



Town of Ponoka Christmas Tree Pick Up

The annual pick up of compostable Christmas trees will start on Tuesday, January 23.

The Town will make one pass down each back alley to collect compostable Christmas trees.

If there is no back alley, compostable Christmas trees should be placed in front of the property near the curb.

Please note that weather conditions can delay Christmas tree pick up, as Town crews may have to divert their attention to snow and ice control.



Come and stroll through Lions Centennial Park and marvel at the beauty of the tens of thousands of festive lights now on display. The holiday light display will continue until the end of February.

Please Help Keep Our Community Safe

By helping keep sidewalks that border your property clear of snow and ice, you are protecting the safety and well-being of your fellow citizens in Ponoka.

Keeping sidewalks adjacent to your property clear of snow and ice is a requirement under the Town of Ponoka Community Standards Bylaw #384-17 and can result in fines.

When shovelling, residents are also asked to please avoid depositing snow and ice onto the roadway and properties other than your own.

Shovelling snow onto your own property is not only good for your grass when it melts in the spring, it is also a Bylaw requirement.



Winter 2024 Aquaplex Program Registration is now open!

For more information and to register, please visit www.ponoka.ca/p/aquaplex or call 403-783-0131

- Programs include:
- Babysitting Course;
 - Stay Safe Course;
 - Advanced Lifesaving Courses (Become a Lifeguard);
 - First Aid; and
 - Lifesaving Swim Lessons (Ages newborn and up).



~ TOWN NEWS ~

- **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.
- **Recyclable Materials** bundled in clear or blue transparent plastic bags should be placed at the curb for pick up on January 3, 4 and 5 – depending on what Zone you live in.
- **Grey Carts and Green Carts** should be placed at the curb for pick up on January 10, 11 and 12 – depending on your Zone.
- **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, January 9 at 6 p.m.**
- **Next PRIORITIES AND INITIATIVES COMMITTEE MEETING: Tuesday, January 16, 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).