervision, adapted programming, specific medical support or a nut-free environment. However, campers with special needs may have an adult support person accompany them free of charge (parent will be responsible for finding their own 1:1 support and payment to that 1:1 support). Ages 5 and up.

**Program runs:** March 16- 20, 2020 **(Registration opens soon!)**

**Time:** 9:00 am – 4:00 pm (Supervised extended care is available from 7:30 am – 8:45 am and 4:15 pm – 6:00pm)

**Program Fee:** Contact camp for additional information

**Contact Information:** (416) 696 – 3256

**Website:** <https://www.ontariosciencecentre.ca/Camp/Day-Camps/>

**Pawsitively Pets** - *Program is located at 125 Brentcliffe Road, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Toronto ON*

**Eligibility:** Individuals with the ages between 4-14 years old of All Abilities.

**Program runs:** March 16-20, 2020

**Time:** 9:00am-4:00pm (extended care is available in the mornings from 8:00 am – 9:00 am and 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm)

**Program Fee:** Contact for more information

**Contact Information:** 416-901-4776 or [info@pawsitivelypetskidscamp.com](mailto:info@pawsitivelypetskidscamp.com)

**Website:** <https://pawsitivelypetskidscamp.com/>

**Sara Elizabeth Centre** - Program is located at 7412 Kipling Avenue, Woodbridge, ON, L4L 1Y4

**Eligibility:** Individuals between the ages of 13 years and older (high school students) with a diagnosis of a Developmental and/or Physical Disability.

**Program runs:** March 16-20, 2020

**Time:** 9:30am -3:00pm

**Program Fee:** \$65/day

**Contact Information:** 416-747-9796 or **Email:** [blueveil@rogers.com](mailto:blueveil@rogers.com)

**Program Description:** The programs are designed to increase the participant's motivation and enhance their personal experience through the introduction of various educational arts based and recreational activities, primarily through the art of music, drama, dance and visual arts as a means of learning and self- expression. The programs operate with a ratio of (1) one staff member to every (7) seven participants. If a higher support is needed, call to see if you're able to bring a 1:1 support worker to the program.

**Website:** <http://blueveil.org>

**South Asian Autism Awareness Centre** – 705 Progress Ave, Unit 63, Scarborough ON M1H 2X1

**Eligibility:** Individuals with age 6+

**Program runs:** March 16- 20, 2020

**Time:** 9:00 am – 3:00 pm

**Program Fee:** 1:1 Support – \$450.00 & Group Support - \$350.00

**Program Description:** At SAAAC, we truly believe our students are capable of incredible things. Our March Break Camp is designed for fun, laughter, and victories (big and small!). Our staff and volunteers are ready to help children and teens with autism have a great March break while teaching them a thing or two.

**Contact Information:** 416-289-0100 or **Email:** [info@saaac.org](mailto:info@saaac.org)

**Website:** <http://saaac.org>

### **Sunflower Developmental Services**

*Program is located 1970 Ellesmere Road, Unit 1, Scarborough ON, M1H 2W1*

**Eligibility:** A place for individuals with special needs of all ages to enjoy when schools and agencies are closed for break and PA days. Come join the fun in our Life and Social Skills Programs. Programs offered: cooking, computers, excursions, sensory and leisure activities.

**Program runs:** March 16-20, 2020

**Time:** 9:00 am – 3:00 pm (extended hours available)

**Program Fee:** \$58 per day (depending on the support level needed)

**Contact Information:** (416) 629 - 7252 or email: Sunflowerrcs@gmail.com

**Website:** <http://www.sunflowerrcs.com/>

### **YMCA** - *Various locations*

**Eligibility:** Contact for more Information, Ages 4-16.

**Program runs:** March 16-20, 2020 (**Registration opening soon!**)

**Time:** 9am-4:00pm

**Program Fee:** Varies (\*Depending on your Location)

**Program Description:** If your child requires medication during the day, download the YMCA medication form below and ensure you hand it, with the medication, directly to a YMCA staff member on the first day of the program.

**Contact Information:** 1-877-303-2267

**Website:** [www.ymcagta.org/marchbreak](http://www.ymcagta.org/marchbreak)

## **Overnight Camps**

**Camp Kennebec** – 1422 Cox Rd. Arden, ON K0H 1B0

**Eligibility:** Campers ages 6 and up. We welcome campers with special needs, including Autism, ADHD, OCD, Down Syndrome, social and anxiety issues. Each new applicant is “met” prior to full acceptance into the program

**Program Runs:** March 16-20, 2020

**Program Fee:** Contact the camp for additional information.

**Program Description:** Each week is loaded with great winter fun, new camp experiences, opportunities to practice life, social and confidence-building skills and make new friends. Campers enjoy dozens of indoor and outdoor activities like snowshoeing, hiking, sledding & tobogganing, skating, ice-fishing, curling, bonfires, sports, games, arts & crafts and many more surprises.

**Contact Information:** (613) 335 – 2114 or [info@campkennebec.com](mailto:info@campkennebec.com)

**Website:** <https://www.campkennebec.com/march-break-camp/>

**Shadowlake** - Stouffville, ON

**Eligibility:** Individuals with a diagnosis of an Intellectual Disability between the ages of 7 – 17 years old.

**Program Runs:** March 16-20, 2020

**Program Fee:** \$1500.00 (There are also 10 funded spots available, \$100.00- for first time campers!)

**Program Description:** Indoor and Outdoor activities over the week, all based on interest and ability levels of our guests. Enjoy nature, arts and crafts, or the sports barn. Providing opportunities to take part in campfires, movie nights, musical talent, practice baking/cooking skills.

**Contact Information:** [Shadowlake.office@cltoronto.ca](mailto:Shadowlake.office@cltoronto.ca) ; Jamie Wallace, the Senior Camp Coordinator [Jamie.wallace@cltoronto.ca](mailto:Jamie.wallace@cltoronto.ca)

**Website:** [www.shadowlakecentre.ca](http://www.shadowlakecentre.ca)