



# Autism Family Network

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**402-421-0874**

**August 10<sup>th</sup> – Young Child Art**

**August 10<sup>th</sup> - Fishing Clinic**

**August 14<sup>th</sup> - Music Club**

**August 24<sup>th</sup> - AFN Conference**

**August 28<sup>th</sup> - Young Adult Art**

**September 2<sup>nd</sup> - Yogurtini Fundraiser**

**September 7<sup>th</sup> - Support Group (new location)**

**September 8<sup>th</sup> - Golf Tournament**

**September 8<sup>th</sup> - Husker Heroes (more details to come)**

**September 8<sup>th</sup> - Project Lifesaver Battery Change**


**September 11<sup>th</sup> - Music Club**

**September 13<sup>th</sup> - Deer Springs Event**

**September 14<sup>th</sup> - Young Child Art**


**September 21<sup>st</sup> - Car Show**


**September 25<sup>th</sup> - Young Adult Art**




# CHILDREN'S ART + SOCIAL GROUP

Ages 5 to 12 (Accompanied by an adult)

 **Autism Family Network**  
in partnership with Lincoln Arts Council  
and Urban Legends Art Studio

 LINCOLN ARTS  
UPSTART

 Urban  
Legends  
Art Studio

**\$5 PER SESSION • 2nd Saturday Each Month • 1:00 PM**

Urban Legends Art Studio • 2632 NORTH 48th STREET • LINCOLN, NE

**Snacks Provided!**

**CONTACT**  
[urbanlegendsartclasses@gmail.com](mailto:urbanlegendsartclasses@gmail.com)  
To plan supplies - seating is limited

**Next Session: August 10<sup>th</sup> and September 14<sup>th</sup>**

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KIDS FISHING  
CLINICS CHARITY,  
INC.



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Parks  
Commission



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## FISHING IS FUN! SPECIAL KIDS-LINCOLN

**WHEN: August 10, 2024**

**WHERE: HOLMES LAKE – SHELTER #1**

**For Youth and Young Adult. Parent or guardian must attend.**

**TIME: 11:30 AM CHECK-IN - MEAL**

**Sign up by August 9, 2024 or the first 50 registered**

**Email: [autismfamilynetworklincoln@gmail.com](mailto:autismfamilynetworklincoln@gmail.com)**

**Phone: 402-421-0874 Questions**

**Cathy Martinez**

**Sign up early and bring waiver form completed. Printable form at**

**[www.nebraskawalleye.com](http://www.nebraskawalleye.com) and click on Fishing is Fun!**

This is a special clinic for special youth and young adults and their siblings that need a smaller and more hands on experience at fishing. The Nebraska Walleye Association Kids Fishing Clinics Charity, Inc. puts these clinics on all over the state of Nebraska. This year we are partnering with AFN. We've made this clinic smaller in size to give special youth and young adults a chance to tryout fishing. No rods or reels are needed. We will provide hot dogs, chips and drink for meal. Fishing is Fun! will provide instructional training, fishing gear, bait and assistance with fishing. All that you need are your children and a lawn chair. Brothers and sisters are welcome but please sign them up at the same time. We will check the kids in starting at 11:15 AM at HOLMES LAKE SHELTER #1. Clinic will start at noon.

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**INDUSTRIES**  
Steve Andersen



**LINCOLN**



# Musical Arts Social Club

AFN is proudly hosting in  
partnership with Music Studio  
LNK and Lincoln Arts Council

Second Wednesday of every month  
6:30pm



Location :

Foundry Space  
211 N. 14th Street  
Lincoln, NE  
2nd floor  
Additional parking  
available in Larson  
Building Garage



RSVP:

[autismfamilynetworklincoln@gmail.com](mailto:autismfamilynetworklincoln@gmail.com)

**Next session: August 14<sup>th</sup> and September 11th**



Autism Family Network

2024  
**AUTISM  
CONFERENCE**

SATURDAY  
**AUGUST 24**  
8 AM – 5 PM

Nebraska Innovation Conference Center  
2021 Transformation Dr. • Lincoln, NE

Breakfast, Lunch, and Parking Included

PRESENTERS &  
TOPICS INCLUDE:

- DHHS
- LPS
- Transitioning
- Special Needs  
Trusts and  
Guardianship

AND MORE!

Register today at:

[GetMeRegistered.com/AutismConference](https://GetMeRegistered.com/AutismConference)

Attendees – \$30  
Vendor Booth – \$100  
Booth & Sponsorship – \$250

**Contact AFN if you need financial assistance to attend conference**



**Autism Family Network**

is partnering with **Lincoln Arts Council**  
and **Urban Legends Art Studio**  
to host:

# YOUNG ADULT ART SOCIAL CLUB

for individuals with special needs.

**\$5 PER SESSION** • 4th Wednesday Each Month • 6:30 - 7:45 PM

**Urban Legends Art Studio** • 2632 NORTH 48th STREET • LINCOLN, NE

Class size is limited, so please preregister by emailing AFN at:

**AutismFamilyNetworkLincoln@gmail.com**

AFN BOARD MEMBERS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR DISCUSSION WITH CAREGIVERS.



LINCOLN ARTS  
UPSTART

Urban  
Legends  
Art Studio

**Next Session: August 28th and September 25<sup>th</sup>**

**FUNDRAISER FOR  
AFN**

**YOGURTINI  
SEPTEMBER 2ND 2024  
3900 OLD CHENEY RD**

**6-9pm**



AFN

**SUPPORT GROUP SATURDAY  
SEPTEMBER 7TH @ 10AM  
3355 ORWELL STREET**

Topic: Open Discussion  
Meet with AFN Board  
Members

**RSVP:**

[autismfamilynetworklincoln@gmail.com](mailto:autismfamilynetworklincoln@gmail.com)



**\*New Location\***

**Joyful Stoves will be our guest speaker and present on waivers**



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TOURNAMENT

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**Raffle: 4  
tickets for  
\$20**

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All proceeds benefit the  
Autism Family Network

\$100/player  
\$400/foursome  
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REGISTER NOW! SPACE IS LIMITED

[www.getmeregistered.com/autismgolf](http://www.getmeregistered.com/autismgolf)

**SUNDAY SEPT. 8TH**

HIGHLANDS GOLF  
COURSE

check in 12:00  
shotgun start @ 1:00pm



# Project Lifesaver Battery Change Calendar for year 2024 (United States)



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- Jan 7 - Battery Change
- Jan 18 - Make Up
- Feb 25 - Battery Change
- Feb 28 - Make Up
- Apr 14 - Battery Change
- Apr 17 - Make Up
- Jun 2 - Battery Change
- Jun 5 - Make Up
- Jul 21 - Battery Change
- Jul 24 - Make Up
- Sep 8 - Battery Change
- Sep 11 - Make Up
- Oct 27 - Battery Change
- Oct 30 - Make Up
- Dec 15 - Battery Change
- Dec 18 - Make Up

**Battery Change September 8<sup>th</sup>**  
**Project Lifesaver participants will receive an email**

**Join us on Sept 13th, 2024  
Deer Spring Winery  
16255 Adams Street**

**Show your support for Lincoln's  
1st Inclusive Playground- \$5 cover  
Portion of proceeds support the  
playground**

**Doors Open at 5pm  
Live Music: Garage Band 7-9pm  
Food Truck: Boom Eatery**



**Autism Family Network**

DEER SPRINGS



WINERY

**AUTOSOUNDS OF LINCOLN AND CHICK-FIL-A  
PRESENT**

**48TH and O**

# CAR SHOW



**4720 O St,  
Lincoln, NE**

**SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 21st**

**4PM-7PM**

**MUSIC BY:**

**NICK  
THE  
QUICK & FlyCuts**

**FREE for SPECTATORS!**

**Help support Autism Family Network - Lincoln**

**Come see Lincoln's finest Cars, Bikes, and Trucks!**

**PRE-REGISTRATION DUE: September 20, 2024 - Registration Fee \$20.00**

**DAY OF SHOW REGISTRATION \$30.00**

**Register at Autosounds of Lincoln 4720 O Street Lincoln, NE 68510**

**Autosounds of Lincoln - Phone # (402) 466-4400**



Josh the Otter and  
Autism Family Network  
are partnering to offer



# WATER SAFETY LESSONS

for individuals on  
the autism spectrum.

**NOW  
ENROLLING**

Contact Kim at  
Float 4 Life  
for details.

**SCHOLARSHIPS  
AVAILABLE**

Contact AFN for  
an application.

**\$40  
PER SESSION**

- Specially trained instructors
- 1-on-1 customized lessons

**Josh the Otter // Float 4 Life // Joshua Collingsworth Foundation**  
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For enrollment information, contact Kim at: **402-613-5555**

For scholarship information, contact AFN at:

**402-421-0874 // AutismFamilyNetworkLincoln@gmail.com**

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## Lincoln Water Safety Program

**A Collaboration between Autism Family Network and Josh the Otter**



## Autism Family Network

### Application for Financial Assistance

Client name: \_\_\_\_\_

Annual Household income: \_\_\_\_\_

(submit copy of most recent income tax)

Household size: \_\_\_\_\_

Any extenuating circumstances: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Return this form with along with copy of most current income tax to:

Autism Family Network 307 North 46<sup>th</sup> Street Lincoln NE 68503

Or via email to: [autismfamilynetworklincoln@gmail.com](mailto:autismfamilynetworklincoln@gmail.com)

This scholarship covers up to \$30 of each lesson.

This scholarship covers up to 20 lessons per individual.

Parents approved for financial assistance through the Autism Family Network are responsible for a \$10 copay per lesson at the time of the lesson.

Thank you to our generous run sponsors for 2024:



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**UBT**

**Union Bank & Trust**

You belong here.<sup>SM</sup>







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## How to Make an Account:

1. Go to [givetoenable.com](http://givetoenable.com)
2. Click on "Register" at the top of the screen
3. Fill in all the boxes and click "Sign Up" at the bottom.
4. An email will go to an administrator, who will review your registration, and will contact you to let you know whether corrections need to be made or your account is approved and activated.
5. You can then log in and upload a picture, and your account should then show up on the website under "Members"
6. Feel free to share!

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1. Go to [enablesavings.com](http://enablesavings.com)
2. Log into your account
3. Choose "View and Invite savings with Ugift®" from the menu on the left side of the profile page.
4. This will bring you to the Ugift® page, and you will see your six-digit alpha numeric code.

## Want to Give?

1. Go to [givetoenable.com](http://givetoenable.com)
2. Click "Members" to read member's stories, learn about their needs, and decide who you would like to give to.
3. Copy the member's Ugift® code found on their profile, and click the link for [ugiftable.com](http://ugiftable.com).
4. Follow the instructions on the Ugift® page to give.
5. At the end of the process, there will be a confirmation page. Print that page and keep for your records.
6. Using the Ugift® code you contributed with, deduct the amount you gave on your Nebraska income taxes at the end of the year (up to \$10,000 annually -- \$5,000 for married taxpayers filing separately).

## Questions? Email [stacy.pfeifer@nebraska.gov](mailto:stacy.pfeifer@nebraska.gov)

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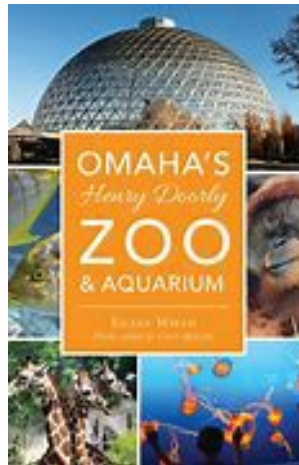
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Nebraska State Treasurer Trustee  
Ascensus LLC Program Manager  
Nebraska Investment Council Investment Oversight





**AFN has a free family pass to Omaha Henry Doorly Zoo. This pass is available to check out during 2024. Please contact AFN to see if the pass is available and reserve your day!**

[AutismFamilyNetworkLincoln@gmail.com](mailto:AutismFamilyNetworkLincoln@gmail.com)





## Free Family Pass to Lincoln Children's Museum

AFN has a free pass to Children's Museum available for families. Please contact AFN to reserve the pass for a day.

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