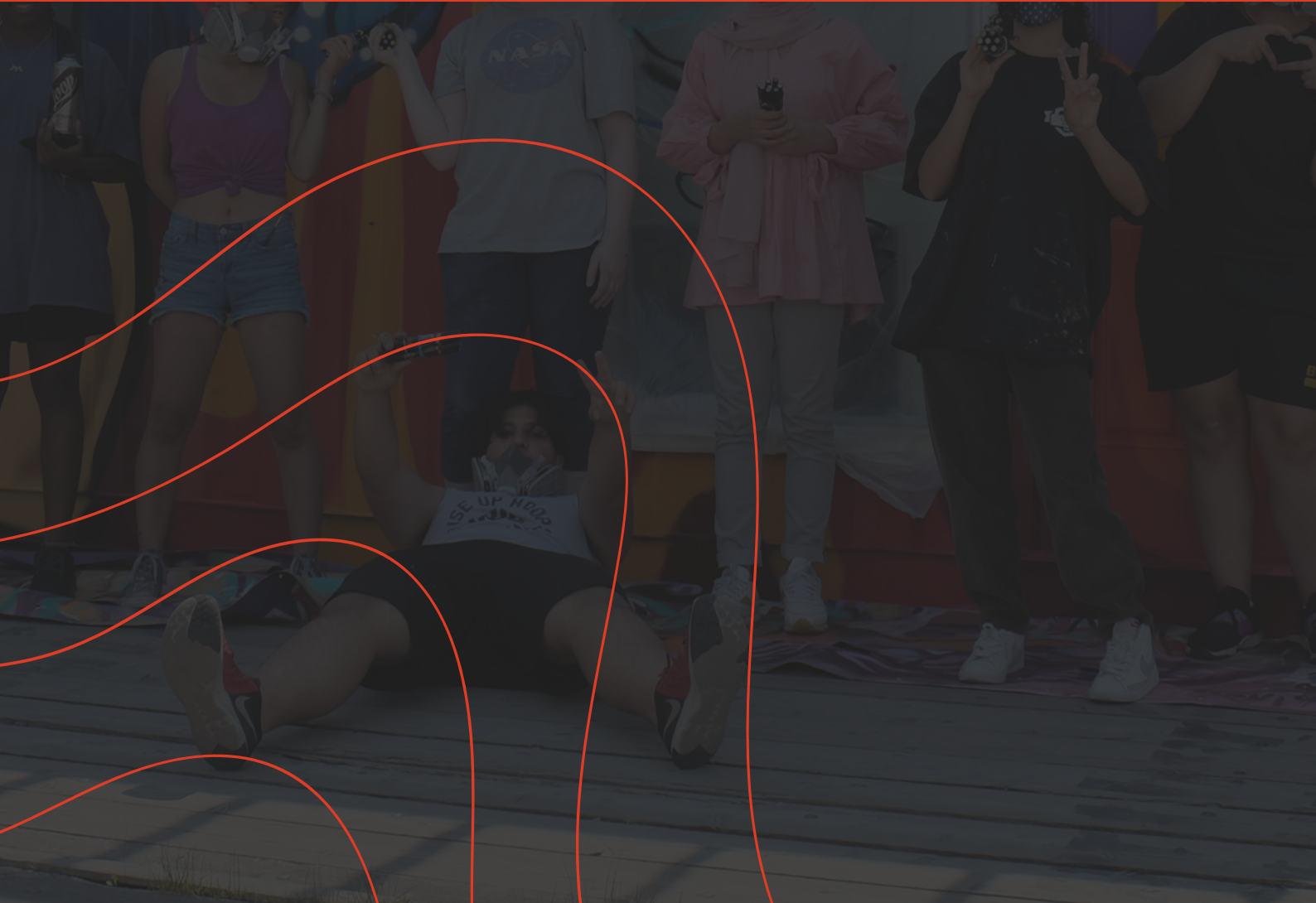




# *Community Arts Society*



# Youth deserves Antyx

## Who are we?

Antyx Community Arts is a unique Calgary-based organization that:

- Engages and empowers youth through the arts  
Provides opportunities for youth to make positive connections, develop new life skills and advocate for social issues they care about
- Creates imaginative learning opportunities, enabling youth to explore critical issues and make positive social change



### Our Mission

Community Arts: engaging, empowering, transforming.



### Our Vision

Creative, vibrant communities fostering inclusion, participation, and potential.



### Our Values

We are enthusiastically committed to integrity, diversity, inclusivity, creativity and empowerment.

# Our Reasons Matter

## *Why do we do it*

In Calgary, many young people do not feel connected to their communities and many face barriers that can limit their potential success.

The arts are powerful tools that can provide positive, life-changing experiences for youth in safe spaces.

The arts open the door to self-reflection and self-expression, allowing youth to explore who they are and their place in the world.

## *How we do it*

Antyx works in communities across Calgary to provide free programming for youth ages 12- 18. Antyx uses the arts to engage youth and spark their curiosity and commitment to the world around them while learning prevention skills and lifelong therapeutic tools



# Our Current Programs

## Youth Arts Action

### WHERE VISUAL ARTS LIVE

Youth Arts Action offers visual arts as a therapeutic conduit, giving youth tools to cope with life.

The program goes beyond art classes, shifting the focus is on providing a safe space for youth to express and reflect on society, community and emotional topics.



## The Film Lab

### ART AND TECHNOLOGY FOR A BETTER FUTURE

The Film Lab is specifically designed for youth interested in exploring their voices through digital storytelling.

Using the therapeutic benefits of expressing thoughts and ideas through multimedia techniques. Focused on community, social justice and mental health.

## Mural Projects

### SHOWCASTING ART TO COMMUNITIES

Mural projects are a perfect tool to explore art while making an impact on the community.

Our mural projects bring together youth and their community spaces. From the design to the painting and unveiling, youth are the designers of their own community creations.





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