

Member Announcements

September 13, 2017



Please review the following information at your leisure - and you can always view our most recent "Inside Vermilion County" at <http://www.vermilionadvantage.com/vermilion-advantage-newsletter>



Vermilion Advantage News

Vermilion Advantage Member Round Table – Featuring Sponsor, Ameren Illinois Energy Efficiency Program. If you are interested in meeting other members, sharing your ideas and/or concerns, and learning more about current issues with Vermilion Advantage and Vermilion County, Please join us: **Wednesday, September 27, 2017 at Old National Bank, 2 W. Main Street (upper community room) from 11:30AM-1:00PM.** For your convenience the elevator & stairs are located at the East entrance. Assorted boxed lunches will be provided at a cost of \$5 per person. **Please send in your RSVP by Monday, September 25,** by one of the following methods: Email Rachel at rhaun@vermilionadvantage.com or call 217-442-6201. If you prefer not to have a lunch, Please let us know at the time you make your reservation. Or, if you need to cancel let us know at least 24 hours in advance. We look forward to seeing you at the luncheon!

Next member Roundtable – Thursday, October 26

Young Professionals Network Event – YPN Brats & Burgers Social at Snappers Bar & Grill, 332 E. Liberty Lane on September 28th at 6PM. You are invited to meet, network, and socialize with others in Vermilion County. **To RSVP or For more information** and to keep your calendars up to date for events being added check out our Facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/Vermilion-Advantages-Young-Professionals-Network-834731483369535/> or contact Logan Cronk at lcronk@vermilionadvantage.com or 217-442-6201.

Tour Of Industries 2017 "The Future is Made Here!" – Save the date for October 21 from 9:00AM-3:00PM.

Eight industries are opening their doors to the public for a one day, behind the scenes look. Visit our website at www.madeinvermilioncounty.com and see more about 2017 TOUR OF INDUSTRIES: THE FUTURE IS MADE HERE!

BIGG Tip: *Unlock Your True Potential* – Self-confidence is an important characteristic for achieving success. However, research shows that self-compassion, not self-confidence, is the key to unlocking your true potential for greatness. Instead of judging yourself harshly, look at your shortfalls with kindness and understanding. When you make a mistake – learn from it, forgive yourself for it, and move on. Self-compassion creates self-awareness followed by self-confidence. That leads to BIGG success! Get more tips from BIGG Success [here](#).

We can help with your Professional Recruitment and/or Short- or Long-Term Rental Needs – Vermilion Advantage can help with your professional recruitment needs by taking your new employees or employment candidates on a Community Tour. We can also help your current or new employees with rental referrals - we keep a word-of-mouth list of available for home and apartment rentals, also including some furnished short-term corporate rentals that the public may not be aware of through other channels. In addition, if you have professional rental properties come available, make sure Machelles has your property on her list! Call Machelles at 217-442-6201 or email her at mdykes@vermilionadvantage.com if you need assistance.

We Need Your Help! We Need Career Coaches for the <http://www.CNVCImpire.org> project. CNVC is a web-based career preparation and readiness platform. By integrating enhanced career development tools, social media elements and local workforce data into a seamless system, job creators, students, educators and parents can connect efficiently and effectively. Now we need your help! We would like for you to become online career coaches for the students to contact virtually. The time commitment is less than 1 hour per week if you are selected by a student. We need career professionals across all levels from entry to executives, from maintenance, clerical, accounting, management, to engineers. Make a lasting Impact! Click on the "Join Now" link at <http://www.cnvcinspire.org/employersvolunteers.html>, and it will take you directly to the registration site. Should you have any questions, contact Kim Kuchenbrod at kkuchenbrod@vermilionadvantage.com or call at 217-442-6201. Help develop Vermilion County's talent pipeline by helping local students in reaching their career potential! Participate in Career Network Vermilion County (CNVC) and help build our community's future

"All A's" - We would love to share any "Awards, Achievements, and Accolades" for your business or your employees! Attention: Vermilion Advantage Members! We would love to share any "Awards, Achievements, and Accolades" for your business or your employees! Please email your "All A's" information to Machelles Dykes at mdykes@vermilionadvantage.com, and share your good news! We look forward to sharing your good news with our members and the entire community!

Members - it's time to share your story! With publication of our Vermilion Advantage newspaper returning to monthly frequency, we want to help you share the stories of your businesses. Everyone has a story - successes, challenges, great employees, there are good stories about every one of your businesses that you can share with the community. If you are interested in telling your story, please contact us at 217-442-6201 or email contact@vermilionadvantage.com.



Education

DACC Training for Business & Industry – see news release [here](#)

University of Illinois Extension August Impact Update – see news release [here](#)

“Business After Hours” Event on September 20 – see news release [here](#)

DACC Announces “College Day” on September 21 with 60+ Reps – see news release [here](#); see participants list [here](#)

DACC Alumni Association (re)Organization Meeting on September 22 – see invitation [here](#); see news release [here](#)

U of I Extension Free, Interactive 4-Part Series “How to Keep a Healthy Brain” at Hoopston Public Library Beginning October 5 – see news release [here](#)

DACC Workplace Harassment & Discrimination Workshop on October 24 – see news release [here](#)

DACC Community Education Classes for August & September – see new release [here](#)

DACC Corporate Education Training for Fall – see news release [here](#)

DACC Higher Learning Center in Hoopston’s Fall Classes – see news release [here](#)

DACC Small Business Development Center Fall Programs – see news release [here](#)

U of I Extension Announces Free Wellness Programs on Aging, Finances, Gardening & Nutrition Throughout 2017 – see news release [here](#)



Health

Faith In Action Lunch & Learn on Cancer Screenings on September 27 – see flyer [here](#)

Participate Now for the Presence “It’s All in the Jeans” Day on October 6 - see news release [here](#)

Presence’s Faith In Action Garden Share for Seniors in 2 Locations Every Wednesday from July - September – see Danville news release [here](#); see Georgetown news release [here](#)



Jobs

Youth Job Board Offers Opportunities to Students Seeking Non-Compensated Community Service Hours – The

Youth Job board on www.vermilionadvantage.com offers paid & unpaid job opportunities for young people 16-24 years of age. Also on this page is the Community Service & Volunteer Opportunities list. Students are seeking opportunity locations to perform non-compensated community service hours as a part of some high school graduation requirements and others for national honor society requirements. If you have such opportunities, if you could please let us know, we will also forward a compilation of these opportunities to our local high schools. Call us at 217-442-6201 or email Vicki Haugen at vhaugen@vermilionadvantage.com.

Vermilion Advantage Job Board - For current, local job opportunities posted directly by employers, please see the Vermilion County Jobs Board at www.vermilionadvantage.com/job-board (formerly 442jobs.com) – Vermilion Advantage is Vermilion County, Illinois' electronic resource for career and occupational opportunities, employer profiles, career information, K-16 education programs and partnerships in our area. Learn more about local training through Danville Area Community College and other local training resources. It's all here. Explore our site and see how Vermilion County is Getting Technical...with Endless Possibilities! If you are a user of the former 442jobs.com site, and have not yet been set up as a user on our new Vermilion County Jobs Board page to post job openings, please contact Mabelle Dykes at mdykes@vermilionadvantage.com



Events/Community

Presence USMC Announces “All In The Jeans Day – October 6” Participation Information – see news release [here](#)

Boy Scouts & Cub Scouts Information – see Cub Scouts [here](#); see Boy Scouts [here](#)

North Ridge Show Choirs Fundraiser “A Night at the Opry” Dinner Theatre at the Beef House on September 16 – see news release [here](#)

“Business After Hours” Event on September 20 – see news release [here](#)

Village of Potomac Artesian Fall Festival September 21 – 24 – see schedule, vendor form & parade form [here](#)

Midwest America Federal Credit Union Loan Specials with Application Date by September 22 – see news release [here](#)

Vermilion County Conservation District Revolutionary War Reenactment & Pioneer Craft Day on September 23 & 24 – see news release [here](#)

ECICAA Energy Assistance Program will begin October 2 – see flyer [here](#)

Hooves for Hope Rodeo Round Up Fundraiser on October 7 – see news release [here](#)

Immanuel Lutheran Church Community Steak Fry on October 7 – see flyer [here](#)

Humane Society “Woofstock 2017” at the Gao Grotto on October 7 – see news release [here](#)

Sugar Shack Antiques will be open October 7 & 8 – (located at 9912 E. 1980 North Rd., Oakwood/take I-74 to Oakwood exit 206 then proceed North 1½ miles) Sugar Shack Antiques is open the first Saturday & Sunday of every month from 9AM to 5PM. Sugar Shack Antiques offers one-of-a-kind antiques, old hunting, fishing, and

western items, even antlers, hides, and horns. You can purchase farm raised quality packaged meats from our very own KD Ranch-bison, elk, and Texas Longhorn beef. Selections are seasonal but include: Steaks, roasts, burger, brats, summer sausage, and even jerky. A perfect weekend for customers to buy meats for their cookouts and events and a fun destination to look for antiques. Please call 217-260-9713 for more info.

Tickets are Now on Sale for the Melissa Beckwith Lamon's Afternoon Tea Presented by the Old Town Preservation Association on October 15 – see news release [here](#)

Praise Fest & Dessert Auction at DACC on October 19 – see news release [here](#)

Danville Elks Lodge Upcoming Events: [Sept. 30](#): Barstool Golf with Cost \$80 per team of 4 with First place \$200, Second place \$120 & third place \$80. There will be 9 unique holes located at the Elks, American Legion, Knights of Columbus, VFW, Gao Grotto, Danville Boat Club & Turtle Run. The 50/50 tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5. The Drawing will be Oct. 1 at Turtle Run at 2PM.

Danville Knights of Columbus Upcoming Events – [Sept 17](#): All You Can Eat Breakfast from 7:30-11:00AM featuring Scrambled eggs, French toast, Pancakes, Waffles, Potatoes, Sausage gravy, Biscuits, Bacon, Sausage, Orange juice, Coffee & Milk. Adults \$7.50 & Children (12 & under) \$3.50. [Sept. 22](#): Hannah Musgrove Fundraiser featuring Swiss Steak Dinner & play "TV Brides"; see flyer [here](#). [Sept. 23](#): Karaoke in the Columbus Club Lounge from 7-11PM. [Sept. 30](#): F.A.V.O.R. & Friends Bar Stool Golf – see flyer [here](#). [Weekly Taco's](#) - Every Wednesday from 5-7PM. Tacos are \$2 & salads \$3.50. Every 3rd Wednesday of the month featuring Fish Tacos. See www.kofcdanville.com for more info. Everyone is welcome to these events.

Danville Public Library Upcoming Events - [Sept. 13](#): Learn about Basic Computer Security from 3:00-4:30PM. The class is free, but seating is limited. [Sept. 14](#): Tween Gaming for ages 8-11 from 6-7PM. [Sept. 14](#): Page Turners Book Club will discuss *The Martian* by Andy Weir at 3PM. [Sept. 15](#): Adults, 60 & older, Coffee Time from 9:30-10:30AM. [Sept. 16](#): Legos™ Builders' Club for ages 5-11 at 10:30AM. [Sept. 18](#): Learn the Basics of Microsoft Word class from 10:00-11:30AM. The class is free, but seating is limited. [Sept. 18](#): Monday Matinee film loosely based on the inspiring true story of Coach Jim White & a cross country team. Refreshments begin at 1:30PM; Movie at 2PM. [Sept. 18](#): TeenFlix movie for ages 12-18 at 5PM, tells the story of a group of intergalactic misfit criminals who work together to stop a fanatical warrior from taking control of the universe. [Sept. 19](#): Wee Wiggles for ages birth to 24 months at 10:00-10:30AM. [Sept. 19](#): Kids' Snack Club for ages 5-18 at 3:30PM. [Sept. 20](#): Preschool Pals Playgroup for ages 2-6 at 10AM. [Sept. 20](#): Learn Basic Computer Skills from 10:00-1:30AM. The class is free, but seating is limited. [Sept. 21](#): Tween 3D Printer Class for ages 8-11 at 4:30PM. Registration is required. [Sept. 21](#): Tween Gaming for ages 8-11 from 6-7PM. [Sept. 22](#): Adults, 60 & Older, Coffee Time from 9:30-10:30AM. [Sept. 23](#): Basic Computer Security Class from 10:00-11:30AM. The class is free, but seating is limited. [Sept. 23](#): Volunteer Appreciation Concert at 1PM at the library's Hegeler Stage. * Children under 8 must attend with a caregiver on all events. Also, ongoing weekly programs may be found on the Library's website at www.danvillepubliclibrary.org

Oakwood Public Library Upcoming Events – Ongoing weekly programs can be found on the Library's website at www.oakwood.lib.il.us

Sleepy Creek Vineyards Upcoming Events – [Purple Finger Club](#) Final Harvest Weekend September 16 & 17 – see news release [here](#). [Sept. 15](#): Free Music Friday with Erisa Rei from 7-9PM. [Sept. 22](#): Free Music Friday with Vinny Santanelli from 7-9PM. [Sept. 23 & 24](#): The Salt Fork River Art & Music Festival – see news release [here](#). [Sept. 27](#): Whimsy by Design Paint Night from 6:30-9:00PM. Reserve your spot to make a SPOOKtacular door hanger. Cost is \$45 which includes painting session & all supplies. [Sept. 29](#): Free music Friday with Dustin Danger from 7-9PM. [Oct. 6](#): Free Music Friday with Ashley Riley from 7-9PM. [Every Friday](#): Enjoy Wieners & Wine from 5-8PM. Wieners & Wine begins & will be every Friday from April until October. We provide the hot dogs, all the

fixings & the campfire. You buy a drink, bring your own lawn chairs & any additional food if you like. We have the alcohol (beer & wine) & a variety of soft drinks, as well as cheese, crackers & other snacks. Every Sunday: Enjoy our full Winey Mary bar Noon-6PM. Winey Mary is our tomato-jalapeno wine. By itself, it's like a Dirty Martini, or enjoy it mixed as a winey Bloody Mary. New Extended Hours Friday: 10AM-10PM to October 27. Summer/Fall Hours: We will be open Sunday through Thursday from Noon-6PM, then Friday 10AM-10PM and Saturday from 10AM-8PM. For more info, see www.sleepycreekvineyards.com.

Westville American Legion Upcoming Events – Tacos every Thursday from 5:30-7:30PM

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