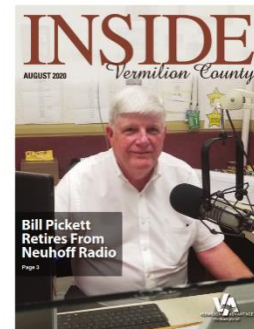


# Vermilion Advantage Member Announcements

August 26, 2020



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

**Member Round Table** - Due to changing COVID numbers our Round Table will be held virtually for the indefinite future. We have enjoyed hearing from you all & sharing your information! Plan to join us on **Thursday, August 27 from 11:30AM to 1:00PM**. **Sharon Conlee of Ameren** will be sharing information on programs & offers available & taking your questions. We will also hear from **Andy Price, Aqua Illinois & Chris Warwick, AT & T** on their COVID Relief Programs. Please **RSVP to Rachel at [rhaun@vermilionadvantage.com](mailto:rhaun@vermilionadvantage.com)** & we will forward to you the meeting registration link. We hope to see you there!

**Office Hours:** New building hours for the public will be 1:00-4:30PM. Vermilion Advantage staff will continue to be in the office during our regular hours Monday-Friday 8:00AM-4:30PM.

**BIGG Tip - How to Be More Decisive** - Develop the habit of making decisions by starting with insignificant decisions. For example - let's say you and some friends or family members order carry-out. When you pick up the menu, give yourself a time limit to decide what to order. Then order it and be happy with what you get! Make a decision and stick with it. It leads to BIGG success! Get more tips from BIGG Success [here](#).

**APPI Energy - Data-Driven Procurement and Consulting** - For 23 years, APPI Energy has remained a trusted name as the preferred provider of energy consulting services for 158 trade associations and chambers of commerce including Vermilion Advantage. We provide our clients with recommendations designed to save time, reduce expenses, and create budget certainty during the energy procurement process. Find out more at [www.appienergy.com](http://www.appienergy.com).

**We can help with your Professional Recruitment and/or Short- or Long-Term Rental Needs** - Vermilion Advantage can help with your professional recruitment needs, even though we have temporarily discontinued tours due to COVID-19. In place of personal tours, we do have information about the area that can be emailed to those coming interested in learning more about our community, and/or would be happy to talk at length by telephone. We can also help your current or new employees with rental referrals - we keep a word-of-mouth list of available 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](mailto:mdykes@vermilionadvantage.com) if you need assistance.

## All A's/Awards/Achievements

***Liberty Village Announces Mackenzie Jameson-Smart as Star of the Month*** - see news release [here](#)

***Old National Bank Donates to Local Organizations*** - see news release [here](#)

***Your Stories & "All A's"*** - The Inside Vermilion County magazine is here to help you share the stories of your businesses & your "Awards, Achievements, and Accolades" for your business or your employees. 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. Please tell us your story by email to: Machelles Dykes at [mdykes@vermilionadvantage.com](mailto:mdykes@vermilionadvantage.com), contact us at 217-442-6201, or email [contact@vermilionadvantage.com](mailto:contact@vermilionadvantage.com).

## Education

***GED Test at 1/3 of the Cost!*** - see news release [here](#)

***DACC Pharmacy Tech Class Begins August 27*** - see news release [here](#)

***DACC Lean Six Sigma Green Belt Training Beginning September 28*** - see news release [here](#)

***DACC "Customer Service" Class on October 7*** - see news release [here](#)

***U of I Extension Upcoming Webinars*** - see news release [here](#)

***DACC Corporate Education Upcoming Classes*** - see news release [here](#)

***DACC Community Education Fall Classes Available*** - see news release [here](#)

## Health Announcements

***Liberty Village Announces Mackenzie Jameson-Smart as Star of the Month*** - see news release [here](#)

***Two Roads Wellness Clinic Now Offering Primary Care*** - see news release [here](#)

***Mental Health First Aid Training for Adults on August 27*** - see news release [here](#)

***Community Blood Drive on September 8-12*** - see news release [here](#)

***Rosecrance News Update*** - see news release [here](#)

***Veteran's Administration Offers Free Suicide Prevent Training*** - see news release [here](#)

***Rosecrance is now offering a variety of virtual substance abuse and mental health services*** - see virtual services [here](#); see virtual support page [here](#)

**Illume Counseling & Wellness Center Offers Telehealth Counseling Sessions** - see news release [here](#)

**OSF Announces Pandemic Health Care Workers Available** - see news release [here](#); see enrollment information [here](#)

**Bowman Estates Accepting Move Ins** - see news release [here](#)

## Jobs

**Drive Thru Job Fair at AutoZone on September 2** – Held from 10:00AM-7:30PM, Rain or Shine for Part Time & Full Time Employment.

**Illinois Work Net “Virtual Job Fair” Opportunity for Businesses** – see news release [here](#)

**Goodwill Launches Virtual Career Centers** – see news release [here](#)

**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](http://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 Machel Dykes at [mdykes@vermilionadvantage.com](mailto:mdykes@vermilionadvantage.com).

## COVID Announcements

**Aqua Illinois Announces “Aqua Aid”** - see information [here](#); see application [here](#)

**AT & T COVID Access Program** - see news release [here](#)

**Ameren Announces Residential Customers Payment Assistance Programs** - see news release [here](#)

**Lowes Partners with Local Initiatives Support Corporation to Offer COVID Small Business Recovery Grants** - see news release [here](#)

**Danville Paper Supply, Inc.** - see product ordering information [here](#). In addition, please see this [product and educational information](#) supplied by EnvirOx in partnership with DP Supply regarding their cleaning products.

**Grant & Brainerd Chemical Now Offers Gel Hand Sanitizer** - see ordering information [here](#)

**Face Masks Available for Purchase** - see information [here](#)

**United Way Shares COVID-19 Relief Fund** - see news release [here](#)

**Vermilion County Health Department Shares “Must Wear Mask” Sign for Businesses** - see printable sign [here](#)

**Servpro Shares Coronavirus Cleaning Information** - see news release [here](#)

**Newton's Healthy Places Program Announces No Payment for 30 Days to Disinfect & Protect** - see news release [here](#)

**Newton's Cleaning & Restoration Announces "Healthy Places Program"** - see informational letter [here](#); see news release [here](#)

## Announcements/Events/Community

**Danville Sunrise Rotary Announces "Basketball Development Camps" at the YMCA with Registration Deadline of September 18** - see information & registration form [here](#)

**Fischer Theatre Update** - see news release [here](#)

**Event Keep Vermilion County Beautiful Announces Pool & Golf Passes Available for Purchase** - see news release [here](#)

**Community Blood Drive on September 8-12** - see news release [here](#)

**Vermilion County War Museum Announces 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Sparky Songer Memorial Ride on September 12** - see news release [here](#)

**Eastern Illinois Foodbank Announces "Stay at Home-Coming" Fundraiser Opportunities For Spirt Week September 21-25** - see news release [here](#); see flyer [here](#)

**Ameren Illinois Business Symposium Virtual Event October 21 & 22** - see news release [here](#); see event flyer [here](#)

**Small Business Development Center Announces Updated Programs & Services** - see news release [here](#)

**Big Brothers Big Sisters "Give \$10 Today to Crush \$400K" Fundraiser & Mentor Challenge** - see news release [here](#)

**CDS Office Technologies Offers Thermal Technology** - see news release [here](#)

**Franklin Blooms & Heirlooms Offers Grocery Shopping Program** - see information [here](#)

**Pro Wash offers House Washing Pricing** - see pricing [here](#)

**Greater Illiana Sports Hall of Fame Announced** - see news release [here](#)

**Danville Farmer's Market**- see Facebook page [here](#); **Aug 29:** With COVID guidelines. Please wear masks and maintain social distancing rules. We ask that only vendors touch products until they are purchased. We look forward to seeing you there!

**Danville American Legion Upcoming Events:** Open Monday-Saturday 4PM-Close with carry-out, outdoor seating and bar available. **Mondays:** Bingo at 6:30PM. **Tuesdays:** Live Music & the Big Jackpot Raffle with Bands from 6-8PM and Jackpot Drawing at 8PM. **Aug. 26:** Fried Chicken meal from 5:00-7:00PM. **Aug. 27:** Burgers on the Grill from 5:00-7:00PM. **Aug.28:** Fish Fry & Burgers from 5:00-7:30PM. **Aug 29:** Burgers, Brats & Blues event - see news release [here](#). **Sept. 12:** 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Sparky Songer Memorial Ride - see news release [here](#).

**Danville Downtown Event Center Upcoming Events:** Lunch provided Monday & Tuesday from 11AM-2PM. See Menu [here](#) & Check our website or Facebook page for daily specials at [www.danvilleeventcenter.com](http://www.danvilleeventcenter.com) or on Facebook. We provide outside seating, inside seating, and carry out available. Call ahead to order at 217-474-8174. Available for 2020 bookings by telephone at 217-474-8174. **Downtown Loft Rental** - see brochure [here](#)

**Danville Public Library Upcoming Events:** **Sept. 1:** Wee Wiggles story times from 10:00-10:30AM for ages birth-5 years with a caregiver. Face masks are required for all patrons over 2 years old. Class size is limited &

Registration is required by calling 217-477-5225 or visit [tinyurl.com/DPL-WeeWigglers](http://tinyurl.com/DPL-WeeWigglers). Sept. 3: Make-It-Yourself projects for Teens. This week is Coffee Koozies from 2:00-3:30PM. Face Masks are required & class size is limited. Registration is required at 217-477-5226 or visit [tinyurl.com/DPL-TeenMakers](http://tinyurl.com/DPL-TeenMakers). Sept. 4: Mindful Mornings hour of meditation for adults, ages 18 & over at 10:00AM. Face Masks are required & class size is limited. Registration is required at 217-477-5226 or visit [tinyurl.com/DPL-Meditate](http://tinyurl.com/DPL-Meditate). Sept. 4: Free Pilates at 4:00PM. We will be using a variety of instructional videos. Yoga/Pilates mat & face masks are required. For adults, ages 18 & over. Class size is limited & Registration is required at 217-477-5223 Ext. 121 or visit [tinyurl.com/DPL-Pilates](http://tinyurl.com/DPL-Pilates).

**Fischer Theatre Upcoming Events:** Phase 4 Private Parties Available - see news release [here](#). Yoga & Wine Down on Wednesdays - see news release [here](#).

**Gao Grotto Upcoming Events:** Aug. 28: Menu of 8 oz. Cheeseburgers/Hamburgers, Chicken Strips or Grilled Chicken Sandwich with 2 side choices from 5:30-7:30PM. Cost is \$8. Appetizers are also available for purchase. Live Music with the Dixie Flyers Band from 7:00-9:00PM. Aug. 30: Live Music with Hoosier Daddy from 4:00-7:00PM. Food will be available for purchase.

**Sleepy Creek Vineyards Upcoming Events:** Tuesdays: Yoga & Wine, Doors open at 6:00PM Class begins at 6:30PM, Cost is \$10. Fridays: Wieners & Wine/Live Music (weather permitting). You buy the drinks, we provide the hot dogs, fixings & fire to roast it over. Every Friday through October from 5-8PM; Aug. 28: Live Music with the Adam Maletich from 6:30-8:30PM. Aug. 30: Sunday Sounds with All-Nighter from 3:00-5:00PM. Sept. 6: Sunday Funday with the Stuart Smith Band from 3-5PM. Purple Fingers Club Dates for 2020- see news release [here](#). Our Hours are Saturday to Thursday, noon to 6 pm and Friday, noon to 9 pm. Please visit our Facebook page at Sleepy Creek Vineyards or online at [www.sleepycreekvineyards.com](http://www.sleepycreekvineyards.com) for updates.

**Turtle Run Upcoming Events:** See Full Menu [here](#). Aug. 24: Grilled Pork Loin with Mushroom Sauce, Roasted & Herbed Potatoes & Sautéed Garden Vegetables from 5:00-8:00PM. Cost is \$6 a plate. Aug. 28: Herb Roasted Chicken, Garlic Mashed Potatoes & Gravy & Grilled Summer Vegetables from 5:00-9:00PM. Cost is \$12 per plate. Aug. 29: Grilled Black Angus Ribeye, Au-Gratin Potatoes, Fresh Garden Beans, Garden Salad, Corn Bread from 5:00-9:00PM. Cost is \$15 a plate. Please visit our Facebook page at Turtle Run Golf & Banquet Center or online at [www.turtlerungolfclub.com](http://www.turtlerungolfclub.com).

Please send your Member Announcements to  
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