

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

FRIDAY, JAN. 25

- TBA-Debate: Yankton (T)
- Brown Bag Lunch Program featuring USD Music Student Showcase at 12:05 p.m. at the National Music Museum located on USD campus, corner of Clark and Yale streets. Free and open to the public.
- Bowling: Sioux Falls Washington at 4 p.m. (H)
- Girls Basketball vs. Canton at 5 p.m. (H)

SATURDAY, JAN. 26

- Overeaters Anonymous at 9 a.m. at 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.
- Wrestling: Wagner at 10 a.m. (T)
- TBA-Show Choir at Omaha, NE
- TBA-All State Band Auditions at Sioux Falls
- TBA-Debate: Yankton (T)
- USD women's and men's swimming/diving host University of North Dakota at the DakotaDome at 1 p.m.
- Katie Pacza, soprano, presents her graduate voice recital at 7 p.m. in Colton Recital Hall located in Warren M. Lee Center for the Fine Arts on USD campus. Open to the public at no charge.
- "Speakeasy Party" at the Eagles, 114 W. Main St., from 7-11 p.m. Live music from the '20s, '30s and '40s. Come dressed as your favorite gangster or flapper from the 1920s. Prizes awarded for the Best-Dressed Gangster and Best-Dressed Flapper. Fundraiser for: Domestic Violence Safe Options Services, Dare Program and other FOE charities.

SUNDAY, JAN. 27

- The St. Agnes Council of the Knights of Columbus is having its free-throw contest at 1 p.m. at the Vermillion High School Gym. This free-throw contest is for boys and girls ages 10-14 years old. First-place winners in each age group will receive a T-shirt. For more information, contact Ray Hofman at 624-6457.
- The Yankton Area Literacy Council will be holding the third annual Scrabble Tournament at The Center, 900 Whiting Dr., Yankton. Registration is at 12:30 p.m. and the game will run from 1-4 p.m.
- Cody Perk, baritone, presents his senior voice recital at 7 p.m. in Colton Recital Hall located in Warren M. Lee Center for the Fine Arts on USD campus. Open to the public at no charge.

MONDAY, JAN. 28

- Wrestling: Beresford at 5:30 p.m. (T)
- Gymnastics: Wagner at 6 p.m. (T)
- Quad State Honor Band in Slagle Hall AalFs Auditorium on USD campus at 7 p.m.
- 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, JAN. 29

- Vermillion Rotary Club meeting from noon-1 p.m. in the Freedom Forum Conference Room of the Al Neuharth Media Center.

PLANNING AHEAD:

- FEB. 1 – Brown Bag Lunch Program featuring Mat D, singer and guitarist from Sioux City at 12:05 p.m. at the National Music Museum located on USD campus, corner of Clark and Yale streets. Free and open to the public.
- FEB. 1 – Hospital Auxiliary meeting at Sanford Vermillion Boardroom, 20 S. Plum (administrative entrance) at 1:30 p.m. New members are always needed.
- FEB. 2 – Community Health and Wellness Fair from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. at the Lee Medicine Building, Clark and Dakota streets on USD campus. Sponsored by Sanford Vermillion in partnership with USD Health Sciences departments and School of Medicine. Heart screening, blood draw screenings, speakers, demonstrations and more. (Appointments required for heart screenings). Call 624-2611 or visit sanfordvermillion.org for complete schedule of events and heart screening cost.
- FEB. 2 – Overeaters Anonymous at 9 a.m. at Sanford Vermillion Medical Center, 20 S. Plum St., administration entrance.
- FEB. 5 – After-Prom Fundraiser/Dad's Belgian Waffles from 5-7 p.m. at Vermillion High School Commons. Adults \$6 advance/\$7 at door; kids 6-12 \$4 advance/\$5 at door; 5 and younger-fee. Advance tickets available at all home sporting events, VHS office, Davis Pharmacy.
- FEB. 7 – Vermillion Lions Club meeting at the W. H. Over Museum in Sletword Hall at 6 p.m.
- FEB. 9 – Heartland Humane Society to host a meet-and-greet from 10 a.m.-1 p.m. at the Yankton Bomgaars, 2300 Broadway Ave. If interested in adopting an animal, applications are available at the shelter, 601 1/2 Burleigh St., Yankton or visit www.heartlandhumanesociety.net. For more information, call (605) 664-4244.

Empowering Women seminar Feb. 5

During the month of February, women from the Vermillion area are welcome to the Washington Street Arts Council building in Vermillion on the corner of Washington and Cedar Streets for a special series focusing on women's well-being. Grace Freeman, a nurse and Farmer's Market gardener, has developed four classes to help women feel empowered in their daily lives. The classes run one hour, from 7 to 8 p.m., with registration at 6:30 p.m. each Tuesday evening, and are meant as an introduction to each topic.

Beginning Feb. 5 at 7 p.m., the class entitled "Feeling Safe" will be taught with Detective Hower from the Vermillion Police Department. The class emphasizes preventative measures along with a few simple active measures in women's self-defense. Women will be encouraged to lead full and active lives and to be aware of possible vulnerabilities as well. The hope is women will develop an awareness of ways to avoid uncomfortable situations and leave the class with a few basic physical measures of self-defense. As a community, if we want to pursue this topic as a longer series itself, we can start that conversation. This class as well as the other three classes are brief introductions to ideas that may enhance the quality of our lives.

Febr. 12 is also Mardi Gras and the series will continue with the class, "Feeling Happy." Grace

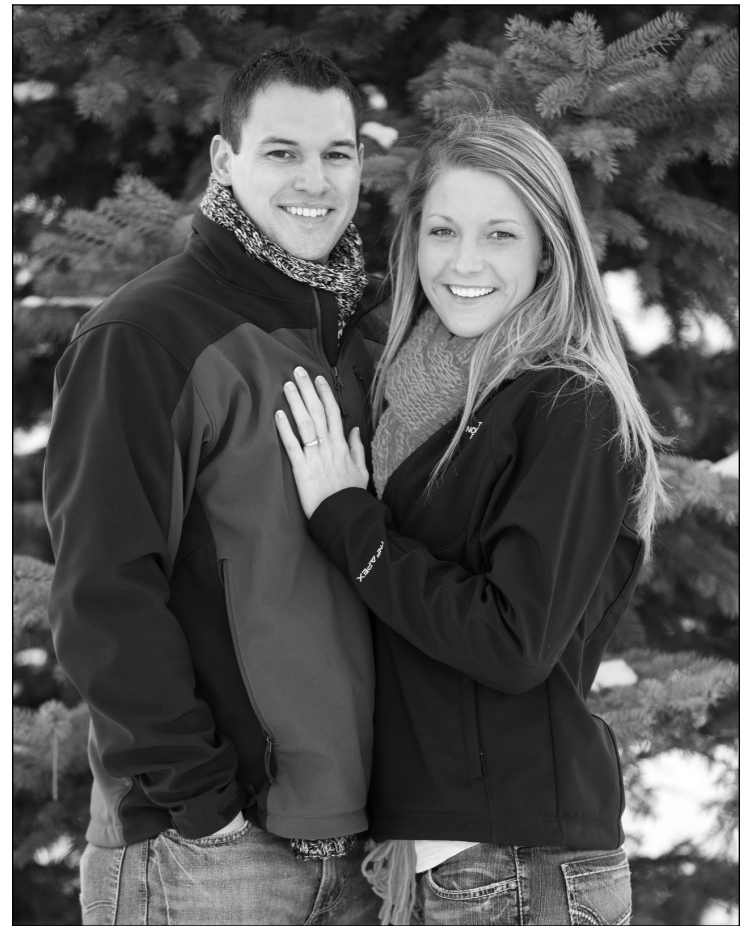
will teach the "basic step" in various international dance styles. Grace has been assisting in clog dancing instruction in Vermillion over the last four years. Salsa, Bollywood, Hula, West African, Native American, and Clog dancing steps will be introduced. Every step will be accompanied by lively music from each culture. Be ready for an evening of great fun!

Feb. 19 will bring Grace's Farmer's Market business called Prairie Moon Herbs into a class called, "Feeling Beautiful." We will all get to do a basic herbal facial and discuss natural beauty techniques.

Feb. 26, the last class, is entitled, "Feeling Good." Grace will discuss general good nutrition. Herbal tonics and food as medicine will be the focus of the discussion.

The class size is limited and pre-registration via e-mail or phone call is encouraged. Classes can be attended individually or as a series. Cost is \$7/class or \$25/series. If you are a member of the Vermillion Area Arts Council (VAAC) the cost is discounted to \$20/series. Information on becoming a member of VAAC is available through their website, vermillionareaartscouncil.blogspot.com, and will also be available at registration the day of the class. To pre-register or for more information, please call or e-mail Grace Freeman at 624-5369 or gracefreeman@live.com.

ENGAGEMENTS



Crystal Schiernbeck and Benjamin Oberle

Crystal M. Schiernbeck and Benjamin C. Oberle, both of Wichita, KS, announce their engagement.

Crystal is the daughter of Dale and Shelly Schiernbeck, Ida Grove, IA. Ben is the son of Rodney and Susan Oberle, Vermillion.

The bride-to-be received her bachelor of science degree in 2011 from the University of South Dakota. She is currently enrolled at Wichita State University, completing her Masters of Physician's Assistant program with an expected May 2013 graduation.

The future groom is a 2005 graduate of Vermillion High School. In 2010, he received his bachelor of science degree and in 2012 his Masters of Public Administration degree from the University of South Dakota. He currently is administrator of the Via Christi Village Ridge Assisted Living Facility in Wichita, KS.

The couple will exchange vows September 2013 in Ida Grove, IA.

CHAMBER CHAT

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Chamber Business:

Cracker barrel sessions with our legislators will be Saturday, Feb. 2 and Saturday, March 2. Both sessions will take place from 10 a.m.-noon at the City Hall Council Chambers at 25 Center St. join District 17 legislators, Sen. Tom Jones and House representatives Nancy Rasmussen and Ray Ring for an update on the 88th Legislative Session. Open to the public and everyone is encouraged to join us for some great discussion. Refreshments will be served. Sponsored by the VFW Auxiliary, Clay County Democrats, Clay County Republicans, and the VCDC Legislative Affairs Committee.

Business After Hours and ribbon-cutting celebration at HeartPrint Home Care, 2610 E. SD Highway 50 (across the Highway from New 2 You), is Wednesday, Feb. 13. Business After Hours will be from 5-7 p.m. with the Ribbon Cutting

Ceremony at 5:30 p.m. join us to help HeartPrint Home Care celebrate their new location, make new contacts, socialize, and find out what they have to offer. Appetizers and refreshments will be served, plus a take-home gift for everyone.

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, contact Ann at: annb@vermillionchamber.com or at 624-5571.

Announcements:

The City of Vermillion is hosting a Citizens Academy in spring 2013 for citizens over the age of 18. The Citizens Academy is a free, hands-on, interactive public information program that allows citizens an insight into city services and the functions of city departments. Applications are available at City Hall or online at www.vermillion.us. Vermillion residents are given first consideration. Class size is limited to 20 participants.

The Clay-Union Foundation is

offering a \$500 community service scholarship to graduating seniors from Vermillion or Elk Point-Jefferson High School. Applications are available at <http://www.clay-unionfoundation.org/> under the events tab. Students will be able to fill out the application online, and e-mail it directly for consideration. Applications will be accepted until March 1, and then reviewed by the board. Awards will be announced at their school awards night, with the scholarship given in January of their second semester. For further information, call John Gille at (605) 421-5050 or e-mail jgillersd60@yahoo.com.

Are you interested in an intern for your business? USD students are eager to gain real-world work experience with you. Internships

can be paid or unpaid and students can gain college credit for their experience with you. If you are interested in accepting interns at your business, contact Carly at Carly.Heard@usd.edu.

Exhibition: "Picturing Native: photographs from Edward Curtis, Horace Poolaw, and Zig Jackson" at John A. Day Gallery located in Warren M. Lee Center for the Fine Arts on USD campus. On display through end of January.

DavidArtCompany Presents: Detroit Anthology, an exhibition of prints by Jay Wallace now through Feb. 22. Hosted by Cafe Brule, 24 W. Main St. For more information, contact michele4csg@yahoo.com or visit meruscreative.com to see more artwork by Jay Wallace.

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