## **CHAMBER CHAT**

Vermillion Area **Chamber of Commerce** & Development Company 116 Market Street, Suite 103 Vermillion, SD 57069 605-624-5571

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#### **Chamber Business:**

Tuesday, August 7 **Business After Hours** hosted by Builders Choice (BCI), 1212 North Norbeck Street, is Tuesday, August 7th from 5:00 to 7:00 pm. Tours of the BCI facility will be given. Please join us to make new contacts, socialize, and find out what Builders Choice has to offer! Appetizers and refreshments will be served.

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 5:00-7:00 pm on a weeknight and the hosting business provides hors d'oeuvres and refreshments. If interested, please contact Ann at: annb@vermillionchamber.c om or at 624-5571.

## This Week's Happenings:

Announcement: "Round Up For Your Community" round up your monthly city utility bill to the next dollar & make a BIG impact on your community for years to come. Contributions from this program are invested by the Vermillion Area Community Foundation & help fund projects that benefit residents of all ages & enhance the Vermillion community. Qualified organizations with a project in mind can apply for funding. To sign up for the "Round Up" program, visit http://vermillion.sdcommun ityfoundation.org, the City's website: www.vermillion.us, or pick up a form at the Vermillion Area Chamber & Dev. Co., 116 Market St. or the City Finance Office, 25 Center St.

Tuesday, August 7 \*Vermillion Rotary Club Meeting, Tues., August 7 from 12:00-1:00 pm in the Freedom Forum Conference Room of the Al Neuharth Media Center.

> Wednesday, August 8 \*At Sanford Health we

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celebrate the energy of the communities we serve. So we're serving up some fellowship & fun to show our appreciation. Sanford Vermillion invites you to join the community celebration, Wed., Aug. 8 from 5-7:00 pm at Vermillion High School. Join us for a picnic meal & DQ Dilly bars. Stop by to check out Ameri-heart, a gigantic heart display that people can walk through to better understand the anatomy of the heart & heart disease. Bring your friends. Bring your family. Our treat.

Thursday, August 9... \*Vermillion Area Farmers Market, Thurs., Aug. 9 from 3:00-7:00 pm at

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the Clay County Fairgrounds.

\*The Main Street Center will be hosting their annual Ice Cream Social on Thurs., Aug. 9. Serving will be from 5:15 pm - 6:30 pm. The menu includes sandwiches, chips, homemade desserts, ice cream, with tea, lemonade, and coffee. This event is open to the public.

\*"Thursdays On The Platz" in downtown Vermillion, corner of Market & Main St., Thurs., Aug. 9 from 6:00-8:00 pm--

sponsored by The Coffee Cup Fuel Stop. Live music outdoors on Ratingen Platz featuring "The Public Domain Tune Band." Food is available at every event, as

well as water, pop, wine & beer. Food provided by Aramark on Aug. 9. It's a great chance to sit outdoors with friends & family, listen to music, & enjoy the great outdoors. Bring the family, have some food & enjoy some local entertainment.

\*Clay County Fair, Thurs., Aug. 9-11 at Clay County Fairgrounds. Demo Derby, ATV Races, Kids Rodeo, Fair Princess, Chainsaw, 5k Run, Inflatables and much more. Visit www.claycountyfair.net for

more information. Saturday, August 11 \*Vermillion Area

Farmers Market, Sat., Aug.11 from 9:00-12:00 pm, downtown Vermillion at the Platz, Market & Main St.

\*Overeaters Anonymous: Sat., Aug. 11 @ 9:00 am. Location: Sanford Vermillion Medical Center, 20 S Plum St.,

Administration entrance just south of the hospital entrance in the board room. Description: Overeaters Anonymous is a 12 step program for people with eating disorders and struggles.

\* Louise Lyman of Yankton, SD will exhibit a series of paintings entitled "Natures Treasures" at the W. H. Over Museum at 1110 University Street, Vermillion during the month of August 2012. Artist reception will be held at the Museum on Aug. 11 from 5:00 pm- 7:00 pm or visit the gallery showing during the museums regular hours 10-4 Mon. thru Sat.

**Upcoming Events - Mark** Your Calendars!:

Thursday, August 16 \*Cancer Support Group will meet Thurs., Aug. 16 (moved from 2nd Thurs. to 3rd Thurs. for month of Aug.) @ 2:30 pm in the Sletwold Room at Trinity Lutheran Church, 816 E. Clark. For more information, call Marcy at 624-8706.

Saturday, August 18 \* Heritage Bike Ride, Sat., Aug. 18 starting from Immanuel Lutheran Church in Elk Point located just off exit 18 on I-29. 15th annual fundraiser for Youth Mentoring Program in Clay & Union County. Registration starts at 8 am; riders leave at 9 am. Routes range from 8 -58+ miles. Riders go at their own pace. Free snacks and beverages are provided on the routes, and sag vehicles are out until every rider returns. Lunch served at Immanuel Lutheran Church from 10:30 am to 3 pm & is open to the public. Registration forms available at http://www.clayunionfoundation.org/

under events, and also at

information, contact John

Gille (guy-lee) at 605-421-

jgille60@yahoo.com All

riding sites. For more

5050 or email

many area businesses,& bike

riders must have helmets; walk-ins are always welcome.

Monday, August 20 5th annual Hy-Vee Scramble for SESDAC at the Bluff's Golf Course on August 20. Registration and Team Photos from 12:00-12:45pm with golf starting at 1:00 pm. Prime Rib Dinner and program to follow. For registration and information contact Gerry Tracy at 605-624-4419 or

gerry.tracy@sesdac.org. Wednesday, August 22

First day of school for Vermillion Public Schools

Thursday, August 23 \*The Department of Labor and Regulation will be holding a Job Search Assistance Program (JSAP) Thurs., Aug. 23 at 1024 West Cherry St. from 9 am-3 pm. The JSAP is designed to assist and train job seekers on how to find and secure employment. Some of the topics included are job search and retention skills, networking, the hidden job market, resumes, applications, and proper interview techniques. It is provided at no charge and open to the public. Parties interested in attending should register by calling (605) 677-6900, by Tues., Aug. 21st, before 5:00 p.m. For more information, visit www.sdjobs.org.

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