

Member Announcements

May 1, 2019



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

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.

BIGG Tip: Motivate Yourself in Just 5 Minutes a Day - Author Teresa Amabile analyzed the work diaries of 200 people. She found that progress is the biggest driver of happiness at work. Even a small amount of progress can boost your motivation tremendously. So take 5 minutes each day to document your achievements. Use this information to help plan your next steps. Small wins turn into BIGG breakthroughs and lead 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.

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: Machel Dykes at mdykes@vermilionadvantage.com, contact us at 217-442-6201, or email contact@vermilionadvantage.com.

Education

DACC to Host Free Event on May 7 for Mental Health Awareness Month - see news release [here](#)

DACC OSHA 10 & 30 General Industry Training in May - see news release [here](#)

DACC Summer Enrichment Programs for Kids - see news release [here](#)

DACC Summer Adult Programs - see news release [here](#)

Summer & Fall 2019 Registration in Progress at DACC - see news release [here](#)

U of I Extension - Become A Money Mentor Volunteer Opportunity - see news release [here](#)

Health Announcements

Mental Health First Aid & Youth Mental Health Trainings for 2019 - see news release [here](#)

Faith In Action Volunteer Opportunities - 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 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 Machel Dykes

at mdykes@vermilionadvantage.com.

Announcements/Events/Community

Arts in the Park Volunteer Opportunity - see news release [here](#)

RSVP's Now Being Accepted for the City of Danville Golden Wedding Celebration at the Danville Dans' June 26 Game - see news release [here](#)

City of Danville Kickball League Registrations Now Open - see news release [here](#)

Vermilion County Conservation District Registrations Open for 2019 Summer Camps - see news release [here](#)

Iroquois Federal Announces 11 Month CD Special - see news release [here](#)

MidWest America Federal Credit Union Auto Loan Special - see news release [here](#)

Danville Symphony Orchestra Benefit at the Heron on May 3 - see news release [here](#)

Danville Lutheran School Golf Outing on May 4 - see news release [here](#)

Village of Alvin Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser on May 4 - see news release [here](#)

Danville Symphony Orchestra Presents *Via Italia* on May 4 - see news release [here](#)

Survivor Resource Center "Walk A Mile in Her Shoes" Event on May 4 - see news release [here](#)

WWII Remembrance Days at Kennekuk County Park on May 4 & 5 - see news release [here](#); see schedule [here](#)

Jose Canseco Autograph Session & Home Run Derby at Bricks and Ivy Sports on May 11 - see news release [here](#)

East Central Illinois Community Action Agency "Gateway to Home Ownership" Classes on May 18 - see news release [here](#)

Kickapoo Park Bistro Music Schedule Beginning May 18 - see news release [here](#)

Danville American Legion Riders Car & Bike Show on May 18 - see news release [here](#)

Vermilion County War Museum Armed Forces Day event on May 18 - see news release [here](#)

Master Gardeners Annual Plant Sale on May 18 - see news release [here](#)

Meet NBA Superstar Dennis Rodman at Bricks & Ivy Sports on June 1 - see news release [here](#)

Tee It Up For Education Golf Outing on June 8 - see news release [here](#)

“Working Out PTSD” Annual Fundraiser Event on June 29 - see news release [here](#)

Danville American Legion Upcoming Events: [May 1](#): Beef Manhattan dinner & appetizers from 5-7PM. [May 2](#): Italian beef & appetizers from 5-7PM. [May 3](#): Fish & full menu from 5:00-7:30PM. [May 18](#): American Legion Riders Car & Bike Show - see news release [here](#). [June 29](#): “Working Out PTSD” Annual Fundraiser - see news release [here](#). Everyone is welcome!

Danville Boat Club Upcoming Events: [May 4](#): Beer Tasting - see news release [here](#). [May 18](#): Danville Boat Club Golf Outing - see news release [here](#). [June 1](#): Annual 20K Raffle - see news release [here](#). [Every Thursday](#): Lunches open to the public from 11AM-2PM - see news release [here](#)

Danville Downtown Event Center Upcoming Events: [May 3](#): First Fridays Menu of your choice of Chicken Madeira, Country Fried Steak, Stuffed Pork Chop, Shrimp Scampi, Roasted Prime Rib or File Seafood Gumbo from 5-9PM. [May 12](#): Mother’s Day Buffet from 11AM-4PM - see news release [here](#).

Danville Gardens Upcoming Events: [May 18](#): Fairy Garden Class from 2-3PM. Cost is dependent on products used. Please RSVP at 217-442-4944. [May 19](#): Animal Topiary Class from 2-3PM. Cost is dependent on products used. Please RSVP at 217-442-4944.

Danville Public Library Upcoming Events: [May 1](#): The DPL Writers’ Group for adults, ages 18 & over from 5-7PM. [May 1](#): Preschool Pals Playgroup for ages 2-6 at 10AM. [May 1](#): Teens, Sweet Escape for ages 12-18 at 5PM. [May 2](#): Teen 3D printer Class for ages 12-18 at 4:30PM. [May 2](#): Tween Gaming for ages 8-11 at 6PM. [May 3](#): Adults, 60 & older, coffee time at 9:30AM. [May 4](#): DPL’s ComicCon for all ages with free comics, cosplay contest, games & activities at 10AM-1PM. Also, ongoing weekly programs may be found on the Library’s website at www.danvillepubliclibrary.org.

Danville Symphony Orchestra Upcoming Events: [May 3](#): DSO Benefit at The Heron - see news release [here](#). [May 4](#): DSO Presents Via Italia featuring Robert Michaels - 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.

Gao Grotto Upcoming Events: [May 3](#): Cinco de Mayo Night: Your choice of steak fajitas or 2 ground beef tacos for \$10 per dinner, with side choices of Spanish rice, refried beans, hot & mild salsa (Pico De Gallo) from 5:30-7:30PM. [May 3](#): Live Music in the reception hall featuring the “Captain’s Three Band” with no cover charge from 7:00-9:00PM. All are welcome to our public events!

Knights of Columbus Upcoming Events: [May 4](#): Dinner & Live Music - Spaghetti & Meat Sauce “Mascari” Style. Cost is \$6. Live Music with the Mike Ellis Band, cost is \$5; Dinner 5:30-7:00PM; Dance 7:00-9:00PM. [May 10](#): Fish Fry with fish or chicken strips for \$7 or breaded shrimp for \$8. The meal will include French fries, coleslaw, bread, & coffee. Children under 12 are \$4. [May 10](#): Rick Omundson Karaoke at 7-11PM. [May 18](#): Burgers & Dogs on the patio. The cost for the burger is \$5 & hot dog \$3 from 5:30-7:30PM. Live Music with the Left 4 Dead Band. [May 25](#): Swiss Steak Dinner from 5:30-7:00PM. Cost is \$10. [May 25](#): Live music with the Dixie Flyer Band from 7-10PM with \$5 cover charge. [May 26](#): All You Can Eat Breakfast from 7:30-11:00AM. Cost is Adults \$8 & Children (12 & under) \$4. [Wednesdays](#): Queen of Hearts Raffle at 7PM. Tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5; Tacos are \$2 and salads are \$3.50 from 5-7PM. Carry outs are available for an additional 50¢. See www.kofcdanville.com for more info. Everyone is welcome to these events.

Sleepy Creek Vineyards Upcoming Events: [May 5](#): Cinco De Mayo Day with free chips & salsa (while supplies last) & free live music with Kayla Brown & Mike Ingram from 3-5PM. [May 12](#): Treat Mom to free live music with Stone & Snow from 3-5PM, the Cafecito Cubano food truck will begin serving at Noon; and large specialty drinks will be \$6. [June 2](#): Whiskers & Wine Event - see news release [here](#). [Fridays](#): Wieners & Wine: You buy the drinks, we provide the hot dogs, all the fixings & the fire to roast them on from 5-8PM. Music is from 6:30-8:30PM. [Spring/Summer Hours](#): Open Sun-Wed Noon-6PM; Thurs. 2-8PM; Fri. & Sat. Noon-9PM. For more info, see www.sleepycreekvineyards.com.

The Heron Upcoming Events: [May 1](#): Wine Tasting Wednesday at 5:30PM. Cost is \$10 per person. Please RSVP by calling 217-213-5818. [May 3](#): DSO Benefit at The Heron - see news release [here](#). [Hours](#): Lunch Wednesday-Friday 11:00AM-2:30PM; Dinner Thurs, Fri & Sat 4:30-9:00PM with Bar open until Midnight.

Turtle Run Upcoming Events: [Every Thursday](#): Taco Thursday with \$2 loaded taco from 4-8PM. [Every Sunday](#): Build your own Bloody Mary bar 10AM-2PM- see flyer [here](#).

Vermilion County Conservation Districts 2019 Events: Hunter Safety Classes Offered in April, June, August, September & October; see news release [here](#). See Calendar [here](#)

Vermilion County Conservation District 2019 Forest Glen Archery Deer Lottery Begins - see news release [here](#)

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