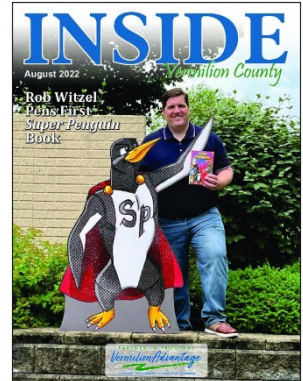


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Member Announcements  
August 3, 2022

Please review the following information at your leisure - and you can always view our most recent "Inside Vermilion County" at <https://www.vermilionadvantage.com/category/inside-vermilion-county-magazine/>



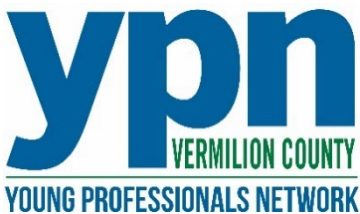
Vermilion Advantage News



Thursday, August 11 5-7PM  
Danville Boat Club  
15750 Boat Club Rd, Danville

\$10 for networking, food, and drinks  
RSVP to Nicole Van Hyfte  
[nvanhyfte@vermilionadvantage.com](mailto:nvanhyfte@vermilionadvantage.com)

**\*Free Bonus Meeting\***  
Thursday, August 3 5-7PM  
Danville Public Library  
Freewill Donations Accepted



Wednesday, August 17 11:30AM  
The Pavilion @ Lincoln Park

\$15 meeting fee-includes lunch by Motley Food Truck  
Jonathan Munoz - Vermilion County Child Advocacy  
Center

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Wednesday, August 24 11:30AM  
Palmer Arena- Room 127  
100 W Main St, Danville

Ross Darby-Greenwood, Inc  
Taco Bar from MiMi's Kitchen  
\$15 Meeting Fee, lunch included

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I Am, You Are, We Are!

*Lisa Cottrell*

- see news release [here](#)

***BIGG Tip - How Can You Love a Job You're NOT Passionate About?***

Love WHY you do it. For example, your job may not fully challenge you, but it does provide a regular check. In your spare time, you can start a business part-time. You love your work because it funds your lifestyle now, while also helping you build a bigger and brighter future. If you don't love what you do, love why you do 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).

***Community Tours - We can help with your Professional Recruitment and/or Short- or Long-Term Rental Needs*** - Vermilion Advantage can help our members with professional recruitment by taking your new employees or employment candidates on a (free) Community Tour. 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, we have some lovely extended-stay hotel suite options. And, if you have professional rental properties coming available, make sure Nicole has your property on her list! Questions? Call Nicole at 217-442-6201 or email her at [nvanhyfte@vermilionadvantage.com](mailto:nvanhyfte@vermilionadvantage.com).

### All A's/Awards/Achievements

***Danville's Three Kings of Peace teamed up with Project Success-*** see news release [here](#)

***United Way of Danville Area and the Dolly Parton Imagination Library Program*** - see how you can sponsor [here](#)

***Bruce and Patricia Rape have endowed the Walter E & Owen D Automotive/Welding Scholarship to support students scholarships at DACC*** - see release [here](#)

***DACC is Honored to Announce the 2022 Small Business Award Winners*** - see news release [here](#)

***Share Your Stories & "All A's"*** - These Member Announcements & the Inside Vermilion County magazine are here to help you share your stories & 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 at [contact@vermilionadvantage.com](mailto:contact@vermilionadvantage.com) or contact us at 217-442-6201.

### Education

***DACC 2022 Summer Training Opportunities*** - see news release [here](#)

***DACC Fall Registration*** - see flyer [here](#); see program flyer [here](#)

***DACC Announces 8 New Programs*** - see news release [here](#)

***The Trep School Announces Free Business Classes, Coaching and Funding for 2022*** - see news release [here](#)

***Cyber Security at DACC Bremer Conference Center August 4*** - see news release [here](#)

***DACC Lean Certificate Series, Register today*** - see flyer [here](#)

**IDNR Illinois Prairie Workshop for Educators of k-8th Grades August 27** - see news release [here](#)

## Healthcare

**Crosspoint Human Services Offers Mental Health & Psychiatric Services** - see news release [here](#)

**Rosecrance Podcast “On Your Radar”: Living in recovery as a family** - see news release [here](#)

## Jobs/Workforce

**SYGMA Back to School & Back to Work with open interviews August 6** – see flyer [here](#)

**Express Employment Job Fair & Brunch by MiMi’s Kitchen & Catering August 7** – See flyer [here](#)

**The Salvation Army Employment Workshop August 18** - see news release [here](#); see flyer [here](#)

**Vermilion Advantage is Looking for Speakers** - See flyer [here](#)

**Eastern Illinois Foodbank is looking for a Data & Research Specialist to join their Development team** – see flyer [here](#)

**ECICAA is requesting proposals from Mechanical and Architectural Contractors** - see news release [here](#)

**Illinois Angel Investment Tax Credit** - 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) - 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. If you need help to be set up as a user on our Vermilion County Jobs Board page to post job openings, please contact Vermilion Advantage at 217-442-6201.

## Announcements & Community

**The First Place Co-Working Space is excited to announce that their building (137 N Vermilion Street) is undergoing a full renovation** - see news release [here](#)

**The Salvation Army Back To School Drive August 5-7** - see news release [here](#)

**Danville Sunrise Rotary Grant Application Due by August 8** - see news release [here](#)

**Vermilion County Federation of Labor Hosting 2022 Labor Day Parade; Application due by August 10** - see news release [here](#); see application [here](#)

**The Salvation Army distributes school supplies to those in need August 10-11** - see news release [here](#)

**Three Crows Emporium Grand Opening with a ribbon cutting ceremony August 13** - see news release [here](#)

**Love INC of Vermilion County is Collecting Shoes through August 14** - see news release [here](#); see flyer [here](#)

**Danville Boat Club is looking for sponsors to support annual raffle August 20** - see flyer [here](#)

**Vermilion Advantage Human Resources & Safety Council with Speakers Mayor Rickey Williams & Police Chief Chris Yates August 30** - see flyer [here](#)

**Shoe Sensation is asking for your support with Shoe and Sock Donations for District 118 students through August 21** - see news release [here](#)

**Pastor Offering Reward for Apprehending Child's Killer, join him in supporting the Danville Police Department in their search** - see news release [here](#)

**Vermilion County Child Advocacy Center Seeking Donations** - see news release [here](#); see wish list [here](#)

**Vermilion River Fall Festival Sponsorships Available** - see news release [here](#)

**Crosspoint Human Services is hosting their first annual Harvest Feast Fundraiser September 10** - See Sponsorship opportunities [here](#)

**MidWest America Federal Credit Union Auto Loan Special & Share Certificate Special** - see Auto Loan Special [here](#); see Share Certificate Special [here](#); see new mortgage refinance product [here](#)

**CIBM Bank Share Home Equity Line of Credit Loan** - see news release [here](#)

**Mimi's Kitchen & Catering Menu Options** - see buffet pricing [here](#); see appetizer menu [here](#); see entrée menu [here](#); see dessert menu [here](#); Healthy Eating Options - see menu [here](#). Visit [www.mimiskitchen-catering.com](http://www.mimiskitchen-catering.com).

**Motley Food Menu Options** - see menu [here](#). Visit <https://www.facebook.com/MotleyFoodDanville/>.

**Danville Art League:** See all the amazing classes at [www.danvilleartleague.com](http://www.danvilleartleague.com). Make sure to check out the July and August Showcase, "Portraits".

**Oakwood Public Library:** Visit <http://www.oakwood.lib.il.us/> or Facebook: Oakwood Public Library.

## Upcoming Events

**Danville Public Library** - see upcoming events [here](#)

**August 5 Downtown Danville First Friday Event, Back to School Bash** - see flyer [here](#), see press release [here](#); see road closure press release [here](#)

**August 5 & 6 Danville Public Library: "Stranger Things"** - see sponsorship information [here](#)

**August 12-14 Downtown Danville Weekend Memphis Style, Celebration of the King** - see flyer [here](#)

**August 19 Vermilion Advantage 30<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Outing FUN-raiser** - see golf and sponsorship information [here](#)

**August 20 STEP Recovery Center Presents the Third Annual Ride for Recovery** - see flyer [here](#)

**September 10 Vermilion County Conservation District hosting River to Rail Ride** - see flyer [here](#); sponsorship information [here](#)

**AMBUCS Friday Nights** - see music schedule [here](#)

- [August 5:](#) The Feudin Hillbillies from 7:00PM-10:00PM

**Summer Sounds Concert Series** - see news release [here](#)

- [August 5:](#) Live music with Dalton Halls Band from 6:00PM-9:00PM

**Danville V.F.W. Post #728:**

- [Sundays:](#) Bingo at 2:00PM.

### **112 Wine and Coffee Shoppe:**

- [August 5](#): Live music with Three Man Duo 6:00-9:00PM.
- [Sept 18](#): Donuts & Mimosas. See flyer [here](#)
- [Shoppe Hours](#): Monday-Thursday: 6:00AM-10:00PM; Friday & Saturday: 6:00AM-11:00pm & Sunday: 8:00AM-2:00PM
- [Game Room Bar](#): Now open with live music every Friday Night in June, July, & August - see news release [here](#). See full menu at [www.112wine.com](http://www.112wine.com).

### **Big Thorn Farm & Brewery:**

- [August 20](#): 6 Year Anniversary Celebration including new beer release, special menu from The Truck, Kayla's Chic Treats, Bailie Poggendorf's interactive art corner, live painter Tim Welch, produce stand and live music from Live Thru Wednesday
- [September 24](#): Street Food @ The Farm; we're bringing street food to the country. Cafecito Cubano, Beef or Chicken, El Patron, & Bud's BBQ
- [Bar Hours](#): Friday 3:00-9:00PM, Saturday Noon-9:00PM, Sunday 10:00AM-4:00PM

### **Danville Boat Club:**

- [Tuesdays](#): Members & Invited Guests Big Burger Tuesdays, Doors open at 5:00PM, Food orders begin at 5:30PM. Big burgers with fries \$10 several burger and chicken options. Junior Burger with chips \$8. Hot bar \$10 - TBA
- [Thursdays](#): Lunch 11:00AM-2:00PM Soup & Salad bar, variety of burgers, chicken strips and shrimp.
- [August 7](#): Breakfast on the Lake 9:00AM-1:00PM; Open to the public see flyer [here](#)
- [August 20](#): Annual 20K Raffle doors open at 2:00PM

### **Danville Dans:** see schedule [here](#);

- [August 6](#): Dan Fan Appreciation Night - With every paid admission you'll receive a free ticket for next season
- [Regular Admission](#): \$6 Adults, \$3 K-8 Students, Kids 5 and under are free
- [Tuesdays](#): \$2 Admission
- [Sundays](#): \$4 Adults, Kids FREE with a paid adult

### **Downtown Danville First Friday Events:**

- [August 5](#): Back to School Bash
- [September 2](#): Wellness Walk & Farm to Table Dinner
- [October 7](#): Halloween Event
- [November 4](#): Potterfest Downtown
- [December 2](#): Night of Lights Parade
- For questions or more information contact Ashton Greer at [agreer@cityofdanville.org](mailto:agreer@cityofdanville.org).

### **Gao Grotto**

- [Friday Night Cook](#): Cheeseburgers/hamburgers, chicken strips, pork fritters and hot dogs. All meals come with 2 sides: fries, onion rings, coleslaw, and beans. Price is \$10 serving time is 5:30PM-7:30PM

### **It's In Your Head Yoga & Breathwork**

- [Monday & Thursdays](#): 6:00PM at Turtle Run (332 E Liberty Lane) \$15 per person
- [Wednesdays](#): 7-7:40AM at Kresge Park (8N Vermilion St) \$10 per person
- Visit [itsinyourhead.com](http://itsinyourhead.com) for additional information

### **Sleepy Creek Vineyards:**

- [Mondays](#): Yoga & Wine with Linda every Monday; Doors open at 5:30PM Class begins at 6:00PM, Cost is \$10
- [Tuesdays](#): Yoga & Wine with Mandy every Tuesday; Doors open at 5:30PM Class begins at 6:00PM, Cost is \$10.
- [Fridays](#): Wieners & Wine Every Friday from 5:00-8:00PM
- [August 5](#): Free live music with David Howie
- [August 6](#): Grape Stomping competition begins at 1:30; sign your team up [here](#)
- [August 6](#): Free live music with The Tangents Band from 2:00-4:00PM & food by T&G's BBQ starting at noon
- [Sundays](#): Winey Mary Bar Every Sunday Noon-6:00PM
- [Sleepy Creek Hours](#): Sunday-Tuesday Noon-6:00PM; Wednesday-Thursday-Saturday Noon-7:00PM & Friday Noon-9:00PM. Please visit our Facebook page at Sleepy Creek Vineyards or online at [www.sleepycreekvineyards.com](http://www.sleepycreekvineyards.com) for updates.

***Turtle Run:***

- Mondays and Thursdays: Summer Schedule for Yoga - see info [here](#).
- Wednesdays: Queen of Hearts Drawing - see info [here](#) & see the winning pot each week on Facebook.
- Thursdays: Fowling League - Fowling is 1<sup>st</sup> team to knock down opponents 10 bowling pins with a football - see info [here](#).
- August 5: AMBUCS Friday Night Concert Series, Live on the Landing with Feudin Hillbillies

***Westville American Legion:***

- Mondays: Free line dancing lessons every Monday at 6:00PM
- Wednesdays: Queen of Hearts Drawing at 7:00PM. Tickets \$1.00.
- Thursdays: Tacos/Nachos with Bob Schifo from 5:30-7:30PM
- Fridays: Free line dancing lessons every Friday at 10:30AM.
- See full menu [here](#)