

# Member Announcements

*December 5, 2018*



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** - Plan to join us for a great opportunity to meet other members, share your ideas/concerns, and learn more about current events with Vermilion Advantage and Vermilion County on **Thursday, December 13 at 11:30AM-1:00PM at Vermilion Advantage, 15 N. Walnut**. We are looking forward to this month's sponsor, **Matt Davidson of Farnsworth Group**. A \$5 box lunch will be provided (if you would like to attend and would not like a lunch please let us know when you RSVP). RSVP's are requested by Monday, December 10 by emailing Rachel at [rhaun@vermilionadvantage.com](mailto:rhaun@vermilionadvantage.com) or call our office at 442-6201.

**BIGG Tip: How Can You Prevent Misunderstandings?** - Confirm understanding. After you speak, say something like: "I want to make sure I was clear. Would you please tell me, in your own words, what you just heard?" If they didn't get it, restate your message. If you're the listener, rephrase what they said and ask if you got it right. Communicate clearly by confirming your counterpart concurs. It leads to BIGG success! Get more tips from BIGG Success [here](#).

**Applications are Extended to December 7<sup>th</sup> for the Leadership Tomorrow Class 31**, starting in January 2019 - The purpose of Leadership Tomorrow is to provide Vermilion County with a continuing resource of men and women - equipped with community knowledge and leadership skills, challenged to get involved - shaping the future and direction of our community's potential. This is done with 9 sessions, generally every

other Friday, starting with a one-and-a-half day Retreat (locally, not overnight) starting in January 2019 and ending with Graduation Day in May 2019. Education, experience and community service are emphasized (see more information at application link below). This is a County-wide program and some scholarships are available. Please find tentative dates, more information, and the application <http://www.vermilionadvantage.com/leadership-tomorrow>, or contact Logan Cronk, Leadership Tomorrow Coordinator, at Vermilion Advantage at 217-442-6201 or [lcronk@vermilionadvantage.com](mailto:lcronk@vermilionadvantage.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 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 Mabelle has your property on her list! Call Mabelle at 217-442-6201 or email her at [mdykes@vermilionadvantage.com](mailto:mdykes@vermilionadvantage.com) if you need assistance.

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## Awards/ Achievements

**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: Mabelle Dykes at [mdykes@vermilionadvantage.com](mailto:mdykes@vermilionadvantage.com), contact us at 217-442-6201, or email [contact@vermilionadvantage.com](mailto:contact@vermilionadvantage.com).

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## Education

**Iroquois Federal Foundation Donation Supports DACC's Medical Imaging Program** - see news release [here](#)

**DACC Request for Public Comment** - see news release [here](#)

**DACC Leadership Boot Camp with Registrations Needed by February 1** - see news release [here](#)

**DACC Higher Learning Center - Youth Mental Health First Aid Courses on December 11 & 18** - see news release [here](#)

**DACC Higher Learning Center - Adult Mental Health First Aid Course on December 18** - see news release [here](#)

**DACC IMIN Event on December 18** - see news release [here](#)

**U of I Extension November 2018 Impact Report** - see news release [here](#)

**Master Gardeners 2019 Training Classes Beginning January 2019** - see news release [here](#)

**DACC Corporate Training Announces Upcoming Training for Business & Industry** - see news release [here](#)

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## Health Announcements

**Health Alliance December Newsletter** - see news release [here](#)

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## Jobs

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

– The Youth Job board on [www.vermilionadvantage.com](http://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](mailto: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](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 Machelley Dykes at [mdykes@vermilionadvantage.com](mailto:mdykes@vermilionadvantage.com).

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## Announcements/Events/Community

**DACC Seeking Donations of Dictionaries** - see news release [here](#)

**DHS 44<sup>th</sup> Annual Madrigal Performance on December 4-6** - see news release [here](#)

**Doc Ashton "Christmas Big Band Extravaganza" on December 23** - see news release [here](#)

**Meet World Series Champion Dexter Fowler at Bricks and Ivy Sports on January 12, 2019** - see news release [here](#)

**Danville Public School Foundation's 365 Club Breakfast on January 17, 2019** - see news release [here](#)

**Culver's Upcoming Event:** [Dec. 5](#): Schlarman Night - a portion of sales will be donated to Schlarman Academy between 5-8PM. [Dec. 12](#): Oakwood Jr. High School Cheerleading Night - a portion of sales will be donated to the OJHS Cheerleaders from 5-8PM.

**Danville American Legion Upcoming Events:** [Dec. 5:](#) Grilled Meatloaf dinner & homemade pies from 5-7PM. [Dec. 6:](#) Ham and cheese or Italian Beef & Sides from 5-7PM. [Dec. 7:](#) Fish, chicken, burgers, tenderloin & sides from 5:00-7:30PM.

**Danville Boat Club Upcoming Events: Every Thursday:** Lunches open to the public from 11AM-2PM - see news release [here](#)

**Danville Public Library Upcoming Events:** [Dec. 5:](#) Preschool Pals Playgroup for ages 2-6 at 10AM. [Dec. 5:](#) Teens, Sweet Escape for ages 12-18 at 5PM. [Dec. 6:](#) Tween Gaming for ages 8-11 at 6PM. [Dec. 7:](#) Adults, 60 and older, Coffee Time at 9:30AM. [Dec. 10:](#) Genealogy Club Meeting at 1:30PM. [Dec. 11:](#) Wee Wiggles story time for ages birth-24 months at 10AM. [Dec. 11:](#) Kids' Snack Club for ages 5-18 at 3:30PM. [Dec. 12:](#) Preschool Pals Playgroup for ages 2-6 at 10AM. [Dec. 12:](#) Girls Who Code Clubs for tween & teen girls ages 12-18 at 4PM. [Dec. 13:](#) The Wonder Garden Club for ages 5-11 at 5PM. [Dec. 13:](#) Tween Gaming for ages 8-11 at 6PM. [Dec. 14:](#) Adults, 60 & older, Coffee Time at 9:30AM. [Dec. 15:](#) Legos™ Builder's Club for ages 5-11 at 10:30AM. [Dec. 15:](#) Families are welcome to join Santa Clause for stories, magic, hot chocolate & cookies at 2PM. For ages 5-11. [Dec. 15:](#) Pages to Pictures book & movie club invites participants to read the book, watch the movie at the library & then discuss both afterwards. Featuring this month *Skipping Christmas* by John Grisham. The movie begins at 1PM. Also, ongoing weekly programs may be found on the Library's website at [www.danvillepubliclibrary.org](http://www.danvillepubliclibrary.org).

**Days Hotel Bar & Grill Upcoming Events:** [Daily:](#) Senior Lunch Special \$5.00. [Thursdays:](#) Ladies Special from 7-11PM with \$4 drinks & Tacos 3 for \$5. [Saturdays:](#) Karaoke from 7-11PM.

**Danville Village Mall Upcoming Events:** [Santa Hours:](#) Tues-Fri 3-7PM, Sat. 11AM-7PM & Sun. 11AM-5PM. [Dec. 8:](#) Meet & Greet & Sing-A-Long with Elsa & Anna at 3PM.

**Gao Grotto Upcoming Events:** [Dec. 7:](#) From 5:30-7:30PM - Your choice of an All You Can Eat Fried Shrimp \$13 or All You Can Eat Chicken Strips \$10 with sides of Baked Potato and Salad. [Dec. 7:](#) From 7-9PM - Live music in the Reception Hall featuring "The Mike Ellis Band". [Dec. 8:](#) Dinner & Christmas Play - Dinner with menu of Swiss steak, mashed potatoes, green beans and dinner roll. Play is *Doc's Holiday*. Tickets can be purchased at Gao Grotto at \$20 per person, \$35 per couple & \$10 show only. Doors open at 3PM, Dinner at 6PM and play starts at 7:30PM. All are welcome to our public events!

**Knights of Columbus Upcoming Events:** [Dec. 8:](#) Spaghetti and Meat Sauce Dinner - Mascari Style from 5:30-7:00PM. Cost is \$6. [Dec. 8:](#) Live music with the Dixie Flyer Band from 7-10PM. Cover charge is \$5 at the door. [Dec. 15:](#) Live music with the TBT Band from 7-10PM. Cover charge is \$5 at the door. [Dec. 16:](#) All You Can Eat Breakfast with menu of scrambled eggs, French toast, pancakes, waffles, potatoes, sausage gravy, biscuits, bacon, sausage, orange juice, coffee and milk. Cost is \$8 Adults and \$4 Children (12 & under). [Mondays:](#) Queen of Hearts Raffle at 7PM. Tickets \$5. There will no drawing Christmas Eve or new Year's Eve. [Wednesdays:](#) Tacos are \$2 and salads are \$3.50. Carry outs are available for an additional 50¢. There will be no Tacos on Nov. 21 or Dec. 26. See [www.kofcdanville.com](http://www.kofcdanville.com) for more info. Everyone is welcome to these events.

**Senior Source Consulting Upcoming Events:** Downtown Danville & Vermilion Street Events - see news release [here](#). [Dec. 7:](#) Night of Lights Parade beginning at 6:30PM. [Dec. 11:](#) Eileen Dunavan from the Danville Art League will teach a class on pencil and marker drawing from 6:30-8:30PM. [Dec. 13:](#) Euchre Night from 6:30-9:00PM with limited space, please register. [Dec. 18:](#) Holiday Party and Carol Sing Along from 6:30-8:30PM. Light refreshments will be served. Please register for this event. [Jan. 8:](#) Game Night - Family Feud game from 6:30-8:30PM. Please register for this event. To Register for events or for more information call 217-274-7239 or on Facebook at Senior Source Danville - Live Life Connected.

**Sleep Inn & Suites: Too much family, not enough space?** Sleep Inn and Suites has room for your Holiday guests! We are a top-rated hotel in Danville and would be happy to accommodate your friends and family visiting during the upcoming holiday season. We have a special rate for them too! Stop in for a tour or give us a call at 217-442-6600. We'll take excellent care of you and your guests. (The Holiday discount is good through December 30).

**Sleepy Creek Vineyards Upcoming Events:** [Dec. 7](#): Free Music Friday with Stuart Smith's Revelators from 6:30-8:30PM. [Dec. 8](#): Vino and Vibes Free Music with Emily Hope from 3-5PM. [Dec. 8](#): Wreath Making Workshop - Learn basic wreath building and design techniques using locally sourced supplies from 6:30-8:30PM. Each participant will take home their own wreath. Tickets are \$50 each and available at [www.delightflowerfarm.com](http://www.delightflowerfarm.com). [Dec. 14](#): Free Music Friday with Whiskey BirdDog from 6:30-8:30PM. [Dec. 14 & 15](#): Drama, Dessert, and Wine - The Darkhorse Theatre Company proudly present "Little Women" by Louis May Alcott. Doors open, Cocktails, and Dessert at 6PM at the New Event Center "The Dragonfly"; Drama at 7PM. Tickets are \$25 per person which includes Drama and Dessert (does not include Drinks). Tickets are available at [www.eventbrite.com](http://www.eventbrite.com) or call SC at 217-733-0330. [Dec. 16](#): Free Music Sunday with Stuart Smith from 2-4PM. [Fall/Early Winter Hours](#): Open Sun-Wed Noon-6PM; Thurs. 2-8PM; Fri. Noon-9PM; Sat. 10AM-6PM. For more info, see [www.sleepycreekvineyards.com](http://www.sleepycreekvineyards.com).

**Turtle Run Golf and Banquet Center Upcoming Events:** For more information, see [www.turtlerungolfclub.com](http://www.turtlerungolfclub.com).

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