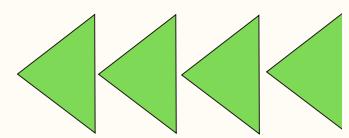




MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

FEBRUARY 2026



A MESSAGE FROM THE DIRECTOR

Hi parents, caregivers, and friends of adults with autism—

YAAS turns three years old this May, and we're so proud of how far we've come. As we keep growing, we're ready to offer even more opportunities for connection and community—but we can't do it without your help.

If you're a parent, caregiver, or someone whose life has been touched by autism, I'd like to invite you to join our volunteer support team.

Check out the box to the right to see some opportunities that you may be interested in.

With gratitude,
Darus Juarez
YAAS Club Director



YAAS
DIRECTOR
DARUS JUAREZ



BECOME A VOLUNTEER

For Young Adults with Autism

Here are a few ways you could help (even one area makes a big difference):

1. Event ideas + planning – Help find activities that our members will genuinely enjoy
2. Local discounts – Help us secure venue discounts so events stay affordable
3. Host a recurring activity – Lead something you enjoy (monthly hike, movie night, game night, etc.)
4. Fundraising – A self-starter who can help create and run fundraising efforts
5. Grant writing – If you have experience writing grants, we would love your support
- 6.

If you're interested—or even just curious—please reach out to me at darus@yaasclub.org and we can chat about what would be a good fit.



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5:30 PM – MEDFORD

FOXY TAILS KARAOKE

ALWAYS A CROWD PLEASER – COME JOIN THE FUN AND SING A SONG (ONLY IF YOU WANT TO!). FOXY TAILS ALSO HAS BAR GAMES LIKE A POOL TABLE AND PINBALL, A JUKEBOX, AND DRINKS WITH TYPICAL BAR FOOD.

COST: FREE (BRING MONEY FOR FOOD OR REFRESHMENTS)

YAAS REP: SERENA

841 W STEWART AVE UNIT 3, MEDFORD, OR 97501

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5:30 PM – MEDFORD

DINNER AT KALEIDOSCOPE PIZZA

COME HANG OUT WITH YAAS FOR A CASUAL DINNER SOCIAL AT KALEIDOSCOPE PIZZA – KNOWN FOR GOURMET, STONE-BAKED PIZZAS (PLUS CALZONES, SALADS, SOUPS, APPETIZERS, AND DESSERTS), WITH A FUN, COLORFUL DINING SPACE AND A PUB-STYLE DRINK MENU.

COST: FREE (BRING MONEY TO PAY FOR YOUR OWN MEAL)

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5:30 PM – GRANTS PASS

DINNER AT APPLEBEES

FILL YOUR TUMMY WITH APPLEBEE'S CLASSIC AMERICAN COMFORT FOOD – BURGERS, RIBS, STEAKS, CHICKEN, PASTA, SALADS AND APPETIZERS, SERVED IN A RELAXED SIT-DOWN SETTING THAT'S PERFECT FOR GROUPS LIKE OURS.

COST: FREE (BRING MONEY TO BUY YOUR OWN MEAL)

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5:30 PM – GRANTS PASS

A DAY AT THE MUSEUM OF ART

THE GRANTS PASS MUSEUM OF ART IS A NONPROFIT IN THE HISTORIC DISTRICT ON SW "G" STREET, FEATURING ROTATING FINE-ART EXHIBITIONS PLUS COMMUNITY PROGRAMS LIKE WORKSHOPS AND EVENTS. ADMISSION IS FREE, AND IT'S LOCATED UPSTAIRS WITH ELEVATOR ACCESS; THERE'S ALSO GALLERY ONE NEXT DOOR, WHICH DOUBLES AS AN ART GALLERY AND GIFT SHOP.

COST: FREE

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