



ANNOUNCING A NEW FRIENDSHIP GROUP FOR PRETEENS & TEENS ON THE AUTISM SPECTRUM

Our Friendship Group will meet once a month during the school year. This opportunity is for adolescents with autism spectrum disorder who are between ages 12-18 years. Friendship Group hangouts are supervised by college student volunteers who will provide a fun, safe, and engaging environment to help participants form and facilitate strong and lasting friendships.

Our first hangout will be Christmas themed! So pull out those ugly or cute Christmas sweaters, get ready for fun Christmas activities, & come make friends!

**OUR FIRST FRIENDSHIP GROUP WILL MEET
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15TH FROM 6:00PM – 9:00PM
AT THE ROYAL BALL RUN HEADQUARTERS
331 4TH STREET WEST MILAN, ILLINOIS**

**Space is limited to 20 participants. To secure a spot,
email Dr. Alli Haskill at allisonhaskill@augustana.edu**

WITH THE EXCEPTION OF FIELD TRIPS, THERE WILL BE NO CHARGE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE FRIENDSHIP GROUP, THANKS TO GENEROUS SUPPORT FROM THE AUTISM SOCIETY OF THE QUAD CITIES, THE ROYAL BALL RUN FOR AUTISM, AND THE AUGUSTANA CENTER FOR SPEECH, LANGUAGE, AND HEARING