

Vermilion Advantage Member Announcements

February 12, 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

Round Table - Plan to join us on **Thursday, February 27 from 11:30AM-1:00PM** and share what is going on with your business and your events. We will also share with you what we are doing here at Vermilion Advantage. We will enjoy a **\$10 box lunch** from Charlottes (If you don't care for lunch please let us know when you RSVP & you will not be charged). We will meet at **Rodman's Business Center, 3821 N. Vermilion, Danville**. Please **RSVP to Rachel by Monday, February 24** at rhaun@vermilionadvantage.com. (If you need to cancel your RSVP, please give us 24 hours notice & you will not be charged).

BIGG Tip - From Stutterer to Star Voice Actor. As a child, he stuttered so badly he refused to speak. Then he wrote a poem for a class project. It was so good, his teacher thought he plagiarized it. She made him recite it from memory to the class. He did it! That day, James Earl Jones came out of his shell. He turned his biggest weakness into his greatest strength! *That's 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.

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.

All A's/Awards/Achievements

Culver's Partnered with Schlarman Academy to make a Difference - see news release [here](#)

Education

DACC Problem Solving & Root Cause Workshops on February 12 & February 26 - see news release [here](#)

Registrations Open for DACC “Contemporary Antisemitism” Program on February 17 - see news release [here](#)

U of I Extension Presents “Keys to Embracing Aging” Sessions Beginning February 20 - see news release [here](#)

DACC Workplace Reasonable Suspicion Workshop on February 24 - see news release [here](#)

DACC Foundation Announces Scholarship Applications Open Until March 9 - see news release [here](#)

DACC Announces Worldwide Youth in Science & Engineering Competition Winners - see news release [here](#)

Small Business Development Center February Newsletter - see newsletter [here](#)

DACC Black History Month Events - see news release [here](#)

Danville Public School Foundation February Newsletter - see newsletter [here](#)

Watchfire Offers Scholarship for Video Scoreboard Creativity - see news release [here](#)

DACC Film Festival for African American History Month - see news release [here](#)

DACC Deadlines to Apply for the Summer-Fall 2020 Health Care Programs - see news release [here](#)

Health Announcements

OSF Health Workplace Event on March 12 - see 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 yhaugen@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 Machelley Dykes at mdykes@vermilionadvantage.com.

Announcements/Events/Community

Danville Public Library Hosting a “Human Library” in February and Volunteers are Welcome - see news release [here](#)

Culver’s Partners with Community Blood Services for “Give a Pint, Get a Pint” on February 15 - see news release [here](#)

Immanuel Lutheran Church “A Taste of Deutschland” German Dinner on February 15 - see news release [here](#)

Culver’s Partners with Red Mask Players on February 18 - see news release [here](#)

Danville Winter Farmer’s Market on March 7 - see Facebook page [here](#); The Danville Farmers Market has a WINTER MARKET the FIRST SATURDAY of each month through May at First Presbyterian Church, 100 N. Franklin from 10-2. Dates are Mar 7, Apr 4, May 2.

Vendor Space Available at the 2020 AMBUCS Home & Living Expo to be held March 7 & 8 - see news release [here](#)

Vermilion County Conservation Foundation 5th Annual Sportsman’s Banquet on March 14 - see news release [here](#)

U of I Extension Vermilion County Master Gardeners Garden Day on March 14 - see news release [here](#); see flyer [here](#)

Laura Lee Fellowship House Announces a Shoe Drive From February - March 20 - see news release [here](#)

Big Brothers Big Sisters “Bowl For Kids” Sake Decades Party is taking Registrations now for April 3 & 4 Event - see news release [here](#)

Volunteer Opportunities Available for Money Smart Week - April 4-11 - see news release [here](#)

La Salette Academy Basketball Schedule with Head Coach John Spezia - see news release [here](#)

Watchfire Offers Scholarship for Video Scoreboard Creativity - see news release [here](#)

McDonalds Announces New Store Opening in Covington, Indiana - see news release [here](#)

The Hoopston Multi-Agency Shares Senior Dance Information - see news release [here](#); see 2020 dance schedule [here](#)

Danville Public Library Seeking Prom Dress Donations - see news release [here](#)

MidWest America Federal Credit Union Specials - Share Certificate Special - see information [here](#); Winter Auto Loan Special - see information [here](#); Boat & RV Special - see news release [here](#)

Vibrant Credit Union Members Get Paid! - see news release [here](#)

Small Business Development Center is Accepting Small Business Nominations - see news release [here](#)

CRIS Duplicate Bridge Club: ACBL Sanctioned Duplicate Bridge games are held every Monday & Friday at 12:30PM at the CRIS Center 309 N. Franklin. Call 217-442-6381 to join. Cost is \$2 per session & the first session is free.

DLO Musical Theatre Upcoming Events: Feb. 21-23: Presenting Bright Star a sweeping tale of love & redemption set against the rich backdrop of the American south in the 1920's & 40's. Tickets are \$44 Adults, \$28 Students. Tickets are available online at www.dlomusicaltheatre.com or at the door.

Danville American Legion Upcoming Events: Feb. 12: Country Fried Steak from 5:00-7:30PM. Feb. 13: Tortilla Soup & Sandwich from 5:00-7:30PM. Feb. 14: Fish & Full Menu from 5:00-7:30PM. Feb. 16: Sons of the American Legion Breakfast from 8:30-11:00AM. Feb. 20: Trivia Night with Rick Omundson at 7PM. Feb. 22: Chili Cookoff/Party from 5-7PM. Cost is \$5 for bottomless bowls of chili. There is no entry fee & prizes will be awarded for first, second & third place. Music & Karaoke will follow. Wednesdays: Wine'd Down Wednesday featuring 7 wines to choose from at \$3 a glass or 3 samples at \$2 a glass. Dinner special from 5-7PM at \$8.

Danville Boat Club Upcoming Events: Feb. 14: Valentine's Day Dinner - see news release [here](#). Thursdays: Lunches open to the public from 11AM-2PM - see news release [here](#)

Danville Downtown Event Center Upcoming Events: Visit the website at www.danvilleeventcenter.com for menu & how to order. March 8: Spring All you can eat buffet from 11AM-3PM. Available for 2020 bookings by telephone at 217-474-8174. Downtown Loft Rental - see brochure [here](#)

Danville Public Library Upcoming Events: Feb. 12: Preschool Pals Playgroup for ages 2-6 at 10AM. Feb. 12: Tween Gaming for ages 8-11 at 6PM. Feb. 13: Teens, discover your crafty side with arts projects at 5PM. Feb. 13: Wonder Garden Club for ages 5-11 at 5PM. Feb. 14: Adults, 60 & older Coffee Time at 9:30AM. Feb. 14: Creativebug class at 4PM. Feb. 15: Read with Therapy dogs from 11AM-Noon & 2-3PM. Feb. 15: Money Smart Week Essay Contest Writing workshop at 1PM for Children in grades 5-12. Feb. 15: Free Pilates session at 4PM. Feb. 17: Presidents' Day Bingo for kids 8-12 at 1PM, 3PM & 5PM. Feb. 18: Wee Wiggles for ages birth-24 months at 10AM. Feb. 18: Kids' Snack Club for ages 5-18 at 3:30PM. Feb. 19: Preschool Pals Playgroup for ages 2-6 at 10AM. Feb. 19: Meeting of Teen Minds for High school aged teens at 5PM. Feb. 19: Tween Gaming for ages 8-11 at 6PM. Feb. 20: Tween 3D printer Class at 4:30PM. Feb. 20: Teen Zone for high school aged teens at 5PM. Feb. 21: Adults, 60 & older Coffee Time at 9:30AM. Feb. 22: DPL Writers' Group for adults, 18 & over at 10AM. Feb. 22: Money Smart Week Essay Contest Writing workshop for kids grades 5-12 at 1PM. Feb. 22: Free Pilates sessions at 4PM. For ages 18 & over. Also, ongoing weekly programs may be found on the Library's website at www.danvillepubliclibrary.org.

Danville Symphony Orchestra Upcoming Events: Feb. 29: Stars of Country Music featuring Marcus Hummon and Matraca Berg at the Fischer Theater at 7:30PM. Adults Tickets are \$25-\$35. For tickets visit www.danvillesymphony.org - See news release [here](#). 2020 Season - see news release [here](#)

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. Friday & Saturday: Karaoke from 9PM-Midnight.

Knights of Columbus Upcoming Events: Feb 21: Swiss Steak Dinner with mashed potatoes, corn, green beans, dinner roll & dessert from 5:30-7:00PM. Cost is \$10. Feb. 21: Live music with the Dixie Flyer Band from 7:00-10:00PM. Cost \$5 cover at the door. Feb. 23: All You Can Eat Breakfast with scrambled eggs, French toast, pancakes, waffles, potatoes, sausage gravy, biscuits, bacon, sausage, orange juice, coffee & milk. Cost is Adults \$8, Children (12 & under) \$4. Feb. 28: Lenten Fish fry with fish or chicken strips for \$8 or breaded shrimp for \$9. Meal includes French fries, coleslaw, bread & coffee. Children under 12 are \$4. Mondays: Queen of Hearts Raffle with drawing at 7PM. Ticket costs are \$1 each of 6 for \$5. Wednesdays: Tacos are \$2 and salads are \$3.50 from 5-7PM. Carry outs are available for an additional 50¢. Everyone is welcome to these events.

Oakwood Public Library Upcoming Events: Feb. 15: Heart Topiary class hosted by the U of I Extension Master Gardeners. Cost is \$10, Please sign up by Feb. 10. Feb. 22: Felt Hand Warmers supplies available 10AM-3PM. Stop by & pick up your supplies to make felt hand warmers. Feb. 29: Winter Wonderland Party from 1:00-2:30PM. Join us for winter crafts, have a snack & watch Olaf movie clips. Special guest Olaf will arrive for kids

& families to take a picture with. Mondays: After School Crafts at 3PM. Wednesdays: Preschool Story Time at 10:30AM. Fridays: Senior Coffee Time at 10AM. Caff-Teen Hour at 3PM.

Senior Source Upcoming Events: Please register for each event at 217-274-7239 or online at www.seniorsourcedanville.com. All events are for those 50+ years. Feb. 12: Early Lunch Bunch at Stoney's Restaurant at 11AM. Feb. 13: Game Night Pictionary at 6:30PM. Cost is \$5. Feb. 19: New Year, New You - Personal Beauty & Lifestyle Makeovers with Studio 31 & Spa at 6PM. Cost is \$55. Feb. 20: Euchre Night at 6:30PM. Admission is free. Feb 21: Game Day Yahtzee at 2PM. Cost is \$5 & refreshments will be served. Feb. 24: Book Club with *Us Against You* by Fredrik Backman at 6:30PM. Cost is \$8 - the price of the book, bring your favorite snack to share. Feb. 25 & 26: Solid Gold Dance/Fitness Class at 10AM. Cost is \$7. Feb. 26: Indy Author Q & A Panel Discussion & Book Signing at 6:30PM. Cost is Free. Feb. 27: Yoga on the Go with Merritt Spicer at 6:15PM. Cost is \$7.

Sleepy Creek Vineyards Upcoming Events: Feb. 14: Valentine Vibes with Hot Sauce Universe at 6:30PM. Feb. 22: Vino & Vibes with Mank & Sass at 3PM. Feb. 29: Jack Wilhite's Rock & Roll Comedy Show at 6:30PM. Doors open at 6:30PM in the Dragonfly Event Center. Show at 8PM. Tickets are \$15 per person or tables of 10 are \$120 (Tables available by calling SC at 217-733-0330). Tickets available at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/sleepy-creek-presents-jack-willhites-rock-roll-comedy-show-tickets-88843383953>. Winter Hours: Open Sun-Thurs Noon-6PM; Fri. Noon-9PM; Sat. Noon-6PM. For more info, see www.sleepycreekvineyards.com.

Turtle Run Upcoming Events: Thursdays: Taco Thursday with \$2 loaded taco from 4-8PM.

Vermilion County Conservation District 2020 Calendar of Events - see news release [here](#)

Please send your Member Announcements to
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