

ANNUAL COMMUNITY-WIDE GARAGE SALE THIS WEEKEND

July 19 - July 21

Residents who missed the map deadline can still participate by posting their garage or yard sale on the outdoor bulletin board at the Ponoka Arena Complex (4410 54 Street) or by commenting on the Town of Ponoka's Facebook post of the event.

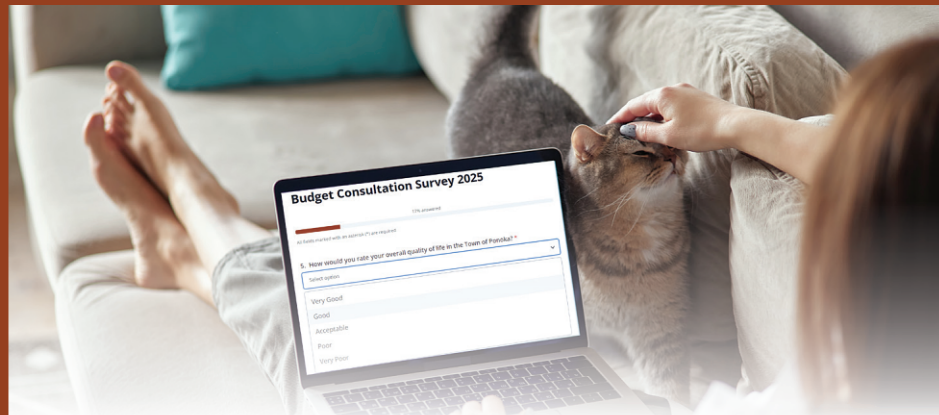


Although the event will take place from July 19 to 21, you can choose to set up your garage or yard sale on one, two or all three days.

Happy garage sale shopping!

The Town of Ponoka 2024 Community-Wide Garage Sale map is now available at [Ponoka.ca/p/community-wide-garage-sale](https://ponoka.ca/p/community-wide-garage-sale)

WE WANT YOUR INPUT ON THE 2025 TOWN OF PONOKA BUDGET



Visit LetsTalkPonoka.ca to:

View the Online Budget Open House to learn more about the Town of Ponoka budget planning process.

Take the Citizen Input Survey and share your thoughts and suggestions on matters such as top priorities you would like Town Council to consider in the upcoming budget.

Paper copies of the survey can be picked up and dropped off at:

- Ponoka Town Office (200, 5604 50 Street);
- Ponoka Arena Complex (4410 54 Street);
- Ponoka Aquaplex (5315 46 Avenue); and
- Coffee with Council events.

Completed surveys can also be mailed to the Town of Ponoka (200, 5604-50 St, Ponoka, AB, T4J 1G5) or dropped in the drop box located just inside the west doors of the Ponoka Civic Centre.

You can also visit an in-person Coffee with Council event on August 22 at the Ponoka Arena Complex from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Come and chat with Council, ask questions and share your ideas on the 2025 Town of Ponoka Budget.

NATIONAL DROWNING PREVENTION WEEK JULY 21 - 27



Join us for a fun week at the Ponoka Aquaplex!

Thursday, July 18, 2024

- Free Swim from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
- Free kick-off Community Barbecue from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Monday to Friday, July 22 - 26

- Daily Pool Scavenger Hunt during public swim.
- Swim to Survive Skills Challenge daily from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

For more information, please call 403-783-0131 or stop by the Ponoka Aquaplex at 5315 46 Avenue.



~ TOWN NEWS ~

• **Temporary Road Closures on July 19** - There will be temporary road closures on Friday, July 19, from 5 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. for the Ringsteken event. This event is being hosted by the Alberta Friesen Horse Association. The following roadways will be temporarily closed:

- 50 Avenue/Chipman Avenue (from 50 Street to 51 Street – event area); and
- 51 Avenue (from 50 Street to 51 Street – event staging area).

Motorists are advised to drive with caution and observe signage and road barricades. For more information and a map of the Ringsteken event, please visit [Ponoka.ca](https://ponoka.ca) under 'Latest News and Notices.'

• **Property Taxes are Due July 31** - Citizens have until Wednesday, July 31, 2024 to pay property taxes without penalty. If you are interested in paying your property taxes in monthly installments for no additional fee, contact the Town Tax Clerk before July 31 at 403-783-0127 or by email at taxes@ponoka.ca or visit www.ponoka.ca/p/monthly-property-tax-payment-plan. Property owners are responsible to ensure their taxes are paid on time and to contact the Town if they do not receive their tax notice.

• **Green Carts and Recyclable Materials** bundled in clear or blue transparent plastic bags should be placed at the curb for pick up on July 17, 18 and 19 - depending on your Zone.

• **Grey Carts and Green Carts** should be placed at the curb for pick up on July 24, 25 and 26 – depending on your Zone.

• **Missed Pickups** – If your curbside recycling, green cart or grey cart was not picked up on your collection day, please contact E360S dispatch at 403-341-9300 or by email at rddispatch@e360s.ca. For more information on the curbside waste collection program, please visit www.ponoka.ca/p/waste-management or call the Town Office at 403-783-4431.

~ UPCOMING COUNCIL MEETINGS ~

• Next TOWN COUNCIL MEETING: Tuesday, August 13 at 6 p.m.

• Next PRIORITIES AND INITIATIVES COMMITTEE MEETING: Tuesday, August 20 at 6 p.m. The public is welcome to attend all Council meetings. Meetings will be held in Town Council Chambers on the third floor of the Ponoka Civic Centre (5604 50 Street).



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