

for everyBody!

ActiveLiving Tradeshow

**Friday & Saturday
November 4 & 5, 2022
Variety Village, Scarborough**

Connecting consumers; their families, friends, caregivers, organizations, and healthcare professionals to products, services, and education for those interested in inclusion, mobility, sport, education, careers, and healthy active living. There's something for everyBody!

Join us! The Active Living Tradeshow is a FREE exhibition on November 4 and 5th, hosting exhibitors at Variety Village as part of a 2-day conference welcoming the public, post-secondary students, educators, coaches, community organizations and families interested in increasing their awareness of inclusive and healthy active living opportunities for diverse abilities.

3 great events over 2 days!

Registrants and attendees will explore vendors showcasing the latest products and services, enjoy panel presentations from practitioners and athletes, and participate in inclusive activity sessions. The tradeshow invites guests to learn about sports for all abilities, network, and visit exhibits focused on career, education, and innovation.



Check out life-enhancing exhibits, dynamic workshops, and fun events for all ages and stages! The Active Living Tradeshow presents a program of carefully selected free workshops to connect attendees with community experts. The go-to source for the Community of people with disabilities, their families, seniors, and healthcare professionals.

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Part 1 The Tradeshow

Free, registration is required.

- Various exhibitors
- Try a variety of adaptive sports
- Industry Experts
- Speakers & Awards and more!

Part 2 The Summit

Free, registration is required.

We are excited to invite community leaders and practitioners to participate in a one-day summit themed 'Participation' with speaker presentations, panel discussions, and networking opportunities.

Part 3 The Conference

For students and educators.

Admission Fee, registration is required.

Post secondary students from across the province join us annually to increase their awareness of inclusive sport and recreation programming initiatives.

FREE Admission, FREE Parking + Accessible Parking, FREE Wifi, Service Animal Area, Closed Captioning, Accessible Venue, ASL Interpreters



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for students

ActiveLiving Conference

Friday, November 4, 2022
10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Variety Village, Scarborough

This year's Active Living Conference takes part in combination with the 3rd annual Active Living Tradeshow formerly the Access Expo. The inaugural expo took place in 2019 and has since seen over 2000 attendees each year with upwards of 100 exhibitors. The conference, in its 24th year, has welcomed over 4,800 students and professionals.

Join us! This popular one day event attracts students, classes, schools, leadership programs, educators, coaches, families and volunteers and now includes:

- The Active Living Tradeshow featuring various exhibitors
- Guest speakers
- Sport activation challenge: try a new sport
- Networking opportunities and resources
- Innovation sport and recreation design projects
- Certificate *Introduction to Inclusive Participation-Level One*

ALC Delegate Registration \$45

Learn more about the **Tradeshow!**

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The Conference

9:00 a.m. - 9:45 a.m. Check-in/Registration

10:00 - 12:00 p.m. Speaker Series

12:00 noon - 1:00 p.m. Lunch

Not included in registration.

BBQ/Cafe available.

1:00 - 3:30 p.m. Activity Sessions and Tradeshow

- Sledge Hockey
- 5-a-side Soccer
- Sitting Volleyball
- Wheelchair Basketball
- Seated Fitness
- Curling
- Facility Tours

For more information **Contact us!**

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Get registered!

Delegate registrations are completed through eventbrite. Visit our event page at www.varietyontario.ca/altradeshow to register or click below!

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for professionals

ActiveLiving Summit

Saturday, November 5, 2022
10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
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The Summit You are invited to participate in an interactive collaborative discussion sharing ideas and best practices to re-imagine play and participation for #everyBody!

The community leader Practitioners Summit is an exciting new addition to the Tradeshow and features guest speakers, networking sessions and team building. Perfect for leaders and professionals in the disability community. The summit focuses on increasing awareness in recognizing and addressing potential barriers, promoting provisions in sport, health, recreation, and fitness.

Who should attend?

The Active Living Community Leaders and Practitioners Summit includes a variety of advocates for accessible, inclusive, and safe programs and services for those living with a disability.

Register to participate, join in on discussions with sport leaders and community programming staff agencies.

Closed captioning will be available.

Community Leaders and Practitioners

- Welcome/Opening Remarks
- Keynote Speaker
- Panel Discussion
- Guest Speaker

Stay tuned for the full agenda for the 2022 Active Living Summit.

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ActiveLiving Innovation Fair

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The Active Living Tradeshow would like to invite college and university students from across Ontario to take part in the Innovation Fair: to design and create innovative ideas that promote play, participation, and healthy active living opportunities for people with disabilities. This is a great opportunity to be an innovator and be recognized by peers, guests, and community advocates for your leadership.

This year's Innovation Fair takes part in combination with the 3rd annual Active Living Tradeshow. You'll experience innovators who inspire us to do our part to create a better world, to cultivate new ideas and find innovative solutions. Participants will have the opportunity to network with researchers, businesses, and industry experts who are presently redefining our world.

The Format

The showcase will be in a science-fair format. Each team will be provided with a table to display their project. Conference participants and speakers will be visiting each table and will vote for the best project. Winners will be recognized at the awards celebration for the show.

The designs should be forward thinking, embody ideas that are both transformational and unique, have functionality demonstrating ease of use, and a practical application in the real world. Innovations must be presented by at least one member of a team.

- ✓ Win prizes
- ✓ Connect with Peers
- ✓ Gain Insight
- ✓ Best Practices
- ✓ Exchange Ideas
- ✓ Discover new tools

Admission is Free.

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with **innovative ideas***

Innovation Fair Submission Outline

Students should be in teams of 4-5 with project presentations designed to promote accessible spaces and places, social inclusion, equipment modifications or participation in physical activities where everyBody can be engaged.

Concepts can propose new education, awareness initiatives, physical health and education activity ideas, rehabilitation programs or services, community integration, inclusive schools, accessible organization interests, club development with participant engagement, accessible and inclusive sport and recreation, fitness and health initiatives. Ideas would support educators, coaches, practitioners and administrators to promote the importance of diversity, equity and inclusion.

Each team has to work collaboratively with their peers to select a topic and create a project outline. Project concepts are to be shared with their post secondary institution and submitted for selection. Projects chosen will be displayed in the Innovation Fair at the Active Living Tradeshow at Variety Village on November 4 and 5, 2022.

Ideas should be available with accessible text and design on a poster introducing who, what, why, when, where and how your innovative idea will introduce or re-introduce people with disabilities to participate at school, in the community or workplace. Topics can promote interests, create programs, or modify equipment, activities, or games. Please include any or all health and safety priorities.

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Project Entry **Criteria**

- Participate at a team of 4-5
- As a team create roles and responsibilities to actively engage all members of the group
- Propose timelines and target dates for project momentum
- Design an accessible poster
- Prepare a one-page write up to outline your project
- Accessibility priorities included in presentation
- Submit your project for selection

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