

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

FRIDAY, APRIL 19

- Brown Bag Lunch Program: "Double Play Flute and Tuba Duo" from Michigan at 12:05 p.m. at the National Music Museum located on USD campus, corner of Clark and Yale St. April's Free Friday Sponsor is Sanford Health of Vermillion. Free and open to the public.
- Spring Fling Dinner and Dance at the Main Street Center, 320 W. Main St. Dinner 5-6:30 p.m.; dance or enjoy the music with Shirley Brandt from 7-9 p.m. Proceeds to benefit The Main Street Center.
- Varsity Baseball: Bon Homme at Tabor at 5:30 p.m.
- Junior Varsity Baseball: Bon Homme at Tabor at 7:30 p.m.
- USD Dept. of Theatre presents "Rent", April 19-20 at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday, April 21 at 2 p.m. at Wayne S. Knutson Theatre, Warren M. Lee Center for the Fine Arts on USD campus. Visit: www.usd.edu/theatre for ticket information.
- USD Opera presents Gian-Carlo Menotti's "The Medium", Friday, April 19 and Saturday, April 20 at 7:30 p.m., Slagle Hall Aalfs Auditorium on USD campus. Tickets for adults-\$10; Students-\$5. Not recommended for children under 12.)

SATURDAY, APRIL 20

- Overeaters Anonymous: Saturday, April 20 at 9 a.m. Location: Sanford Vermillion Medical Center, 20 S. Plum St., administration entrance just south of the hospital entrance in the board room. Overeaters Anonymous is a 12-step program for people with eating disorders and struggles.
- Vermillion Area Farmers Market from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Clay County Extension Building, 515 High St. If interested in becoming a vendor for winter market, call Amy, (605) 659-3399.
- Junior Varsity Baseball: Dakota Valley at 12 p.m. (T)
- Grand March at Vermillion High School at 7:45 p.m.
- Prom at Vermillion High School from 8:30-11 p.m.

SUNDAY, APRIL 21

- Music Recital: Lee Comp presents his senior voice recital at 4 p.m., Farber Hall located in Old Main on USD campus. Open to the public at no charge.
- Music Recital: USD's Truran Scholars present their bi-annual piano recital at 5 p.m., Colton Recital Hall, Warren M. Lee Center for the Fine Arts on USD campus. Open to the public at no charge.
- Music Recital: Joshua Etherington and Garret Olson present a junior trombone recital at 7:30 p.m., Colton Recital Hall, Warren M. Lee Center for the Fine Arts on USD campus. Open to the public at no charge.

MONDAY, APRIL 22

- USD presents "SWITCH Energy Project," at 7 p.m., Akeley-Lawrence Science Center Room 125. Free and open to the public. Event Web site: <http://www.switchenergyproject.com>. Description: USD and Arcos Films present a FREE screening of Switch, a new award-winning documentary that moves past the politics to deliver the straight answers on energy.
- Kindergarten Concert at 6:30 p.m. at Vermillion High School.
- Music Concert: USD's Rawlins Piano Trio present a spring concert at 7:30 p.m., Colton Recital Hall, Warren M. Lee Center for the Fine Arts on USD campus. Open to the public at no charge. For more information about this amazing trio, visit <http://www.rawlinstrio.com>.
- Al-anon meeting at 7:30 p.m. at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, corner of Main and Linden. For more information, call 624-9764.

TUESDAY, APRIL 23

- First Dakota National Bank, 111 Court St., will be hosting their annual shred day from 11 a.m.-noon. This is a free event to help the Vermillion community and surrounding area to dispose of sensitive materials in a safe manner. We will have a "shred on site" truck in our parking lot along with some helpful ID theft tips. We hope you take advantage of this opportunity brought to you by First Dakota National Bank.

SD accepting ideas for HSC building use

Gov. Dennis Daugaard announced today that the State of South Dakota is accepting proposals through May 31 for development and restoration of certain buildings on the old campus of the Human Services Center in Yankton.

"During the 2013 legislative session, I proposed and the Legislature approved House Bill 1033, which authorizes the state to dismantle, demolish, preserve or rehabilitate buildings on the old Human Services Center campus," the governor said. "The majority of the buildings have been vacant for decades and are in extremely poor condition. However, I wanted to provide one final opportunity for interested parties to submit restoration plans for the

show barn, dairy barn, Herreid building, Mellette building and Ordway building. If we don't receive viable proposals, the only responsible course of action is to demolish them."

State government is working closely with the Yankton Office of Economic Development to solicit financially sustainable proposals for the buildings that would complement economic development priorities of the City of Yankton and the State of South Dakota.

At a minimum, any proposal should adequately address the following criteria:

- Financial sustainability
- Compatible use
- Appropriate liability insurance

- A performance bond, and
- Indemnity

The State of South Dakota will work with any successful bidder regarding easement and platting issues. If no successful proposal is received, the buildings will be listed for future demolition.

Proposals should be submitted to Mike Dellinger at the Yankton Office of Economic Development, 803 East 4th St. in Yankton, or telephone him at (605) 665-9011. Requests to tour the buildings should also be directed to the Yankton Office of Economic Development.

CHAMBER CHAT

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Chamber Business:
 Welding Boot Camp offered beginning April 22 through May 23, 2013 at Vermillion High School. Total of 35-hour course. Class size limited to first 10 applicants. Call VCDC at (605) 624-5571 to register. Tuition: \$250. Sponsored by VCDC, in partnership with Masaba Mining Equipment and the Vermillion School District.

Open house and ribbon-cutting ceremony at Meridian Title of Clay County, 100 E. Main St., is Tuesday, April 23. The open house will be from 5-7 p.m. with the Ribbon Cutting Ceremony at 5:30 p.m. Please join us to welcome Meridian Title to Vermillion, make new contacts, and find out what they have to offer. Refreshments will be served, plus a take-home gift for everyone!

David Owen, president of the South Dakota Chamber of Commerce, will give a legislative session update at the Rotary Club meeting at the Neuharth Media Center on Tuesday, April 30 at noon. Everyone welcome: lunch is \$6.50. Non-Rotary

members please call the VCDC to register (605) 624-5571. Sponsored by the VCDC Legislative Affairs Committee.

Save the date: The 2013 VCDC Annual Golf Social is Monday, June 24 at The Bluffs Golf Course. More information available in the near future.

Business After Hours: Are you looking for an opportunity to showcase your business and network with your peers? Sign up to host a Business After Hours event! These events generally run from 5-7 p.m. on a weeknight and the hosting business provides hors d'oeuvres and refreshments. If interested, please contact Ann at: annb@vermillionchamber.com or at 624-5571.

Announcements:
 "April Showers Bring May Flowers": The Main Street Center Nutrition Board has asked the kitchen staff to compile a "wish list" – another attempt to make the Main Street Center noon meal, "Meals on Wheels" and Town Square program survive. We're asking for your help. It's an "April Shower" of kitchen/office supplies you may donate to help keep expenses down. Thank you for any donation.

Folgers Classic Coffee Regular, laundry detergent and Dawn dish soap, white paper towels, reams of printing paper (8 1/2 by 11),

40-50 gallon garbage bags, first-class stamps, black pepper and HP office jet 4500 ink are among the items being accepted.

Foundation drive begins: The Clay-Union Foundation is in its 16th year as a mentoring program, and has begun several different drives. There are two boys and two girls who would like to have a mentor in Elk Point. Mentors must be at least 18 years old, and will be in the area at least a year. Current EPJ seniors who will be in the area are eligible for mentoring. The volunteers spend two hours per week with their matches, and are able to build a relationship with each other. An application is pending for an adult mentor from Gayville as well.

The program also would like to recruit an educator from EPJ, who is willing to serve on the board of directors. The board reviews applications for mentors, and assists with the scholarship program.

A fund drive has begun to assist with the community service scholarship and community fund. The program will award its second \$500 scholarship later this month. Donations from current and former residents in Clay and Union County are always welcome.

Donations may be sent to John Gille, 31911 3rd Ave., Elk Point, SD, 57025. The scholarship is available to graduating seniors from Elk Point-Jefferson or Vermillion High School, who are pursuing a four-year college education. Donations will help the program continue to offer its scholarship and help local programs in need of assistance, as funds allow. For more information, contact John Gille at (605) 421-5050, or e-mail jjgillerrsd60@yahoo.com.

Meals on Wheels needs your help. Vermillion Meals on Wheels, like other towns participating in the nutrition project of Dakota Senior Meals, is struggling to survive. The state and federal government provide approximately 40 percent of the actual cost to prepare each meal. The rest of the cost comes from local sources. You can help make a difference. Make a donation or enjoy a nutritional, "home-cooked" meal by the Vermillion Dakota Senior Meals at the Main Street Center. Meals can also be delivered to individuals and couples that are unable to leave their home. To make a donation or for more information, call the Nutrition Kitchen at 624-7868.

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RIBBON-CUTTING CELEBRATION



On Tuesday, April 16, 2013, a ribbon cutting was held to celebrate Classic Hits 106.3 and ESPN Radio 1570 – Five Star Communications, new location at 18 East Main St., Suite 1 in Vermillion.

Classic Hits 106.3 and ESPN Radio 1570 is your local resource for news, weather and sports. This is coupled with daily entertainment and popular formatting to give you two leading radio stations in the tri-state area.

Their hours are Monday through Friday from 8-10 a.m. and 3-5 p.m. They can be reached at 605-658-2001 or at www.kvht.com and www.kvtk.com.

Owner Jeff Fuller and Manager Simon Fuller would love for you to stop in and say hello.