

# Member Announcements

*September 6, 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 Act on Energy.** 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](mailto: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**

**Tour Of Industries 2017 “The Future is Made Here!”** – We took a break in 2016, but TOUR OF INDUSTRIES is back for 2017. **Save the date for October 21 from 9:00AM-3:00PM.** Seven industries are currently committed to opening their doors to the public and four more may soon be joining the list soon. Visit our website at [www.madeinvermilioncounty.com](http://www.madeinvermilioncounty.com) and see more about 2017 TOUR OF INDUSTRIES: THE FUTURE IS MADE HERE!

**BIGG Tip: *Is Creativity Overrated?*** –Yes, by itself. An idea- no matter how unique- is wasted without action. Why don't we act? Because creativity usually requires change. We hate change. It may mean taking a risk. We avoid risk. So we do nothing except create. It's creativity without the activity. The creative side of creativity is important. But putting activity into your creativity leads to BIGG success! Get more tips from BIGG Success [here](#).

**Young Professionals Network** –Young professionals you are invited to meet, network, and socialize with others in Vermilion County. 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](mailto:lcronk@vermilionadvantage.com) or 217-442-6201.

**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 Machele has your property on her list! Call Machele at 217-442-6201 or email her at [mdykes@vermilionadvantage.com](mailto: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](mailto: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 Machele Dykes at [mdykes@vermilionadvantage.com](mailto: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](mailto:contact@vermilionadvantage.com).



## Education

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

**DACC Corporate and Community Education “Improve Your Business By Improving Your Workplace Culture!” Breakfast & Presentation by Judy Ryan of Lifework Systems on September 13** – see news release [here](#)

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

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

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

**DACC Community Education Training for Business & Industry for August & September** – see news 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](#)

**CRIS Chronic Disease Self-Management Program** – 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](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 Machel Dukes at [mdykes@vermilionadvantage.com](mailto:mdykes@vermilionadvantage.com)



## Events/Community

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

**Youth From Vermilion County Find Success at Illinois State Fair** – see news release [here](#); see results [here](#)

**Red Mask Fall Children's Show "Comic Book Artist" by Pat Lydersen September 8, 9 & 10** – Performances are Friday, September 8 at 7PM; Saturday, September 9 at 2PM & 7PM; and Sunday, September 10 at 2PM. All performances will be at the Kathryn Randolph Theater at 601 N. Vermilion, Danville. Tickets are \$6 for all ages. For ticket information, call the theater at 217-442-5858 or online at [www.redmaskplayers.com](http://www.redmaskplayers.com).

**DACC Players Present "The Last Five Years" Dinner Theater September 8, 9 & 10** – Dinner will be served at 6PM on Friday & Saturday & 1PM on Sunday. The cost of dinner, dessert & the show is \$27.50 per person. The full menu of mushroom chicken breast, sides, salad, & dessert will be prepared by the DACC Culinary Arts students & served by cast members of the Players late fall production, the Rocky Horror Show. Tickets are available at [www.daccplayers.com](http://www.daccplayers.com) or at the door.

**Douglas Discovery Garden "Antiques in the Park" Country Show on September 9** – see news release [here](#)

**Early Years of Joe Cannon Presentation at Danville Public Library on September 11** – see news release [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](#)

**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](#)

**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 8:](#) Craft Beer Tasting; see flyer [here](#). [Sept. 16:](#) Golf Scramble; see flyer [here](#). [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 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the month featuring Fish Tacos. See [www.kofcdanville.com](http://www.kofcdanville.com) for more info. Everyone is welcome to these events.

**Danville Public Library Upcoming Events** - [Sept. 6:](#) Preschool Pals Playgroup for ages 2-6 at 10AM. [Sept. 7:](#) Tween Gaming for ages 8-11 from 6-7PM. [Sept. 8:](#) Adults, 60 & older, “Coffee Time” from 9:30-10:30AM. [Sept. 11:](#) Free program “The Early Years of Joe Cannon” presentation by Historian & retired attorney Timothy O. Smith at 6PM. [Sept. 12:](#) Wee Wiggles for ages birth to 24 months from 10:00-10:30AM. [Sept. 12:](#) Kids Snack Club for ages 5-18 will make a Tangerine Fall Tree snack at 3:30PM. [Sept. 13:](#) Preschool Pals Playgroup for ages 2-6 will meet at 10AM. [Sept. 13:](#) Learn Basic Computer Skills class from 10AM-Noon. The class is free but seating is limited. [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. \* 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](http://www.danvillepubliclibrary.org)

**Oakwood Public Library Upcoming Events** – Ongoing weekly programs can be found on the Library’s website. Questions? Contact Joel D. Shoemaker, MLIS, Library Director, at the Library at 217-354-4777 or see [www.oakwood.lib.il.us](http://www.oakwood.lib.il.us)

**Sleepy Creek Vineyards Upcoming Events** – [Purple Finger Club](#) Help Wanted During Harvest 2017 – see news release [here](#) . [Sept. 10:](#) Free Live Music Sunday with Evan Bartels from 2-4PM & Rosati’s Pizza Catering will be serving from Noon – 4(ish). [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. [Spring/Summer Hours:](#) We will be open Sunday through Thursday from Noon-6PM, then Friday and Saturday from 10AM-8PM. For more info, see [www.sleepycreekvineyards.com](http://www.sleepycreekvineyards.com).

**Westville American Legion Upcoming Events** – [Tacos every Thursday](#) from 5:30-7:30PM

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