

Stanley Women Of Today News

Stanley Women of Today met Monday, July 7th at the Golden Age Club. There were eight members present, one by phone and a guest. We have a new member, Robin Pacheco. Welcome Robin.

The Year-end convention was held June 12-14 in Duluth, MN. It was the 40th anniversary of Women of Today so there were about 140 in attendance including 28 past National Presidents. There were five members from the Stanley chapter that attended. It is always good to see old friends and meet new ones. Mid-year will be held in Massachusetts in October.

Women of Today served lunch in the park on the 4th of July. We had a good turnout. Thank you to all the people that helped serve and the ones who came out and supported us. Hopefully this will become a yearly event.

There was one scholarship winner and that will be presented at a later date. Stanley Women of Today will be awarding at least one scholarship each year so hopefully many seniors will apply for this.

On Saturday, our chapter took a cruise on the Riverboat in New

Town. This was a fun and relaxing evening.

Women of Today will be giving away a backpack for a girl and a boy in August. Kids from kindergarten through 6th grade will be eligible to sign up. The winners will be drawn around August 8th. It will be displayed at BNC, so be sure to sign up for that.

July 1st was considered Founder's Day. That is the day Women of Today was chartered. We read about that at our meeting.

August 3rd is Friendship Day. That is a day set aside to have a fun time and get to know the members. Sammi, Sherry and Jasmine are planning an ice cream social for us that day.

We meet the first Monday of the month at the Golden Age Club at 6:30 p.m. Women of Today is open to men and women over the age of 18. It is a good way to become involved in the community and meet new people. For more information, you can call Lenore at 701-833-7026, or feel free to come to a meeting. The next meeting will be held on August 4 at 6:30 at the Golden Age Club.

Tioga Medical Center Awarded For Efforts To Improve Rural Stroke Care

People who live in rural communities live an average of three years fewer than urban counterparts and have a 40 percent higher likelihood of developing heart disease and face a 30 percent increased risk for stroke mortality, a gap that has grown over the past two decades.^{1 2} Tioga Medical Center is committed to changing that.

For efforts to optimize stroke care and eliminate rural health care outcome disparities, Tioga Medical Center has received the American Heart Association's Get With The Guidelines® - Stroke Rural Recognition Gold award.

The American Heart Association, the world's leading nonprofit organization focused on heart and brain health for all, recognizes the importance of health care services provided to people living in rural areas by rural hospitals that play a vital role in initiation of timely evidence-based care. For that reason, all rural hospitals participating in Get With The Guidelines - Stroke are eligible to receive award recognition based on a unique methodology focused on early acute stroke performance metrics.

"We are proud that our team at Tioga Medical Center is being recognized for the important work we do every day to improve the lives of people in our community who are affected by stroke, giving them the best possible chance of recovery and survival," said Jamie Eraas, Tioga Medical Center President and CEO. "As a hospital in a rural community, we deal with characteristics, such as extended interfacility transportation times, and limited staffing resources. We've made it a goal to make sure those hurdles do not affect the standard of care our stroke patients receive."

"Rural communities deserve high quality stroke care. I'm proud of our team for their commitment to stroke care excellence and this achievement."

The award recognizes hospitals for their efforts toward acute stroke care excellence demonstrated by composite score compliance to guideline-directed care for intravenous thrombolytic therapy, timely hospital inter-facility transfer, dysphagia screening, symptom timeline and deficit assessment documentation, emergency medical services communication, brain imaging and stroke expert consultation.

"Patients and health care professionals in rural northwest North Dakota face unique health care chal-

lenges and opportunities," said Karen E. Joynt Maddox, M.D., MPH, co-author on the American Heart Association's presidential advisory on rural health. "Tioga Medical Center has furthered this important work to improve care for all Americans, regardless of where they live."

¹ American Heart Association. American Heart Association issues call to action for addressing inequities in rural health. February 10, 2020. <https://newsroom.heart.org/news/american-heart-association-issues-call-to-action-for-addressing-inequities-in-rural-health>; American Heart Association. Public Health AmericaCorps to address health inequity in rural communities. April 6, 2022. <https://newsroom.heart.org/news/public-health-america-corps-to-address-health-inequity-in-rural-communities>.

² Harrington R. et al. Call to Action: Rural Health: A Presidential Advisory From the American Heart Association and American Stroke Association. Circulation. 2020; 141:e615-e644.

BSC Announces Spring 2025 President's Honor Roll

Bismarck State College announces the President's Honor Roll for the Spring 2025 semester.

"Being named to the President's Honor Roll reflects the dedication and drive our students bring to their education," said BSC Interim President Dan Leingang. "Their hard work today is building the skills and mindset they'll need to thrive in the workforce tomorrow, and we're proud to recognize and celebrate their success."

The following area students have maintained at least a 3.50 GPA on a 4.00 scale while enrolled in at least twelve semester hours of classes and qualify for the BSC President's Honor Roll.

Congratulations to Montanna Fettig, New Town, ND; Emir Basic*, Trent Leith and Penny Wolter, all of Stanley, ND.

*Designates a 4.00 GPA

Minot State Spring 2025 VPAA And Engagement Honor Roll

Minot State University announced that 255 students have been named to the Vice President for Academic Affairs' Honor Roll for Spring 2025, and six students earned a spot on the Engagement Honor Roll.

Students who earned a term grade point average of 3.5-3.79 while enrolled for twelve or more credits during the Spring 2025 semester were named to the VPAA list. The honor will show on the student's transcript for the semester in which it was earned.

The Engagement Honor Roll is an opportunity for Minot State University undergraduate students to receive recognition for the engagement activities they participate in while a student at MSU. This distinction is included in their transcripts. Students must complete a minimum of 50 hours, verified by supervisors, in any combination of engagement activities in order to be recognized during any given term.

Congratulations to Katelyn Schumaier, Berthold, ND; Noah Fredrickson and Lucas Parslow, Powers Lake, ND; Kerrington Lee and Joshua Moore, Stanley, ND; and Maelyn Sanders, Tioga, ND.

Landowners Association To Host Meeting In Center

The Northwest Landowners Association will host an open meeting on Friday, July 18 in Center at 6:00 p.m. at the Betty Hagel Memorial Civic Center, 312 Lincoln Ave.

All landowners are invited to attend this open meeting hosted by the NW Landowners Association. NWLA is dedicated to protecting private property rights, advocating for fair land-use policies, and keeping landowners informed about legislative and legal developments that impact them. This is an opportunity to connect with fellow landowners, stay informed, and have your voice heard.

The event will include a welcome

and introductions to learn about NWLA, their mission, and how they advocate for landowners' rights across North Dakota. Connect with fellow landowners and association leaders.

Because your voice matters, guests are invited to bring their questions and speak up about what's happening in their community, on their land, or to their way of life.

This will be an open forum and a time to ask questions relating to Rare Earth and Critical Minerals; Wind, Solar, and Coal Projects; Data Centers and Digital Mining; and Water and Rights-of-Way.

FAA Awards \$4.4 Million For Projects At ND Airports

The U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) announced an award of \$4,487,203 through the Airport Improvement Program (AIP) for projects at several airports across North Dakota. The funding includes distribution to the following:

- \$1,024,246 to the City of Williston for replacing existing snow removal equipment, including multi-tasking equipment.
- \$602,865 to the City of Minot for realigning existing Taxiway B by eight degrees to enhance safety, reconstructing existing Runway 8/26 lighting, and rehabilitating 6,348 of existing paved Runway 8/26 to maintain the structural integrity and minimize foreign object debris.
- \$285,044 to the Stanley Municipal Airport Authority for expanding the West Apron by adding 1,632 square yards to bring the airport

into conformity with current standards. This grant funds the second phase, which constructs 854 square yards.

- \$676,540 to construct new underdrains, storm drain, and lift station to mitigate ponding at Mohall Municipal Airport.
- \$300,000 to replace snow removal equipment, including carrier vehicle and attachments at Kenmare Municipal Airport.
- \$300,000 to construct snow removal and sand storage building at Watford City Municipal Airport.
- \$207,736 to res seal taxiways, taxilane, apron and runway pavement and construct a connector taxiway and hangar taxilane at Tioga Municipal Airport.

The FAA AIP provides funding to airports nationwide for planning, capital and safety enhancement projects.

NNA Pledges To Collaborate With New Postmaster General Steiner

The leadership of the National Newspaper Association sent a letter welcoming new Postmaster General David Steiner to his position.

We stressed that community newspapers are a vital resource to report local news that no other outlets cover, and to connect small businesses with customers through advertising. We then said that USPS is an essential partner for community newspaper publishers. It is the only economical delivery choice for newspapers, most of which are provided to the USPS for exceptional dispatch, and prepared and sorted for delivery by carriers with minimum added work needed. We strive

to follow USPS regulations, making our papers among the most efficient items for the USPS to deliver.

It is important for all members to know that moving forward, we hope to establish constructive dialogue with the PMG and USPS and draw attention to the mutual interests of our organizations. The USPS is a national treasure and serves every citizen and address in the country. As the USPS celebrates its 250th anniversary this year, we are proud to be among its original customers and for helping keep affordable and reliable universal service, six-days a week, a key priority for NNA.

NOTICE

The City of Berthold would like anyone who purchased a plot at Wildrose Cemetery to please contact City Hall at (701) 453-3641 or by emailing cityofberthold@srt.com. Thank you.

Routine Inspection Scheduled At Four Bears Bridge

The North Dakota Department of Transportation is scheduled to begin a routine inspection at the Four Bears Bridge in New Town July 14-22.

Inspection times will be from 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. each weekday. The bridge will be reduced to one lane at times during the inspection. There will be a 16-foot width restriction in place and the speed limit will be reduced.

The NDDOT would like to remind motorists to slow down and use caution throughout the work zone.

For more information about construction projects and road conditions throughout North Dakota, check out the ND Roads app or visit travel.dot.nd.gov.

Card of Thanks

A donation was received for the Golden Age in memory of Rudy Alvstad from Wayne and Diane Evans. Thank you for donation as it is greatly appreciated.

cGolden Age Board Members

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING-CONDITIONAL USE

Take notice that Select Water has applied for a Conditional Use Permit to pump and sell surface water from the Little Knife River Reservoir for industrial purposes.

The proposed property for pump placement is described as: SW, Section 32, Township 156, Range 91, Owner: David & Stephanie Enander.

This property is located outside of City limits but is in the City's extraterritorial zoning jurisdiction.

The public is hereby notified that the Stanley Planning & Zoning Commission will hear comments on Monday, August 11, 2025, at 5:30 p.m. at 221 S. Main Street, Stanley, North Dakota. The Stanley City Council will then hear comments on Tuesday, August 12, 2025, at 7:00 p.m. at 221 S. Main Street, Stanley, North Dakota.

All persons who would object to the conditional use permit should be present at the meetings or submit any objection in writing before the date of the meetings to Amanda Dennis, Planning & Zoning Administrator, PO Box 249 Stanley, ND 58784.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING – REZONE REQUEST

Take notice that Jerald & Dorothy Enander have made a request to the Stanley Planning & Zoning Commission to change the use of the property from Commercial District to AG- Agricultural District. The property is described as: Outlot 1 of ESE S32 T156 R91 4.01 acres

The public is hereby notified that the Stanley Planning and Zoning Commission will hear comments on the proposed zoning change on Monday, August 11, 2025, at 5:35 p.m. at 221 S. Main Street, Stanley, North Dakota. The Stanley City Council will then hear comments on Tuesday, August 11, 2025, at 7:00 p.m. at 221 S. Main Street, Stanley, North Dakota.

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Amanda Dennis, Stanley Planning & Zoning Administrator

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Friday

July 18 • 5:30 pm

Downtown Plaza

Time

Event

5:30pm

Doors Open, Food Vendors Open

6:30pm

Calcutta in the Rodeo Arena

7:00pm

Mutton Bustin in the Rodeo Arena

7:30pm

Bulls and Calf Scramble in the Rodeo Arena

9:30pm-

Live Music and Fireworks in Downtown Plaza

1:30am

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TICKETS

\$10- Kids

\$15- Adults

Plaza

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Fri., July 18, 5:30pm

Downtown Plaza

Saturday July 19 2025

PLAZA NORTH DAKOTA

Join us this Summer!

Time

Event

9:00 am

5K Fun Run/Walk (8:45am registration)

10:30am

Church in the Park

11am-2pm

Legion Meal in the Park

12:00pm

Kiddie Parade

12:00pm

Vendors Open in the Park

12:00pm

Mini Golf and Escape Room Open

12pm-6pm

Silent Auction

1pm-7pm

Kids Inflatables Open

1:00pm

Bingo in the Gazebo

1:00pm

Cornhole Tournament at Backroads (12pm registration)

1pm-4pm

Dunk Tank

2pm-4pm

NSP PTO Snack Stand Open

2:00pm

Plaza Firemen Kids Games in the Park

3:30pm

Kids Tractor Pull

6:00pm

Steak and Burger Feed in the Park

8:30pm

Softball at the Old Plaza Field

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