## **CHAMBER CHAT**

### **Chamber Business:**

Wednesday, September 3 Ribbon cutting and dedication planned at a lawn party for the rebuilt replica of the first permanent school house in Dakota Territory, Wed., Sept. 3 from 4:00-7:00 pm marking the 150th anniversary of the original building. Ribbon cutting & short program will be held at 5:15 pm. In the tradition of Pansy Whittemore's birthday parties, sugar cookies & lemonade will be served. Tours of the log school as well as the home will be available. All activities will be held on the Austin-Whittemore House grounds at 15 Austin Avenue in

Vermillion. 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.co

#### m or at 624-5571. **Announcements:**

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## This Week's Happenings:

Thursday, August 7 - 9 Clay County Fair, Thurs.-Sat., Aug., /-9. Inflatables, music, kids tractor pull, demo derby, ranch rodeo and more. For more information, visit: claycountyfair.net

Saturday, August 9 Vermillion Area Farmers Market, Sat., Aug. 9, 9:00-

12:00 pm at Ratingen Platz, downtown Vermillion, corner of Market & Main St. For more information, call 605-659-3399 or e-mail: VAFarmersMarket@gmail.co

Overeaters Anonymous: Sat., Aug. 9 @ 9:00 am. . Location: Newman Center -USD Campus, 320 East Cherry – across from the MUC at the corner of Rose & Cherry Streets. (West Door straight through double glass doors on left & first door on left; North Door- down hall to left & first door on left). Description: Overeaters Anonymous is a 12 step program for people with eating disorders and struggles.

## **Next Week's Happenings:**

Sunday, August 10 East River & Missouri Valley Bluegrass Music Assn.to feature "Monthly Open Jam", Sun., Aug. 10, 1:00-6:00 pm at Washington Street Arts Center, 202 Washington St. All levels welcome-open to pickers & listeners. Event is free & open to the public. For more information, call 1-877-621-4118 (toll free)

Monday, August 11 Hy-Vee 7th Annual Scramble for SESDAC, Mon., Aug. 11 at The Bluffs. Sign up at The Bluffs for the 4-Person Scramble, 605-677-

Al-anon meeting, Mon., Aug. 11 @ 7:30 pm at St. Paul's Episcopal Church. For more information, call 624-9764.

Tuesday, Aug. 12 Vermillion Rotary club meeting, Tues., Aug.12 from 12:00-1:00 pm in the Al Neuharth Media Center conference room. For more information, visit: www.vermillionrotaryclub.or

Wednesday, August 13 Dakota Hospital Foundation and Sanford Vermillion invite the public to a Community Celebration, Wed., Aug. 13 from 5-7 pm at Vermillion High School Commons, 1001 E. Main St. Bring the entire family for a picnic meal, ice cream and more! For more information, call 605-638-8465.

Thursday, August 14 Vermillion Area Farmers Market, Thurs., Aug. 14, 3:00-7:00 pm at Clay Cou Fairgrounds. For more information, call 605-659-3399 or e-mail: VAFarmersMarket@gmail.co

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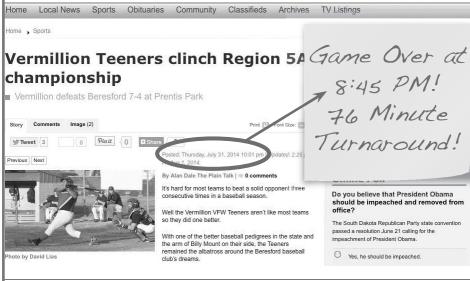
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