

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

SATURDAY, JUNE 8

- Vermillion Area Farmers Market at Ratingen Platz, corner of Market and Main St., 9 a.m.-noon. For more information call (605) 659-3399 or e-mail VAFarmersMarket@gmail.com.
- Overeaters Anonymous 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.
- Gayville Hall's musical variety show features "The Hay Country Jamboree" starring Dan Kilbride, Good People, Danny Santos with Wes Green at 8 p.m., Gayville, 502 Washington St. For reservations, call (605) 267-2859.

SUNDAY, JUNE 9

- Pancake Sunday at the Main Street Center, 320 W. Main St. from 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Pancakes, sausages, coffee, orange drink prepared by the Senior Men of the Center. Open to the public. Suggested donation: \$5.
- East River and Missouri Valley Bluegrass Music Association to feature "Monthly Open Jam," (second Sunday of each month), from 1-6 p.m. at Washington St. Arts Center, 202 Washington St. All levels welcome-open to pickers and listeners. Event is free and open to the public. For more information, call (877) 621-4118.

MONDAY, JUNE 10

- 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, JUNE 11

- Vermillion Rotary Club meeting from noon-1 p.m. in the Freedom Forum Conference Room of the Al Neuharth Media Center. For more information, visit www.vermillionrotaryclub.org.
- American Legion Wallace Post and Auxiliary meeting at 7 p.m. at the Main Street Center, 320 W. Main St.

THURSDAY, JUNE 13

- Vermillion Area Farmers Market at the Clay County Fairgrounds from 3-7 p.m. For more information call (605) 659-3399 or e-mail VAFarmersMarket@gmail.com.
- An evening of Bluegrass Music with David Davis and the Warrior River Boys at 7 p.m. at the Washington Street Arts Center, 202 N. Washington St. in Vermillion. \$10 for advance tickets or \$12 at the door. Call for advance tickets at (877) 621-4118. Sponsored by The East River and Missouri Valley Bluegrass Music Association and the Vermillion Area Arts Council.

PLANNING AHEAD:

- JUNE 14-15 – Shakespeare Festival Arts Workshop for Youth, Friday, June 14 at 1 p.m. and Saturday, June 15 at 4:30 p.m. at Warren M. Lee Center for Fine Arts. Free arts programming for youth. Pre-registration required by e-mailing Company@sdshakespearefestival.org.
- JUNE 15 – Come to the Country for the Westreville Festival Fun Run to be held at the Pleasant Valley Church located at 45918 308th St., Vermillion. The event will kick off at 9 a.m. with a 5K or 10K run, bike or walk. Entry fee includes a t-shirt, pie and refreshments. Participants can also take the "Historic Cemetery Walk" to the Pleasant Valley and Mortvedt cemeteries. Free kids events will begin at 9:30 a.m. The Pleasant Valley ladies will again be providing coffee, pies and other sweets beginning at 9 a.m. in the church basement. Fund raiser for the Irene-Wakonda Scholarship Fund in honor of the Eckert Children and for the Westreville Historical Marker. Contact Grace Freeman at (605) 670-0540, gracefreeman@live.com or visit westrevillefestival.wordpress.com.
- JUNE 15 – Vermillion Area Farmers Market at Ratingen Platz, corner of Market and Main St., from 9 a.m.-noon. For more information call (605) 659-3399 or e-mail VAFarmersMarket@gmail.com.
- JUNE 15 – Overeaters Anonymous 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.
- JUNE 15 – H-Worth Open Memorial Golf Tournament at The Bluffs, 18-hole, four-person scramble starting at 1 p.m. BBQ will be hosted at Bunyan's starting at 6 p.m. along with a fireworks display choreographed with music by Fireworks Unlimited at sundown. This will be our last (and best) H-Worth Open yet.
- JUNE 18 – The public is invited to the Vermillion Skate Park Dedication at Barstow Park at 1:30 p.m. Representatives from Wellmark, who provided donation, will be present at the event. Come on out to celebrate the dedication.
- JUNE 20 – Annual Clay County Historical Society Ice Cream Social at the Eagles. Serving begins at 5 p.m. Taverns, chips, homemade pies and cakes, ice cream, lemonade or coffee. Free will donation of \$6 requested. John McNeil will be the featured entertainment and the Summer Theater will present a short program. Everyone is welcome.
- JUNE 21 – Dalesburg Midsummer Festival at Dalesburg Lutheran Church. The annual celebration of Scandinavian and rural heritage includes a Smorgasbord supper from 4:30-6:30 p.m., musical performances and more. Afternoon program begins at 2 p.m. with Bjarv (three guys from Sweden on keyed-harp, fiddle and guitar), Viking Invasion from 3-7 p.m. and "Fiddler Nelson" at 5 p.m. Evening program begins at 7 p.m. with Sioux Valley Singers and Bjarv and raising of the Midsommar Pole. Visitors welcome—bring lawn chairs. For more information or to purchase smorgasbord tickets (605) 253-2575 or rjohnson@bmtc.net.
- JULY 19-22 – Vermillion Community Theatre presents the original musical "Robin Hood, Spirit of the Greene" at the Vermillion High School Performing Arts Center. Friday, Saturday and Monday performances at 7 p.m. with a Sunday matinee at 2:30 p.m. Visit vermillioncommunitytheatre.org for additional information.

Burbank man to be arraigned on rape charges Tuesday

By Travis Gulbrandson
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An arraignment has been set for 9 a.m. Tuesday for a Burbank man charged with rape, among other offenses.

Joseph T. Night, 63, has been charged with 13 counts of varying severity, including four counts of rape in the first degree, two counts of sexual exploitation of a minor, two counts of sexual contact with a child under the age of 16, two counts of

aggravated incest and one count of simple assault-domestic.

Night also has been charged with interference with emergency communication and intentional damage to property.

Clay County States Attorney Teddi Gertsma said the charges followed a call that was placed Sunday, May 3.

"Law enforcement received a 911 call that an assault was occurring, and when they followed up, (their) investigation led to more charges," Gertsma said.

The charges could land Night some hefty prison time and fines.

According to a press release from the state attorney general's office, Night faces the possibility of receiving life in the state penitentiary for the rape charges alone.

Gertsma said Night has been released on a \$50,000 cash-only bond, and that he must participate in a 24-7 program as a condition of his release.

Night's arraignment will take place at the Clay County Courthouse.

Area students receive SVMC and Dakota Hospital Foundation scholarships

Sanford Vermillion Medical Center (SVMC) and Dakota Hospital Foundation recently awarded \$2,500 in academic scholarships to area students.

Health Career Scholarship
Mariah Larson, 2013 graduate of Vermillion High School, was awarded a Sanford Vermillion Healthcare Career Scholarship in the amount of \$1,000. Larson will be attending the University of South Dakota this fall majoring in nursing/pre-occupational therapy. Mariah is the daughter of Eric and Laurie Larson.

The purpose of the Sanford Vermillion Healthcare Career Scholarship is to identify and retain outstanding Vermillion area students dedicated to furthering their education in a health related occupation at the University of South Dakota.

Employee Dependent Scholarship
Local students Heidi Osterberg and Cassie Waage were each

awarded a 2013 Dakota Hospital Foundation Employee Dependent Scholarship.

Heidi Osterberg, 2013 graduate of Vermillion High School, was awarded a \$500 scholarship. Osterberg plans to attend Oklahoma Wesleyan University this fall majoring in biology/pre-medicine. Heidi is the daughter of Valerie Lubben, chief finance officer at Sanford Vermillion.

Cassie Waage, 2013 graduate of Vermillion High School, was awarded a \$500 scholarship. Waage plans to attend Mitchell Technical Institute pursuing the Radiologic Technology program. Cassie is the daughter of Patty Waage, triage nurse at Sanford Health Vermillion Clinic.

The purpose of the Dakota Hospital Foundation Employee Dependent Scholarship is to identify

outstanding achievement on the part of employees' children who are planning to pursue a post-secondary education in a two or four-year college, university or vocational-technical program.

Hannahs Family Scholarship

University of South Dakota, Occupational Therapy program student Kara Pettit was awarded the 2013 Hannahs Family Scholarship.

A first-year Occupational Therapy student, Kara Pettit graduated from Truman State University in Kirksville, MO, with a BS in biology in 2009. Most recently she lived in Longwood, FL, where she volunteered with AmeriCorps for two years. She graduated high school in Carthage, IL.

The purpose of the Dakota Hospital Foundation Hannahs Family Endowment is to

provide an annual scholarship for students accepted and currently enrolled in the Physical Therapy and Occupational Therapy programs at the University of South Dakota. The scholarship is awarded to a student from the PT or OT programs on a rotating basis.

Wanda Hannahs was an employee of Sanford Vermillion who suffered a spinal cord injury after a car accident that left her quadriplegic. She spoke regularly to USD's OT and PT students about her life, the accident, and the services she received.

Congratulations to all of these deserving scholarship recipients.

To learn more about Sanford Vermillion and Dakota Hospital Foundation, visit www.sanfordvermillion.org.

CHAMBER CHAT

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Chamber Business:

The Vermillion Area Chamber and Development Company (VCDC) Annual Golf Social is Monday, June 24th. The 4-Person Best Ball Scramble Golf Tournament will begin with team sign-in at The Bluffs Golf Course at 11:45 a.m., followed by team pictures. The open format shot gun start will begin at 1 p.m. The buffet dinner will be served at 6 p.m. followed by the golf awards and door prizes. Please call the VCDC office at 624-5571 or e-mail annb@vermillionchamber.com to register your team, be a hole sponsor, or donate a pin or

door prize. Please register soon.

The Vermillion Area Community Foundation is accepting proposals for projects to improve our community. Forms for submitting proposals by groups or organizations are available at the Chamber of Commerce office. While funds available are limited we can fully fund small one time requests or partially fund larger projects. Your annual donations to our Foundation will provide us with increasing funds each year for worthwhile projects.

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:

Douglas Roegiers from Burbank and Vermillion, SD to sing and compete on NBC TV's new talent show, "The Winner Is..." Doug may be appearing along with others on June 10, the half-hour preview promotional session following NBC's "The Voice." Doug will be one of six competitors on Thursday, July 11, when NBC presents the first of 8 shows "The Winner

Is" at 8 p.m. (C). Doug, the son of Chuck and Rosie Roegiers of Burbank, is a crooner living in North Hollywood, CA.

The National Music Museum will have extended hours from 9 a.m.-8 p.m. on Thursdays and Fridays through the summer. We always have Free Friday admission with donations encouraged. Located on corner of Clark and Yale streets.

VHS 20 Year CLASS REUNION


The VHS Class of 1993 will hold its 20-year reunion events on **June 28 and 29**. Community members are welcome to say hello at the Old Lumber Yard Friday night, at a fun run/walk Saturday morning at 8 a.m. at Prentis Park bandshell, or bring a picnic to Prentis Park at noon on Saturday. For class members or faculty wanting to join a dinner Saturday evening, contact ulrich5000@hotmail.com

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at a Community Open House at Yankton Area Senior Citizens Center
900 Whiting Drive, Yankton, SD
on Saturday June 22, 2013
from 12 Noon to 3 P.M.

Her Family Hosts, including snacks, light refreshments, Birthday Cake and Ice Cream, Cake to be cut at 1:00 P.M.



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