# Join Us for a Meet and Greet with the Ponoka RCMP

#### Monday, September 18 from 3 to 7 p.m. At the Ponoka Community Market (5110 48 Avenue)

#### Join us to:

- Ask questions and chat one-on-one with local RCMP members;
- Come and speak with an RCMP recruiter;
- Find out about RCMP initiatives in Ponoka and get an update on 2023 local crime statistics; and
- Learn more about the Ponoka RCMP's annual policing priorities and provide your input on priorities for 2024.

### **Public Skating and Shinny Hockey On Now at the Ponoka Arena Complex**



Enjoy drop-in public skating and shinny hockey on the large and small indoor ice surfaces.

To view the programming schedule, please visit the Town of Ponoka website at www.ponoka.ca/p/ice-seasonprogramming.

Paper copies of the schedule are also available at the Arena (4410 54 Street).

To access public skating and shinny hockey, citizens can purchase a single-use pass or a 20-visit punch pass for the Arena. Recreation Passes and Arena Passes can also be used. Learn more at www.ponoka.ca/p/recreation-passes.



Share your thoughts and ideas on what you think Council should include in the 2024 Town of Ponoka Budget.

Take the Citizen Input Survey at **www.LetsTalkPonoka.ca** by Sunday, September 10 and you could have a chance to win a utility bill credit of \$100 or a three-month individual recreation pass to drop-in programming at the Ponoka Aquaplex and Ponoka Arena Complex.

Paper copies are available at:

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

Completed surveys can be dropped off at the locations above or mailed to the Town of Ponoka at 200, 5604 50 Street, Ponoka, AB, T4J 1G5 by September 10.



# ~ TOWN NEWS ~

Ponoka Aquaplex Facility Upgrades -

The Ponoka Aquaplex is temporarily closed for annual maintenance and facility modernization upgrades. The facility will reopen for regular operations on Tuesday, October 3. The work was scheduled during this time, because it is typically a slow time at the Aquaplex. There are people away on holidays in late August, no school lessons and typically very few public lessons in September. For full details on the work underway at the Ponoka Aquaplex, please visit the Town of Ponoka website at www.ponoka.ca under 'Latest Notices and News



- Firefighters' National Memorial Day The flags at the Ponoka Civic Centre will be at half-mast on Sunday, September 10 in honour of Firefighters' National Memorial Day.
- 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-anddecisions-issued.
- Grey Carts and Green Carts should be placed at the curb for pick up on September 6, 7 and 8 - depending on your Zone.
- Green Carts and Recyclable Materials bundled in clear or blue transparent plastic bags should be placed at the curb for pick up on September 13, 14 and 15 - 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 PRIORITIES AND INITIATIVES COMMITTEE MEETING: Tuesday, September 19 at 6 p.m.
- Next TOWN COUNCIL MEETING: Tuesday, September 12 at 6 p.m. The public is welcome to attend all Regular Council and Council Committee 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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