

May 8, 2024



Vermilion Advantage
MEMBER ANNOUNCEMENTS

The cover of the "INSIDE Vermilion County" magazine for May 2024 features a large photograph of Danville Gardens. The word "INSIDE" is printed in large, bold, blue, serif capital letters at the top left. Below it, "May 2024" is written in a smaller, black, sans-serif font. To the right of "INSIDE", the words "Vermilion County" are written in a green, cursive script. The photograph shows a large, modern glass and metal building with a curved roof, heavily decorated with vibrant pink and purple flowers. A green awning over the entrance has the text "Danville Gardens" and "WELCOME" on it. In the bottom left corner of the cover, the text "Danville Gardens Open for the Spring Season" is written in a black, sans-serif font. In the bottom right corner, there is a small version of the Vermilion Advantage logo, including the tagline "PARTNER IN PROGRESS" and "ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT | CHAMBER OF COMMERCE".

Inside Vermilion County
May issue

To view this month's issues of "Inside Vermilion County" visit our website!
Check out this month's magazine [here!](#)

Vermilion Advantage
EVENTS

**DID YOU
KNOW...**

Any employee from your business is welcome to attend our Vermilion Advantage networking events? Please share the information with your staff and invite someone new! We look forward to seeing you!

VERMILION ADVANTAGE BUSINESS

AFTER HOURS

MAY 9, 2024

5:00PM-7:00PM

JOIN US ON THE SALT GRASS PATIO FOR
FOOD, FUN, AND NETWORKING

RSVP TODAY TO
DROWLAND@VERMILIONADVANTAGE.COM

HIT THE GAMING FLOOR AND
CHECK OUT THE NEW
PROMOTIONS THE GOLDEN
NUGGET IS OFFERING! NEW
CARD SIGN UPS WILL RECEIVE
\$10 FREE SLOT PLAY AND AN
ADDITIONAL \$10 IF PHONE
NUMBER & EMAIL IS PROVIDED!

ALSO, CHECK OUT THEIR REFER
A FRIEND PROGRAM!



FRIENDSHIP IS
GOLDEN.

RECEIVE FREE SLOT PLAY
EACH TIME YOU REFER A
FRIEND TO SIGN UP FOR
THE 24K CLUB.



Vermilion
Advantage

Coffee Talk

Tuesday, May 14
9:00AM-10:30AM

Obsidian Coffee
137 N. Vermilion St.

Please use entrance
in the back alley

*Join us for coffee and
conversation with
Ashton Greer, City of Danville
Community Relations
Administrator*



Please RSVP to
drowland@vermilionadvantage.com by May 10th



YPN How 2 Series



How 2 Prioritize Your Mental Health

Prioritizing your mental health as a young professional is not just about avoiding burnout or managing stress—it's about laying the groundwork for a successful, fulfilling, and sustainable career journey. Join Brittany Morris, of Crosspoint Human Services, as she speaks about caring for your Mental Health.

Please RSVP by May 10 to Dana at drowland@vermilionadvantage.com



Meeting Details

- May 15
- 11:30AM-1:00PM
- \$15 meeting fee - lunch included!
- DACC Bremer Center Room 141

Questions? Contact Jodie Ingram at jingram@vermilionadvantage.com



BUSINESS & NETWORKING Luncheon



**Saddle up and join us for the Annual
ServPro luncheon! Dust off your
cowboy boots and grab your hats as
we wrangle up some fun!**

**We can't wait to see you there,
partner! Don't forget to bring your
best yeehaw!**

MAY 22
11:30-1:00

SERVPRO
817 Texas Ave., Danville

Please RSVP by 5/17 to drowland@vermilionadvantage.com

Vermilion Advantage

NEWS

Jobs

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 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.

City of Danville is seeking qualified contractors - see press release [here](#)

Honors & Achievements

91st Annual AMBUC First Citizen Banquet Set Honoring Gary Resh - see press release [here](#)

Balloon School was in session in Oakwood Grade School in the new Ambassador Class! See press release [here](#)

Education

DACC Offers Mental Health Conference - find information [here](#)

DACC offers Free College for New Students this Fall - see press release [here](#)

DACC Launches New Associate Degree Programs in Medical Fields - see press release [here](#)

Check out DACC's Jaguar Journal [here](#)

DACC Foundation Friends Fall Newsletter - see [here](#)

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

DACC Corporate Education - see Spring Training Opportunities [here](#)

Illinois Small Business Center at DACC - see upcoming classes & training events [here](#)

DACC Coordinated Engineering Program - see details [here](#)

DACC-Franklin University 3+1 Bachelor's program just got more affordable - see press release [here](#)



New Members

Casey Toler
Graphic Design

Healthcare

WIC Program now offering "Walk in Wednesdays" - see flyer [here](#)

Check out the latest *Rosecrance newsletter and information* [here](#)

Check out the *Just Breathe Alternative Medical Solutions May Newsletter* [here](#)

Just Breathe Alternative Medical Solutions and Two Roads Wellness Clinic will be hosting a Health & Wellness Fair. Vendors are needed! Find more information [here](#)

Vermilion County Mental Health Board hosts Mental Health First Aid training - see youth information [here](#) and adult information [here](#)



Announcements & Community



East Central Illinois Community Action Agency VOCA Newsletter - see the April newsletter [here](#)

Doug Ireland - Prudential Advisors
Are you struggling to find the right financial advisor to help you with a

Looking for a new Point of Sale System? Contact Lee Chassy with SpotOn - find more information [here](#)

Friends of the Kickapoo Rail Trail - See the current newsletter [here](#)

Adecco Staffing celebrates 35th Anniversary - see flyer [here](#)

Danville Noon Rotary will be placing flags along N. Vermilion - see sponsorship information [here](#) and flag dedication information [here](#)

401k rollover or preparing for retirement? Contact me at 217-516-7778 or doug.ireland@prudential.com for a complimentary consultation!

The Consult at Danville Library meets the first Wednesday of every month - find more information [here](#)

Gateway Family Services launches Seen Through Horses Campaign- see information [here](#)

Join State Rep Brandun Schweizer with his Summer Reading Program! See the press release [here](#) and more information [here](#)

Upcoming Member Events

Danville Farmers Market - happening EVERY SATURDAY from 8:00AM to Noon at 2721 N. Vermilion St. (next to Planet Fitness).
Check out all the vendors and locally made items!

May 11 Tarquini's Mother's Day Event - see flyer [here](#)

May 16 S.O.A.R. Sessions - check out the flyer [here](#)

May 18 Keep Vermilion County Beautiful Great American Cleanup - see flyer [here](#) and sponsorship information [here](#)

May 22 Homeless Resource Night - see flyer [here](#)

June 5 You Matter Hour - see flyer [here](#)

June 24-26 Fellowship of Christian Athletes Soccer Camp - see flyer [here](#)

July 27 Georgetown American Legion Post 203 Summer Square Affair - see flyer [here](#)

Big Thorn Farm & Brewery:

- New hours: Friday 3:00-9:00PM, Saturday 12:00-9:00PM, Sunday 12:00-6:00PM
- Join us for farm-brewed beer, great food from The Truck and one-of-a kind Greenhouse Bar seating!
- May 12 10:30AM-6:00PM Mother's Day Brunch

Boxcar Books & Vinyl:

- Check out our Rail Mail Book Subscription Boxes. Choose your genre and the number of months you'd like to subscribe and we will ship you a new release book and bookish gifts each month!
- Independent Bookstore Day Celebrates 11th Anniversary - see press release [here](#)
- For more details visit our website [here](#)

Danville Area Community College Bremer Center:

- Bye Bye, Birdie presented by Jaguar Players
- May 10 & 11 at 7:00PM
- May 12 at 2:00PM

Danville Public Library:

- Check out the May calendar of events [here](#)

Exit 210:

- May 11 8:00PM-11:00PM The Lowdown Drifters with Bordertown & Co.

Fischer Theatre:

- May 10 7:00 PM The Notebook
- Find ticket and pricing information [here](#)

Georgetown American Legion Dornblaser Post 203:

- Friday night dinner
- Serving from 5:00PM-7:00PM: Chicken tenders, potato salad, beans

Golden Nugget:

- May 10 9:00PM-1:00AM Live entertainment at Front Row Bar and Grill

Hoopeston Public Library:

- May 13 Spring cleaning book sale in the upstairs youth room during regular library hours
- The library will be hosting an informative program for senior adults - see flyer [here](#)
- Check out the May Newsletter [here](#)

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
- Friday: Wieners & Wine 5:00-8:00, Live music with Stuart Smith from 6:30-9:30
- Sunday - 12:00PM-6:00PM Screw It, It's Mother's Day

Snapper's - Turtle Run:

- Steak Night - every Saturday night starting at 5:00PM featuring Rawhide Steaks!

Step Recovery Center:

- Friday nights, 6:00PM-8:00PM Recovery Rocks - Ala-teen Recovery Group
- Meet with other teens (13-17) for fun, fellowship and support
- Saturday, May 11th 9:00AM-2:00PM Step Into Spring at Step Recovery Center
- Music, food, arts and crafts, car and bike show, free pancake breakfast and more!
- For questions about events, contact Wendy at 217-597-9653

Vermilion River Beer Company

- May 9 5:30PM-7:30PM Nancy & TomCat
- May 12 10:30AM-2:00PM Mother's Day Brunch
- May 12 11:00AM-1:00PM Second Sunday Salvation with Chad Hays

VFW Post 728: (8 Pine Street, Danville)

- Sundays: Family bingo every Sunday promptly at 2:00PM. Children are welcome, but be 18 years of age to play. A Sunday lunch special and a variety of sandwiches and snack foods are available.

Westville American Legion Post 51:

- Wednesdays: Queen of Hearts Drawing at 7:00PM. Tickets \$1.00.
- Open Bowl - Fridays and Saturdays 5:00PM-8:00PM