

Remember



Registration Deadline

June 26, 2018

Entries received after the deadline may not be assured a position in the parade

Judging will be at 9:00 a.m. sharp!



82 Years of Historical Stampede

PONOKA STAMPEDE PARADE GUIDELINES

1. Entries should be at the Arena marshaling area before 9:00 a.m. to be judged. Entries should be totally assembled and participants ready to be judged
2. The Parade Committee reserves the right to refuse access to the Parade to any entry deemed unsuitable, or dangerous.
3. An ambulance and tow truck are on stand by in case of any emergency.
4. Entries must not deviate from the established parade route unless directed by a police officer or parade official.
5. No smoking or alcoholic beverages are allowed on parade entries.
6. Items such as candy, balloons, etc. may be given out to spectators by "Walkers" who accompany the float and hand out treats from a safe distance by using small bags or pails. There is to be **NO THROWING OF CANDY** from floats for safety's sake.
7. All entries should be 80% decorated and decorations securely fastened.
8. Any individuals under 16 driving quads, garden tractors, are only to drive on the parade route.
9. Along the parade route you may encounter travelling parade marshals who have the authority to ask you to slow down, speed up, etc.

**Your Co-operation is
appreciated to help make the
parade safe for everyone.**

You're quitted!

Join us for the
**82nd Annual
Ponoka
Stampede
Parade**

FRIDAY, JUNE 29, 2018

Starting at 10:00 a.m.

Judging at 9:00 a.m.

Marshaling takes place in front
of the Arena Complex
(4410 – 54 Street)

2018 THEME:



**Saluting the
2019 Canada
Winter Games**

Parade Categories

1. **Professional:** an entry built by a professional
2. **Non-Professional:** an entry built by volunteers to represent a business
3. **Non-Commercial:** an entry representing a community organization, built by volunteers
4. **Mounted:** any group or individual mounted on horses, mules etc.
5. **4H:** any 4-H group - beef, dairy, horse clubs, mechanics, etc.
6. **Heavy Horse Hitch:** an entry featuring heavy horses
7. **Light Horse Hitch:** an entry such as horse & buggy, using regular horses to pull
8. **Antique:** any antique motorized vehicle
9. **Decorated Vehicle:** vehicle of any age, 80% decorated
10. **Sports & Rec:** any group from a sports or rec. activity or organization
11. **Children's:** include carts, decorated bikes, novelty items
12. **Best Marching Band**
13. **Best Non-Marching Band**
14. **Towns, Cities, Villages:** any entry representing a town, city, etc.
15. **Complimentary:** any entry which does not wish to be judged



The 3 mile long Ponoka Stampede Parade is making plans for the

82nd Annual Parade

We would like you to be a part of this exciting event of the famous Ponoka Stampede.

Your entry would add greatly to the quality and variety of our well known parade.

Please fill out the attached entry form and plan on having a great time at both the parade and at the Ponoka Stampede.

Deadline for entries: June 26, 2018

Please check the back of this brochure for more information on Ponoka's largest 7-Day Outdoor Stampede or contact:

Parade Director

Greg Gordon

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Rodeo Office

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Parade Entry Form

Name _____

Mailing Address: _____

City/Town: _____

Postal Code: _____

Phone: _____

Fax: _____

Contact Person: _____

Category you are entering: _____

Brief description of your entry: _____

Commentary for T.V. and radio would be appreciated.