

Statewide Spring 2024 Calendar

* indicates extended meeting times



January & February Meetings
Meetings are held Virtually on Zoom!
January TBD • February TBD

Aroostook
(2nd Tuesday 3:00-5:00 pm)
Mar 12 • Apr 9 • May 14
Dates are subject to change
Meetings are @ Sargent Community Center
24 Chapman Rd, **Presque Isle**

Bangor
(2nd Wednesday, 3:30-5:30 pm)
Mar 13 • Apr 10 • May 8
Dates are subject to change
Meetings are @ UMA Bangor,
Eastport Hall, Room 12; 128 Texas Ave, **Bangor**

Central ME
(2nd Thursday, 3:30-5:30 pm)
Mar 14 • Apr 11 • May 9
Dates are subject to change
Meetings are @ Camp Tracy,
302 McGrath Road **Oakland**

The Youth Leadership Advisory Team
YLAT is a youth & adult partnership committed to improving the short-term experiences and long-term outcomes for youth who are currently in foster care or have been in care.
Get connected!
With youth, former youth, and adult partners who want to improve the child welfare system.
Be heard!
We know you've heard it before...but we get asked for input all the time. Your voice is valuable!
Have fun!
Have good food, great friends, and amazing conversations.
Make a difference!
Your story about your experiences in foster care could impact other youth in care.
Challenge yourself and others!
YLAT challenges us all to keep learning about what it means to grow up in foster care ... and about how we all can contribute to the solutions.
****Please note** due to ongoing monitoring of COVID-19 and Maine CDC protocols, YLAT meeting dates, times and locations are subject to change**
Visit www.ylat.org or www.facebook.com/MaineYLAT for updates or changes to the calendar throughout the year!

Lewiston
(2nd Thursday 3:45-5:45 pm)
Mar 14 • Apr 11 • May 9
Dates are subject to change
Meetings are @ East Auburn Baptist Church
560 Park Ave, **Auburn**

MidCoast
(2nd Tuesday, 3:00-5:00 pm)
Mar 12 • Apr 9 • May 14
Dates are subject to change
Meetings are @ Pope Memorial Humane Society
25 Buttermilk Lane, **Thomaston**

Cumberland
(2nd Wednesday, 3:45-5:45 pm)
Mar 13 • Apr 10 • May 8
Dates are subject to change
Meetings are @ Durham Quaker Meeting House
534 Quaker Meeting House Rd, **Durham**

Biddeford/York
(1st Thursday, 4:00-6:00 pm)
Mar 7 • Apr 4 • May 2
Dates are subject to change
Meetings are @ J. Richard Martin Community Center, 1st
Fl Room 2 189 Alfred St. **Biddeford**

Statewide Contact Information

Your Voice Matters!



The Youth Leadership Advisory Team

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Please Join Us!

If you are 14 or older and...

(choose any that apply):

- Currently in foster care
- Aged out of foster care
- Reunified with your family
- Adopted out of foster care
- Living in a kinship placement

-OR-

If you are an adult who is committed to partnering with youth while sharing your resources and experiences to support youth leadership

You are invited!

Keep your eye on the
YLAT website: www.YLAT.org

for meetings, statewide events,
upcoming trainings, panel
presentations, exciting
leadership opportunities,
and more!

Visit www.ylat.org or www.facebook.com/MaineYLAT for more information about how YOU can get involved!