

Autistic Teens & Young Adults United Presents: Mardi Gras Mask Making!



What?

We meet up for a variety of fun social activities, workshops, special interest nights and more! Autistics United is a non-profit organization run BY Autistics, FOR Autistics (and families and friends)!

For this month's teen and young adult group, we are making masks in honor of Mardi Gras! We will have all sorts of fun art materials for you to make your very own Mardi Gras mask! Purple, gold, green and orange are Mardi Gras colors. If you have your own art materials you would like to use for mask making, you may bring them too!

When? Saturday, March 12 from 1-3 p.m.

Where? Arms Around ASD @Asheville Mall 3 Tunnel Road, Suite L-40, Asheville, NC 28805

Who?

Autistic teens and young adults and their families/caregivers

What to bring?

Bring a family member or friend. Bring a snack or drink if you would like. Just make sure to clean up after yourself and throw your trash away.

Note: Try to give your young autistic their independence. It's perfectly okay to go help them when they need it, but you should also allow your child/person you're supporting to practice their independence in the group in their own way. Please remain in the facility while the group is in session. Please remember that if you have to leave we, the A.U. nonprofit, cannot be held responsible for any accidents or issues that may occur. For this reason, it is best to stay on site.

Things to keep in mind:

Since these events are intended to encourage socializing and interacting with others, please limit the use of electronics unless needed to assist with communication. We are a casual group and want to provide a safe and positive environment for everyone.

In light of Covid-19, we will be following these safety guidelines:

- Masks are now optional at Arms Around ASD.
- All of us also should continue to wash our hands or use hand sanitizer.
- Stay home if you are sick or exhibiting symptoms. We appreciate you following this guidance!

For General information, find out more at our new website: www.autistics-united.com

Questions? Email Our Executive Director Danny Landry: wncautisticsunited@gmail.com