

September
2020

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Pickering family



Fall 2020 City Services & Leisure Guide

Available now online and in select facilities!

Programs, classes, and workshops for all ages, abilities, and interests

This Fall, you can get active, artsy, creative, fit and sporty with a wide selection of programs for every age. Besides your favourites, you will find some new programs we are introducing:

Kindergarten Enrichment (3.5 - 6 yrs)

Afro Caribbean Dance - Mini Movers (6 - 9 yrs)

Ukulele (8 - 12 yrs)

Babysitter Training Course (11 - 15 yrs)

ABC Adventures (3 - 5 yrs)

Playful Performers (3.5 - 6 yrs)

Creative Writing (7-12 yrs)

Video Game Club (8 - 12 yrs)

- **Ice skating** is back! Lessons are available for all ages, from pre-school to adult.
- Pre-book your **public swim times** at the Rec by going to pickering.ca/activenet.

Please note: All City programs will operate in small groups, and in compliance with current Provincial Guidelines and physical distancing measures.

Register now at pickering.ca/cityguide

All programs & events are subject to change due to Covid-19.

For the latest updates, visit pickering.ca/covid19

Fall Programs & Events at the Museum

All on-site programming will comply with current COVID-19 health guidelines

Virtual Live Education Programs (Grades 3 & 6-8)

Don't let COVID-19 stand in the way of a virtual field trip experience! Teachers may choose from a select offering of themed virtual live programs. We'll come to you from our log school house via WebEx! Programs will be offered on Tuesday and Wednesday mornings - just call and reserve your preferred time!

Early Settler Tours (Grade 3 and up)

Have the children missed out on field trips the last few months? Looking for something to do outside the house with your family, social bubble homeschool or learning pod? Join us for a 50-minute tour focusing on Early Settlement in Pickering. This tour can be modified to meet the learning and interest level of your group.

Art-i-Facts (All ages)

Mondays Sep 14 - Nov 2, 2020
7:00 pm - 8:30 pm 22686

Learn sketching, drawing, and watercolour techniques, based on historic artworks from the past. A different historic piece will be featured each class, and participants will learn a new technique each week. Led by an artist and Museum Interpreter, this program will ignite imaginations, inspire creativity, and build new skills.

Blacksmith Apprentice (16 +)

Oct 17 10:00 am - 4:00 pm 23271
Oct 18 10:00 am - 4:00 pm 23270

Become a blacksmith apprentice for a day and learn how to forge at Pickering Museum Village's blacksmith shop. Join us for a project based workshop, where you will learn the basics of blacksmithing, as well as the skills needed to be a 19th century blacksmith.

Bounty of the Harvest (18+)

Pick apples from our orchard, harvest parsnips or choose pumpkins, and learn recipes from heritage cooks.

Apples	Oct 3	1:00 pm - 2:30 pm	19434
Parsnips	Oct 17	1:00 pm - 2:30 pm	19435
Pumpkins	Oct 31	1:00 pm - 2:30 pm	19436



Haunted Ghost Drive-Thru Tours (12+)

Every Thursday & Friday, until October 30
Every 5 minutes, starting at 7:00 pm

Take a drive through the historic village at night and hear stories from the past that still haunt us today. Learn about paranormal investigations that have found evidence of spirits and ghosts in the Village.

Cost: \$20/vehicle.

FIND YOUR CREATIVE PLACE

SEP 25 - OCT 25



CULTURE DAYS

Visit pickering.ca/culture or follow @PickeringEvents to join the celebrations!

Community Banner Program Call for Artists

The City of Pickering is inviting Canadian artists to create, design and submit original artwork for the Annual Community Banner Program.

Using a single or a variety of mediums, artists are asked to highlight the cultural, heritage, and diversity of the City of Pickering through the theme: **Live, Work, Play, Inspire.**

Apply today! Call closes **Thursday, September 10, 2020.**

pickering.ca/culture

Shop the Pickering City Centre Farmers' Market

Tuesdays | 9 am - 2 pm | Until October 13
Esplanade South Parking Lot
pickering.ca/farmersmarket



Friendly Reminder:



Keep 2 metres
from others



Masks are
encouraged

September 30th is Orange Shirt Day

Orange Shirt Day is an opportunity for First Nations, local governments, schools, and communities to come together in the spirit of reconciliation and hope for generations of children to come.

To show your support on Wednesday, September 30:

- Watch the Shaw video of Phyllis's story, the original orange shirt
- Wear orange
- Attend or organize a community event in your region
- Make Attachment Hearts



For more information and resources, please visit www.angeshirtday.org.

