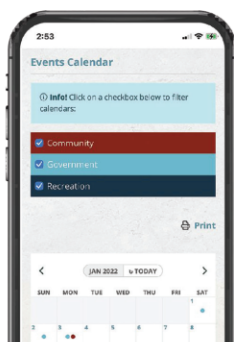


Have a Community Event You Want to Advertise?

Submit your event to the Community Events Calendar on the Town of Ponoka website at www.ponoka.ca to promote your event and reach more people.

Community events must be non-profit, non-partisan and local to Ponoka. Other events will be considered on a case-by-case basis.

Please allow up to two business days for the event to be approved and appear on the Town website.



Have a question or service request for the Town of Ponoka?

You can submit an online service request for:

- Bylaw enforcement requests;
- Park or roadway maintenance, including potholes;
- General inquiries; and
- Other service requests and questions.



Go to www.ponoka.ca, scroll down and click on 'File an Online Service Request.' Just fill out the online form and click submit. Or you can phone the Town Office at 403-783-4431 where staff can help fill out the form for you.

What Goes in My Green Cart?

Some common compostable items that can be placed in your Green Cart include:

- Meat and bones;
- Vegetable and fruit waste;
- Baked goods;
- Cat litter (loose or in certified compostable bags);
- Sauces and spreads;
- Dairy products and eggs;
- Facial tissue;
- Yard waste (including leaves, grass clippings, pulled weeds, branches less than three feet in length and one inch in diameter, etc.)
- Soiled cardboard (pizza box liners); and
- Paper coffee filters, grounds and tea bags.



Compostable items can be placed in certified compostable bags or loose in the cart.

Please do not place plastics of any kind including garbage bags, metal, treated wood, glass or styrofoam in your green cart.

For a complete list of what items are 'Accepted' and 'Not Accepted' in your green cart, please visit the Town of Ponoka website at <https://www.ponoka.ca/p/green-carts>.



Regular Aquaplex Swim Schedule Will Be Temporarily Paused for Swim Meet

Regular scheduled swim times at the Ponoka Aquaplex will be temporarily paused **starting at 1 p.m. on Friday, February 23** to allow pool staff time to prepare the facility for the Ponoka Pool Sharks' annual Cookie Classic Swim Meet which happens on February 24 and 25. The public is welcome to come and cheer the swimmers on during the swim meet.

Join us back at the Aquaplex for our regular scheduled swim times on Monday, February 26.

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



~ TOWN NEWS ~

- **Snow and Ice Control Updates** – For regular updates on snow and ice control operations in the Town of Ponoka, please visit www.ponoka.ca/p/snow-and-ice-control-updates.
- **Recently Issued Development Permits** – To view a list of the most recent development permits, please visit the Town's website at www.ponoka.ca/p/development-permits-and-decisions-issued.
- **Grey Carts and Green Carts** should be placed at the curb for pick up on February 21, 22 and 23 – depending on your Zone.
- **Recyclable Materials** bundled in clear or blue transparent plastic bags should be placed at the curb for pick up on February 28, 29 and March 1 – depending on what Zone you live in.
- **Missed Pickups** – If your curbside recycling, compost (green cart) or waste (grey cart) was not picked up on your designated 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 the Town website at www.ponoka.ca/p/waste-management or call the Town office at 403-783-4431.

~ UPCOMING COUNCIL MEETINGS ~

- **Next TOWN COUNCIL MEETING: Tuesday, February 27 at 6 p.m.**
- **Next PRIORITIES AND INITIATIVES COMMITTEE MEETING: Tuesday, March 19, 2024 at 6 p.m.**
- The public is welcome to attend all Council meetings. Meetings and budget deliberations will be held in Town Council Chambers on the third floor of the Ponoka Civic Centre (5604 50 Street).



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