

TOWN OF PONOKA FAMILY DAY 2024

Monday, February 19

Family Day at the Calnash Ag Event Centre

In partnership with the Town of Ponoka



Calnash Ag Event Centre (3611 Highway 2A)
10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Free activities include a skijoring demonstration (skiers pulled by horses), a bonfire, horse-drawn carriage rides, hot chocolate, a bouncy castle and more!

Free Snowshoeing Clinic

Ponoka Golf Club (3519 46 Street)

12 p.m. to 2 p.m.

*Snowshoes are provided, thanks to
1st Ponoka Traditional Scouting.



Free Public Skating

Indoors at the Ponoka Arena Complex
(4410 54 Street)

10 a.m. to 1 p.m.



Free Public Swim

Ponoka Aquaplex (5315 46 Avenue)

1:30 p.m. to 4 p.m.



Help Support the Ponoka Food Bank

The Town of Ponoka will be collecting voluntary food bank donations as a form of admission to participate in Family Day Activities at the Ponoka Arena Complex and Ponoka Aquaplex.

Other Recreation Opportunities

including Cross Country Skiing and Tobogganing.

Learn more at www.ponoka.ca



Win a Family Day Prize Pack!

To qualify, just post a photo on Facebook, X or Instagram on February 19 of your family participating in a Family Day activity in Ponoka using the hashtag #TownofPonoka or by emailing your photo to events@ponoka.ca.

The winner will be contacted on February 20.



TOWN FACILITY HOURS FOR FAMILY DAY MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19

- The **Ponoka Aquaplex** will be open from 1:30 p.m. to 4 p.m. for free public swimming.
- The **Ponoka Arena Complex** will be open from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. for free public skating.
- The **Town of Ponoka Office** at the Ponoka Civic Centre will be closed on Monday, February 19 due to the Family Day statutory holiday. Regular hours will resume on Tuesday, February 20.
- The **Waste Transfer Station** will be closed on Monday, February 19, as winter hours are Tuesday through Saturday from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

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- **Aquaplex Swim Schedule Temporarily Paused for Swim Meet Beginning Feb. 23 at 1 p.m.** – 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. Regular scheduled swim times will resume on February 26.
- **We are Hiring** - The Town of Ponoka is hiring for the following seasonal and permanent positions: Building and Grounds Labourer (Multiple Summer Positions); and Lifeguard Level 3. For more information and to apply, please visit the Town of Ponoka website at www.ponoka.ca/p/careers
- **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.
- **Recyclable Materials** bundled in clear or blue transparent plastic bags should be placed at the curb for pick up on February 14, 15 and 16 – depending on what Zone you live in.
- **Grey Carts and Green Carts** should be placed at the curb for pick up on February 21, 22 and 23 – 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 PRIORITIES AND INITIATIVES COMMITTEE MEETING: Tuesday, February 20, 2024 at 6 p.m.**
- **Next TOWN COUNCIL MEETING: Tuesday, February 27 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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