



OUR STORY - Ponoka Ag Society 2024

PAS Vision: Doing great deeds to inspire, support, and create vitality in our urban & rural community.

PAS Mission: Use our resources & collaborate with like-minded groups to gather in meaningful ways.

<i>Event</i>	<i>Month</i>	<i>Participants</i>	<i>Volunteers</i>	<i>Total Hours</i>
AAAS Convention Edmonton	February	5 Directors + 2	7	2 full days
AAAS Region 3 in Bashaw	November		4 Directors	16 hrs
PAS Board Meetings	Monthly		12 Directors	140 hrs.
Committees – Ag Centre, Bk Elk	Monthly	Other Jt. Ventures		***** 😊
Reps to PAECS Board	Monthly +		3 Directors	100 hrs.
Ag Societies Infrastructure	June	\$100,000 grant recd		
Adult Gymkhana – With Rimbey	January 20 & February 10	54 (up from 32) 12 spectators	4	25 hrs.
Sheep Dog Trials	January 27	46 200 – 2500 spectators	13	290 hrs.
3 Evenings of Open Rides with Obstacles	March 13 & 20 April 10	57 riders (17 kids)	3	18 hrs.
Ponoka Riding & Roping 4 days at Stampede Grounds	April & Oct.	160 + kids & adults		
5 Shows with Northern Alberta Reined Cow Horse / ASHA	Oct. – June 461 (25 youth)	Oct – 148 Apr. - 90 May – 110 June - 127	148	784 hrs.

June Rodear Youth
competitors
Director Carissa
Raugust and Shep
– finish 2nd & 3rd



March 2024 CATPA Winners



Garden Project 2024
Participants from 3 to 93!



Black Elk Cutting Shows keep getting bigger and better each year making it the largest cutting shows in Canada. For both shows contestants travel from as far away as B.C. & Ontario with Americans coming from Oregon, North Dakota, Montana, Idaho, Utah and California. They love Ponoka and they love its Ag Event Centre!



Jungle Farm Trip – 120 kids learning about where our food comes from and what it takes to produce it. Ponoka Youth Centre Summer Ag Camp, 2024

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Gardens & Butterflies With Ponoka FCSS	May 16 Pick-up	230 gardeners Age 3 to 93	11	110 hrs.
Black Elk Cutting	May 21 - 26 Sept. 3 - 8	425 adults 25 youth Canada & USA	20	2,260 hrs.
Central AB Team Penning CATPA	Mar. & June	Alberta & B.C.	24	384 hrs.
Rodear Dog Trials	June 25	66 (3 youth) Sask. & Alberta	20	270 hrs.
Canadian Cow Dog Futurity	June 26	69 (3 U17) 300 Spec	30	300 hrs.
Youth Centre Ag Camp	July	120	2	6 hrs.
Zane Lambert Bull Riding Clinic	February	20 bull riders 10 "protectors"	2	24 hrs.
High School Rodeo at Stampede Grounds	September	320 Jr. Sr. High	27	48 hrs.
4 \$750 Scholarships	October	Marye Bakker Haylee Burnett Teresa Cutts Quaid McKinney	3 ***** HUGE	10 hrs. ***** HUGE
Community Support: FCSS Cancer Fund, Santa's Anon., Community Xmas	December	\$500 X 3 causes	THANKS to our	THANKS to our
Ponoka Minor Hockey U15 1 set of Jerseys	November	\$3,500.00	2024	MANY
*Support to all 5 4-H Club Achievement Day Activity *August Leadership Ag Trip	February	\$ 5,700.00 Bella Sweet	SUPPORTERS &	COLLABORATIVE
50/50 Raffle New Year's Eve Bull Bash	January 1 st		VOLUNTEERS	GROUPS
\$20,000 Cash Raffle	July 2024	The Purnells from Ponoka	👉	

Volunteer Impact : 5,000 + hours of volunteer time to make things happen! Thousands of participants... WOW!



Garden Project Crew Dale Olsen A 2024 Scholarship to Haylee Burnett
PAS & FCSS Volunteers

Born to have FUN!!

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