

## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

### SATURDAY, JUNE 1

- Vermillion Area Farmers Market at Ratingen Platz, corner of Market and Main streets, 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 south of the hospital entrance in the board room. Overeaters Anonymous is a 12-step program for people with eating disorders and struggles.
- Bikes and Babes Rally4Miracles. A motorcycle-themed event for the entire family. Proceeds benefit Children's Miracle Network. Pre-register online: <https://www.sanfordhealth.org/forms/bikesbabes> or on June 1 from 9-10 a.m. at Vermillion Wal-Mart. Ride leaves at 10 a.m. Registration is \$25-includes T-shirt, poker card and hand, chance for door prizes and admission to the Argus Leader RibFest.

### MONDAY, JUNE 3

- National Music Museum to offer "Summer Explorer Series" to introduce children to the instruments in the collection, June 3-6 for students entering the fourth through sixth grade this fall. For additional information/registration form, e-mail [dreeves@usd.edu](mailto:dreeves@usd.edu) or call 677-5306.
- Summer Food Service Program through Friday, Aug. 2 from 11 a.m. -1 p.m. Closed July 4, 5. Location: Jolley Elementary, 224 S. University. Free lunch service for area children 18 years and under. For additional information call 677-7000.
- 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 4

- 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](http://www.vermillionrotaryclub.org).

### THURSDAY, JUNE 6

- 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.
- Vermillion Lions Club meeting at 6 p.m., W. H. Over Museum in Sletwold Hall.
- Dollar-A-Day Boys: A Musical Tribute to the Civilian Conservation Corps (CCC), 6:30 p.m. at Vermillion Public Library Community Room. Web site: [vermillionpubliclibrary.org](http://vermillionpubliclibrary.org). Bill Jamerson has been researching the CCC since 1992. His programs have been described as a cross between a book talk and a music concert.

### PLANNING AHEAD:

- JUNE 8 - Vermillion Area Farmers Market at Ratingen Platz, corner of Market and Main streets, 9 a.m.-noon. For more information call (605) 659-3399 or e-mail VAFarmersMarket@gmail.com.
- JUNE 8 - Overeaters Anonymous at 9 a.m. Location: Sanford Vermillion Medical Center, 20 S. Plum St., administration entrance south of the hospital entrance in the board room.
- JUNE 8 - 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.
- JUNE 9 - 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.
- JUNE 13 - 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.
- JUNE 15 - Come to the Country for the Westville 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 Mortved 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 Westville Historical Marker. Contact Grace Freeman at: (605) 670-0540, [gracefreeman@live.com](mailto:gracefreeman@live.com) or visit [westvillefestival.wordpress.com](http://westvillefestival.wordpress.com).
- 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 firework display choreographed with music by Fireworks Unlimited at sundown.

# Legion presents school awards

Vermillion American Legion Post #1 announces the students chosen for the 2013 School Awards.

Teachers from each of the elementary schools, St Agnes and middle school select students to receive the American Legion School Awards. Students from each grade are chosen annually for this honor.

In addition to an American Legion School Award certificate, each student receives an American Legion Medal.

Chosen from Austin Elementary were Stephanie Carr and Joaquin Dominquez for the first grade.

Jolley School winners were Sophia Jerke and Seongwoo Kang for the second grade, from the third grade is Bridget

Hulac and Charlie Ward, from the fourth grade Anna Bottesini and Riley Palensky from the fifth grade Cayla Christiansen and Nick Doty.

At the middle school, Sydney Allen and Ryne Whisler represented the sixth grade, Maddie Martinez and Carl Fairholm represented the seventh grade, and Madison Dooley and Colton Rydstrom were the winners from the eighth grade.

St. Agnes School award-winners were Jaymes Drake and Henry Anderson in the first grade, Abby Roob and Jack Freeburg in the second grade, Ava Higman and Drake Moser chosen in grade three, Victoria Havermann and Carter Neilan representing the fourth grade and Brenna Mockler and

Alexis Saunders were the award winners in the fifth grade.

"Students chosen to receive this recognition from the American Legion are students who have demonstrated outstanding development of the qualities of Courage, Honor, Leadership, Patriotism, Scholarship, Honesty, and Service," said Ray Hofman, Legion Americanism officer, "and American Legion Post #1 is proud to recognize these young boys and girls who have been chosen by their teachers to represent their respective grades for the 2012 school year."

Legion members Dick Stensaas, Clinton Meadows and Gene Sanow assisted with the 2013 presentations.

# Hannah Lambertz receives Means Scholarship

Hannah Lambertz is the recipient of a one-time two-year scholarship award, which was created in memory of George and Kay Means, long-time Yankton residents and business owners.

George Means' parents made a life-altering decision when, in 1929, they moved their entire family from Carthage to Yankton so that a daughter, Vera, could attend Yankton College. She fulfilled that wish, as did George when he graduated in 1941 with a major in music.

While attending YC he met Kay Berry, who came from Armour to pursue her own higher education and graduated in 1942, teaching in Norfolk, NE, briefly before marrying George. They joined George's parents in the family-owned dry-cleaning business in Yankton, then in 1956, opened their own family business, George Means Men's Fine Apparel, a downtown destination until 1996.

George was a city councilman and a state legislator, and Kay was a

member of the YC Board of Trustees as well as many other community organizations. Both were highly generous and philanthropic; George passed away in 2008 and Kay in 2012.

In their honor and memory, this scholarship was created.

Hannah Lambertz will be a junior at the University of South Dakota in the fall of 2013. She is pursuing a career in fine arts/performance arts thus meeting the criteria created by the donors of the George and Kay Means Scholarship.

In addition to her academic work, Lambertz is an assistant in the Fine Arts Department of the university during the summer. A multi-talented young lady, she is well-known in the Yankton community for her involvement in high school vocal and instrumental performances as well as her many appearances on the stage of the Lewis & Clark Theatre.

Yankton College is pleased to have facilitated presenting this significant award to a young woman of Lambertz's character and attributes.

## CHAMBER CHAT

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### Chamber Business:

The VCDC is the sponsor for Free Fridays at the National Music Museum throughout the month of May. Wind down after a busy week by touring the galleries of this amazing museum, located here in our own community.

Vermillion Public Library dedication and ribbon-cutting ceremony will be held Saturday, June 1, at 2 p.m. followed by a tour of the library after the ceremony. The public is invited to come and see the addition and wonderful new features of the library. Sen. Tim Johnson will be in attendance.

The Vermillion Area Chamber and Development Company (VCDC) Annual Golf Social is Monday, June 24. 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. Call the VCDC office at 624-5571 or e-mail [annb@vermillionchamber.com](mailto:annb@vermillionchamber.com) to register your team, be a hole sponsor, or donate a pin or door prize. Please register soon.

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](mailto:annb@vermillionchamber.com) or at 624-5571.

### Announcements:

Heartland Humane Society offers May special: Adopt Two Pets for the Price of One. Consider it a "buy one, get one" special during the month of May as approved adopters can adopt two pets and only pay one adoption fee.

"We are offering this special pricing for these pets so more families can add the charm of animals to their lives," said Kerry Schmidt, executive director for HHS.

Anyone interested in adopting is encouraged to fill out an adoption application prior to selecting a pet. For more information on the adoption process or to view our available pets stop by the shelter at 601 1/2 Burleigh Street or go online at [www.heartlandhumanesociety.net](http://www.heartlandhumanesociety.net). Currently 33 cats and 8 dogs will be available for adoption during this event. For additional

information, call (605) 664-4244.

Throughout the month of May, the Vermillion Public Library is hosting Let's Move South Dakota, a traveling hands-on exhibit that will inspire children and families to get active, eat healthy and feel good. Six interactive stations highlight healthy habits so kids and families can learn and have fun at the same time. The stations are based on the action steps of the Let's Move initiative started by First Lady Michelle Obama. Families can work on earning the Presidential Active Lifestyle Award plus by keeping an exercise log for six weeks.

Exhibit coordinator Anne Lewis said, "Our goal is for families to leave the exhibit with a renewed excitement about getting active and eating healthy foods."

The exhibit will be at the library until May 29. The exhibit was brought to Vermillion by the library and a grant from Wal-Mart.

Don't miss Spectacular Saturday in Vermillion. The following events are planned for a fun and busy day:

- Discovery Days in historic Downtown Vermillion from 8

a.m.-2 p.m. On Main Street from Market to Center streets there will be retail specials, food specials and family/kid games/events.

- Rhubarb Days: Contests, prizes, games, quilt display at W.H. Over Museum from 10-11:30 a.m. South Dakota Magazine has dubbed free event the "Pucker Party."

- Second annual Taste and Tour in downtown Vermillion will showcase a dozen businesses and raise funds for the paws at Heartland Humane Society from 6:30-10:30 p.m. Tickets go on sale soon and can be purchased at the shelter, Vermillion Chamber, or Nook 'n Cranny in Vermillion. Food, beverages, sale items and much more. Each location offers a chance to win a raffle prize. For a full list of what is happening, check out the events tab at [www.heartlandhumanesociety.net](http://www.heartlandhumanesociety.net).

June's Free Friday Sponsor at the National Music Museum (NMM) will be First Dakota National Bank. The NMM is located on The University of South Dakota campus, corner of Clark and Yale Streets. Hours: Monday-Wednesday and Saturday 9-5 p.m. Thursday and Friday 9 a.m.-8 p.m. (during the summer). Sunday 2-5 p.m.

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**From The Family of Stan Woods**

We wish we could thank every one of you personally but unfortunately we cannot. We have shared smiles, laughter, tears, hugs and with out you this would be harder. Your kind words and stories are helping us through this difficult time. Stan/Dad/Grandpa is deeply missed!

We would like to thank everyone for the cards, flowers, food, memorials and just being their for us. The outpouring of support has been tremendous and has left us speechless. Words can't express how much we appreciate what everyone has done for us. The Lord has truly blessed us.

We would like to personally thank the staff of the Yankton Medical Clinic, Avera Sacred Heart Hospital and ICU department; Kevin Opsahl and the staff of Opsahl-Kostel Funeral Home; and Pastor David Gunderson and Steve Weispennig of St. Johns Lutheran Church.

Again, thank you!

*Shirley, Todd & Joleen, Trevor & Amanda, Savannah, Isiah, Lucas, Olivia & Alexis*

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**Wish Gladys Ryken a Happy 90th Birthday!**

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.

**Congratulations To Our 2012-2013 Scholarship Winners**

**Vermillion High School**

**Ellen Hanson \$1,000 Winner**  
 Ellen will be attending Mount Marty College in the fall

**Cassie Waage \$500 Winner**  
 Cassie will be attending Mitchell Technical Institute in the fall

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