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# The Communicator

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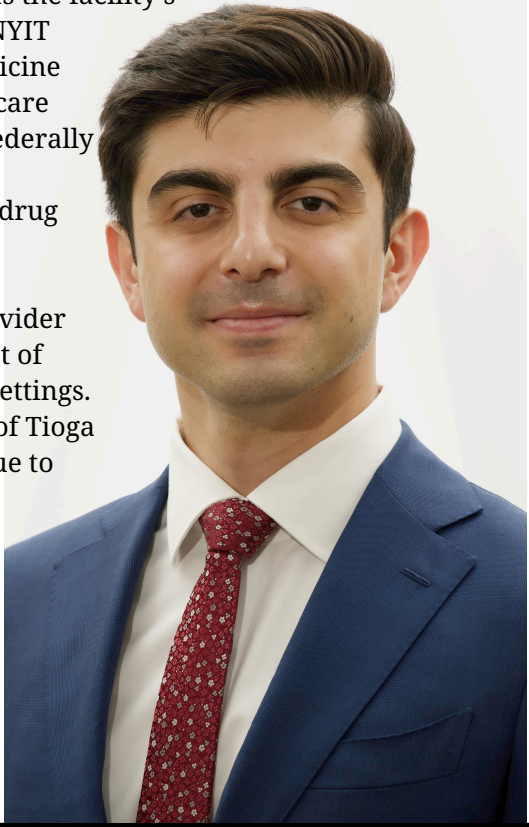
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## Community News

### Tioga Medical Center Welcomes David Petrosian, DO

Dr. Petrosian to Serve as Facility’s Medical Director Tioga Medical Center is pleased to welcome David Petrosian, DO, to its growing team of providers. In addition to seeing patients, Dr. Petrosian will serve as the facility’s medical director. Dr. Petrosian earned his Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine degree from NYIT College of Osteopathic Medicine in Glen Head, New York, and completed his Family Medicine residency at St. John’s Episcopal Hospital in Far Rockaway, NY. He worked as an urgent care physician at Montefiore Medical Center in Bronx, NY, and as a traveling physician at a federally qualified health center in Boston, Massachusetts, providing outpatient primary care. Additionally, he worked with Forest Hills Dermatology Group in Queens, NY, on clinical drug trials. With a strong background in urgent and family medicine, Dr. Petrosian provides compassionate, personalized care to patients of all ages. His clinical interests include dermatology and longevity medicine. As medical director, Dr. Petrosian will oversee provider operations, guide quality improvement initiatives, and support the ongoing development of patient-centered care across Tioga Medical Center’s hospital, clinic, and long-term care settings. “We are thrilled to welcome Dr. Petrosian to our provider team,” says Jamie Eraas, CEO of Tioga Medical Center. “His clinical expertise and leadership will be instrumental as we continue to improve accessibility and enhance the high quality, compassionate care our community deserves.” Dr. Petrosian is the second new provider to join Tioga Medical Center this year. A third provider is expected to begin later this fall. These additions are part of the organization’s continued commitment to expanding access to high-quality care is the region.



About Tioga Medical Center  
A nonprofit healthcare system, Tioga Medical Center proudly serves the communities of northwest North Dakota with clinics in Tioga, Ray and Powers Lake; a 25-bed critical access hospital; a Long-Term Care center; and Independent Living apartments.

### Chevron makes donation to Tioga Fire Department - Rick Farrow Jr

The Tioga Fire Department proudly extends its heartfelt appreciation to Chevron whose contributions have significantly enhanced the department's capabilities and training resources. These donations have directly funded the purchase of iPads for emergency apparatuses, EMT class tuition for local students, attendance at the TEEX Fire School, and personal protective equipment (PPE) for our firefighters. The newly installed iPads in our apparatuses are already making a difference. These devices improve response times, enhance accountability during wildland fire operations, and offer a range of features that support more efficient and informed emergency response. Thanks to the donated EMT training funds, the department was able to sponsor ten students through a comprehensive EMT course-at no cost to the participants. All ten students completed the program and are now nationally registered EMTs, ready to serve Tioga and the surrounding communities with critical medical support. Additionally, funding for the TEEX Industrial Fire Brigade School enables eight Tioga Fire Department members to travel to College Station, Texas, where they will undergo advanced training in industrial firefighting scenarios. These hands-on experiences are tailored to the unique challenges faced in the Bakken region, ensuring our team is well-prepared for the complex emergencies that can arise in our area. The department also received donations that covered the cost of personal protective equipment (PPE), ensuring our members are equipped with the gear necessary to safely and effectively perform their duties. "Chevron is proud to support the Tioga Fire Department and its volunteers. Their commitment to protecting the community reflects our focus on safety. By investing in training and equipment, we're helping secure stronger emergency response in the region," said Michael Bast, incoming Regional Director of North Dakota, Chevron. We are incredibly grateful for the support we've received. These donations are more than an investment in equipment and training-they're investments in the safety and resilience of our entire community. The Tioga Fire Department remains committed to excellence in emergency response and community service. These contributions have empowered us to grow stronger, train harder and more effectively, and respond faster.

## Small Business Spotlight - Wade Works

Wade Works enjoys being part of the Tioga Community and supporting community events. We understand the importance of a strong community, which supports each other, creates identity, unity, and promotes the talents of each individual. Wade Works is a roustabout company that works primarily in the Bakken region of North Dakota with its business office located in Buffalo, South Dakota. Wade Works builds the pads, sets the tanks, plumbs in the flow lines, sets the pumping units, assembles catwalks, and other various detailed jobs to complete the tank batteries. We also maintain these locations after they are in operation. We operate Salt Water Disposal sites and employ certified welders capable of fabricating oilfield products and can perform field work. Wade Works performs sandblasting & painting, pressure testing, trucking, hotshot services, and TENORM transport. If anyone is looking for a job in the oilfield in North Dakota, please feel free to give us a call at 701-664-8497, visit us online at www.wadeworksllc.com or stop by our Tioga Field office! Wade Works is thankful for the opportunity to be a part of the Tioga community and its local events!



### **Mark your Calendars!**

Tioga Community Center to host A Magical Medora Christmas again this year! December 12, 2025 - More information coming soon!





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Friday 10am-3pm  
Saturday 10am-2pm  
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Inspirational Quote		Tioga Trivia	Bible Verse of the Week	
“Hunting is about the journey, the experience, the memories we make in nature’s playground.” ~ Cameron Hanes		How many deer tags were allocated in North Dakota this year?  Prev Edition Answer: 73	“ The Joy of the Lord is my strength.” ~ Nehemiah 8:10	
A Little Chuckle			Did you know?	
Why do hunters always carry a pencil and paper with them? Because they’re always drawing their bows!			It costs about \$20 and takes about 5 hours for the average deer hunter to secure one pound of venison.	
2025 THS HOMECOMING COURT			Prayers to the Family of:	
Congratulations to the 2025 Tioga High School Homecoming Court! Go Pirates!!		King Jeremiah Schmidt	Rose Storr	
		Queen Presley Hill	Goldie Arcola Mida Fjeld: June 21, 1938 - October 1, 2025 Brian Alan Engberg: December 8, 1951 - October 6, 2025 Jayme Rachelle Jorstad: December 16, 1986 - October 12, 2025	
			<div>— — — — —</div> <p>“May there be comfort in knowing that someone so special will never be forgotten.”-Julie Hebert</p>	



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Oct 16: Tioga Park Board Meeting 6PM Tioga Park Bldg Oct 20: City Commission Meeting 7PM Tioga City Hall Oct 21: Tioga Airport Board Meeting 7PM Tioga Airport Oct 17,18,24,25,31: Bakken Nightmares Haunted House Oct 29: First Lutheran Church Fundraiser 5-7PM Oct 31: TMC Trail of Treats 3-4:30PM Door 25 Oct 31: Halloween	Oct 16: No School Teachers Conference Oct 17: No School Teacher Conference Oct 17: Football @ Bishop Ryan/Our Redeemer's Oct 21: Volleyball Stanley Oct 22: HS Picture Retake Day Oct 23: Volleyball vs Velve Oct 24: Cross Country State Meet - Jamestown



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# **TIOGA'S 33RD** **ANNUAL COMMUNITY** **Halloween Party** **Sunday, November 2nd** **Tioga Community Center** **Party Times**

**3:00 to 5pm – Ages 0 thru 2nd grade**

**5-7pm – 3rd thru 6th grade**

**7-9pm – 7th thru 12th grade**

**ADMISSION**  
**\$1.00**

**Carnival Games**

**Cake Walk**

**Costume Contest**

**Pumpkin Carving Contest**

**Cake Decorating Contest**

**Fortune Teller**

**Door Prizes**

**Free food**

Costume Judging starts at 3:30pm

Ages: 0-1	Grades: 1-2
Ages: 2-3	Grades: 3-4
Ages: 4-K	Grades: 5-6

**Adult & Group Costume Contest**

Pumpkins and Cakes will be Judged at 6pm SHARP for all ages



Cakes, cupcakes and Halloween cookies needed for the cake walk - Drop off after 1pm day of

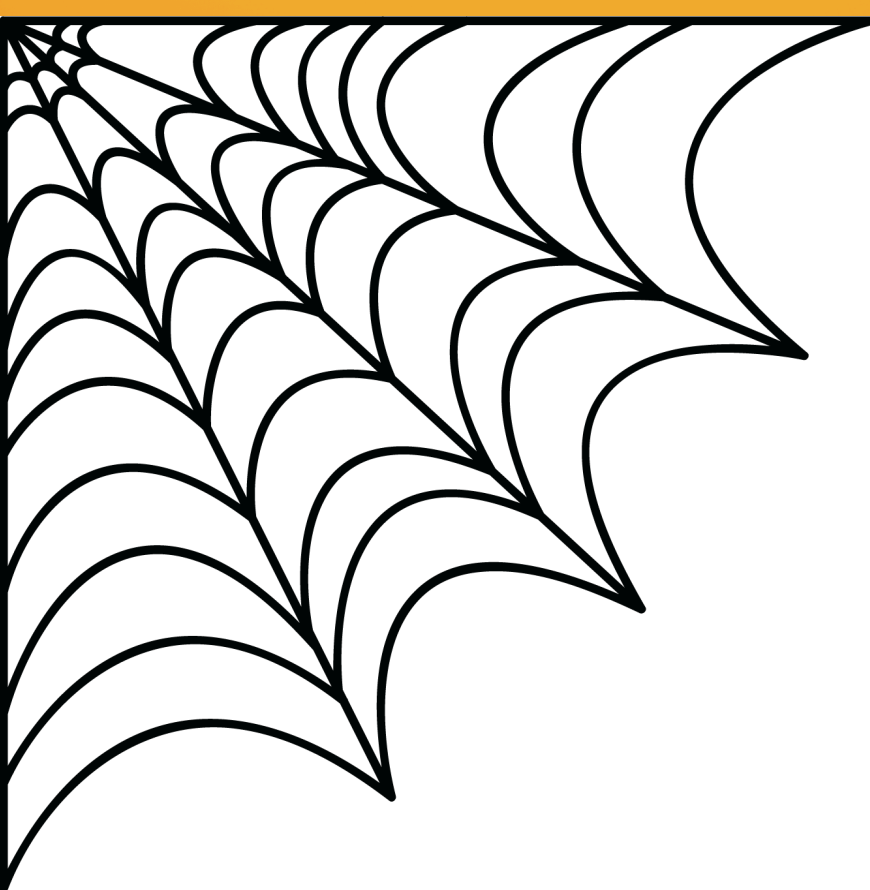
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TIOGA COMMUNITY  
HALLOWEEN PARTY PRESENTS

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**October 2025 Schedule**  
**11th, 17th, 18th, 24th, 25th, 31st**

**OPEN 8PM – \$20 ENTRY**

Not recommended for 3rd grade and under. We ask kids 6th grade and under be escorted by an adult. Thank you!