

**Registration is open for AuSM summer camps
and social skills classes**
Location: www.ausm.org

March 2, 2017

Women with Autism Support Group
Location: AuSM Office

March 5, 2017

**Steps of Hope for Autism in Minnesota and
AuSM Flash Dash**
Location: Southdale Center

March 13-April 10, 2017

Autism Direct Support Certification Class
Location: AuSM Office

March 16, 2017

Adult Family Member Support Group
Location: AuSM Office

March 18, 2017

Life with Autism: Adolescence and Transition
Location: AuSM Office

March 23, 2017

Independent Adults Support Group
Location: AuSM Office

March 23, 2017

AuSM Skillshop: Electronic Addiction: How To
Break Free From Battles Over Screens
Location: St. David's Center

March 24, 2017

Sensory Friendly Performance: The Sneetches
Location: Children's Theatre Company

March 25, 2017

Joey's Ride Taco Feed
Location: Tin Cup's

March 25-May 6, 2017

AuSM on the Town
Location: Various locations

April 2017

Autism Awareness Month
Location: Everywhere!

April 1, 2017

Navigating MSP
Location: MSP Airport

April 2, 2017

Caring Bunny
Location: Northtown Mall

April 2-May 21, 2017

Improv Skills Class
Location: ComedySportz

April 3-7, 2017

Science Museum of MN Social Skills Classes
Location: Science Museum of Minnesota

April 3-24, 2017

Unrestricted Interest Poetry Workshop
Location: Open Book

April 13, 2017

AuSM Skillshop: Self-Regulation Through the
Mind-Body Connection
Location: St. David's Center

April 20, 2017

Life with Autism: Intro to Autism
Location: AuSM Office

April 26-29, 2017

Annual Minnesota Autism Conference
*Location: DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel
Minneapolis Park Place*

April 28, 2017

Oh, The AuSM Places We'll Go Gala
*Location: DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel
Minneapolis Park Place*

In line with our mission, the Autism Society of Minnesota's events and educational programming are designed to enhance the lives of individuals touched with ASD, along with their families, educators, caregivers and employers. Find out more at www.ausm.org.

AuSM Social Skills Classes

Led by autism experts, AuSM social skills classes foster confidence and self-esteem while participants make friends, interact with a group, practice socializing, and have fun – all while educators encourage participants to be themselves. Classes offer low-stress, accepting environments that promote learning and growth while celebrating neurodiversity. Class venues include Como Park Zoo & Conservatory, Minnesota Zoo, ComedySportz, HUGE Theater, the Science Museum of Minnesota, and the Open Book.

AuSM Autism Training

AuSM provides state-wide trainings on autism and related topics, including anxiety, autism and employment, practical and inclusion strategies, emergency preparedness, and transition needs.

AuSM Skillshops

AuSM Skillshops are a skill-building series of workshops for people who care for individuals on the autism spectrum. Classes are designed with a “hands-on” approach, encouraging participation, discussion and problem-solving. AuSM Skillshops are located on location at Lionsgate Academy, Academy of Whole Learning, St. David's Center, Fraser, Eden Prairie Community Center, Minnesota Life College, University of St. Thomas, and Merrick, Inc. See AuSM website for details.

AuSM Camp

AuSM Summer Camps are staffed with experienced directors, medical staff, therapists and counselors who understand the need for structure, visual schedules, environmental supports, social stories and individualized communication systems. Campers ages 6 and up can enjoy a summer experience in a safe, fun-filled environment.

AuSM Golf Classic

The AuSM Golf Classic gives golfers a chance to make a difference in the lives of those with autism, while golfing on the amazing Troy Burne golf course in Hudson, Wisconsin.

AuSM Life with Autism Series

Parents, family members, relatives and caregivers come away with practical strategies and suggestions to help guide their journey through the age-specific stages of life.

AuSM Counseling and Consulting Services

AuSM's Counseling and Consulting Services team has decades of experience working with individuals with ASD. Our licensed psychologists and therapists offer diagnostic, functional, or behavioral assessments for all ages; individual therapy; family therapy; behavior consultation; marriage and couples therapy; IQ, emotion regular, and adaptive functioning tests, and consultations for organizations and service providers.

Minnesota Autism Conference

Held annually during Autism Awareness Month, the Minnesota Autism Conference is open to the public and is especially beneficial for teachers, educators, doctors, clinicians, psychologists, as well as parents and families of individuals on the autism spectrum, including adults with ASD.

Navigating MSP Airport

Held at Minneapolis-St. Paul International Airport, Navigating Autism allows families the opportunity to familiarize themselves with airport and travel procedures. These events are co-organized by the Minneapolis Airport Commission, AuSM and Fraser.

Steps of Hope for Autism in Minnesota Fundraising Walk

Steps of Hope is AuSM's annual fundraising walk to raise community awareness of autism in Minnesota. Walkers participate as teams and individuals to raise money for autism programming and education.

Support Groups (free of charge)

AuSM provides a variety of support groups to meet the needs of parents, children, family members, individuals, couples and more. AuSM Support Groups are held at the AuSM office in St. Paul.

Workshops

AuSM workshops meet the professional development needs of busy ASD specialists, educators and parents by presenting cutting-edge research, technology and therapies in one- and two-day formats.