

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14

• National Music Museum (NMM) Brown Bag Lunch Program, "Celebrating Life Through Story & Song," featuring Jerome Kills Small, traditional Oglala Sioux storyteller, oral historian and drum maker, 12:05 p.m. in the Arne B. Larson Concert Hall at the NMM located on USD campus, corner of Clark & Yale St. Free and open to the public.

• Music Recital: Weaver Guest Violinist, Anna Vayman, 7:30 p.m. in Colton Recital Hall located in Warren M. Lee Center for the Fine Arts on USD campus.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15

• Overeaters Anonymous, 9 a.m., at Sanford Vermillion Hospital, 20 S. Plum - Administration entrance just south of the hospital entrance in the small conference room.

• Music at Gayville Hall, "A Celebration of Hank Williams," 8 p.m. in Gayville, 502 Washington St. Call 605-267-2859 for more ticket information.

• Quad State Marching Field Competition at USD.
• Sioux Falls Lincoln Patriot Oral Interp Tournament in Sioux Falls.
• Meet & Greet hosted by Heartland Humane Society (HHS), 10 a.m.-1 p.m. at the 4-H Grounds Alcoa Arena, 700 Whiting Drive, Yankton. Animals will be available for adoption and the dogs and puppies from foster care will be available to meet as well. HHS is at full capacity with cats and kittens. For more information, call 664-4244 or e-mail: hhs@midconetwork.com. To view current animals up for adoption, stop at the shelter located at 601 1/2 Burleigh in Yankton or go to www.heartlandhumaneociety.net.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16

• Fall Festival at St. Agnes Parish with roast turkey dinner served from 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Raffles begin at 1 p.m. Lots of fun kids games.

• Junior Voice Recital featuring Amanda Rich, 7 p.m. in Colton Recital Hall in the Warren M. Lee Center for Fine Arts on USD campus. Open to the public at no charge.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 17

• Al-anon meeting, 7:30 p.m. at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, corner of Main & Linden. For more information, call 624-9764.

• Flu shot clinic, 7:30-9 a.m. at Sanford Vermillion main lobby, 20 S. Plum St. Vaccine is \$20; Mist is \$25. Free for youth age 6 month through 18 years of age (provided at no cost to this age group by the State of S.D.). Sponsored by Sanford Vermillion.

• Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI), "Shakespeare's Henry the Fifth," course with USD English Dept., 3-5 p.m. at the W.H. Over Museum, Sletwold Hall. Limit 30. Call 605-367-5226 or visit <https://www.ollui.org> for more information.

• A Candle Light Vigil remembering individuals and families who suffer domestic abuse and those who were killed by an intimate partner will be held at 6:30 p.m. at USD School of Law. A panel discussion featuring survivors of domestic violence and members from the legal community will be in the courtroom of the law school immediately following the vigil. Sponsored by Domestic Violence Safe Options Services. Event is free and open to the public.

• Apple Polishing Concert: The Pride of Vermillion Marching Band and the VHS Concer Choirs present the Apple Polishing Concert at 7:30 p.m. at the VHS Auditorium. Free and open to the public. Donations accepted for delicious apple dessert, cider and fall treats. Dessert sales start at 6:30 p.m. Sponsored by the Vermillion Music Boosters.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 18

• Vermillion Rotary Club Meeting, Noon-1 p.m., in the Freedom Forum Conference Room of the Al Neuharth Media Center.

• Classes in Drawing, Painting & Printmaking for children K-6, 4:15-5:15 p.m. at Washington Street Arts Center. Emphasis on the fundamentals of art form composition and color. For more information, contact Nancy Losacker (nlosacker@gmail.com), 605-659-5632 or Beth Knedler (bethsam@hotmail.com), 605-670-7940.

• Flu shot clinic, 4-6 p.m. at Sanford Vermillion main lobby, 20 S. Plum St. Vaccine is \$20; Mist is \$25. Free for youth age 6 month through 18 years of age (provided at no cost to this age group by the State of S.D.). Sponsored by Sanford Vermillion.

• Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI): "The Greatest Pop Hits of the 18th Century England," with Mary Vickrey. Classes held Tuesdays through Nov. 8, 1-3 p.m. at W. H. Over Museum, Sletwold Hall. (Limit 20). Call 605-367-5226 or visit <https://www.ollui.org> for more information.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19

• Grief Support Group sponsored by Sanford Health, 5:30-7 p.m. Wednesdays through Oct. 26 in Sanford Vermillion Hospital Boardroom. Open to community members at no charge. To register or for more information, call Julie Harding, 605-638-8484.

• "The Pillars of the Earth Movie Part 1 of 4," will be shown from 7-8:45 p.m. in the Community Room of the Vermillion Public Library. This epic of kings and peasants centers on the building of a magnificent church in 12th century England. Copies of the book are available at the Circulation Desk. Bergen Peterson, adjunct professor for USD Beacom School of Business will be facilitating this discussion from 6-8 p.m. Nov. 17.

• Lions Pancake Days, serving 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. and 5-7 p.m. at the National Gaurd Armory. Proceeds support community projects and people. Cost is \$4 advance and \$5 at the door; age 8 and under eat free.

• Preservation Wednesday featuring Nick Willan, Tai Chi, at 7 p.m. at the Vermillion Area Chamber of Commerce & Development Company, 116 Market St. Sponsored by The Clay County Historic Preservation Commission & the Clay County Historical Society. Free and open to the public.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20

• The Roadhouse, 911 E. Cherry St., will be hosting the Ed Meierkorf/Touchdown Club, from noon-1 p.m. Ed, along with his staff, will show highlights from the previous week along with insights into the upcoming week's games. Event will run every Thursday during the USD Football season. Everyone is welcome!

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• Vermillion Area Farmer's Market, 3-7 p.m. at the Clay County Fairgrounds.
• Annual Joseph H. Cash Memorial Lecture featuring Marcus Briggs-Cloud who is Miccosukke of the Great Maskoke Nation of Florida and is son of the Wind Clan people and grandson of the Bird Clan people, 7 p.m. in Farber Hall. Hosted by Department of Native Studies.

PLANNING AHEAD:

• OCT. 21 — Flu shot clinic, 11 a.m.-1p.m. at Vermillion Credit Union, 105 E. Cherry. Vaccine is \$20; Mist is \$25. Free for youth age 6 month through 18 years of age (provided at no cost to this age group by the State of S.D.). Sponsored by Sanford Vermillion.

• OCT. 21 — National Music Museum (NMM) Brown Bag Lunch Program, 12:05 p.m. "Beyond Scarlatti II: Spanish Keyboard Music from the 18th and 19th Centuries," Susanne Skymm, professor of piano at USD. October Free Fridays and Brown Bag Lunch Programs sponsored by Vermillion Area Chamber & Development Co. Location: Arne B. Larson Concert Hall at the NMM located on the USD campus, corner of Clark & Yale streets. Free and open to the public.

• OCT. 21-22 — Grand Re-opening celebration at DakotaPC Warehouse, to celebrate their recent expansion. Everyone is invited to the FREE hog roast from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. and 4-7 p.m. Oct. 21. The expansion's ribbon cutting will be at 2 p.m. Daily specials will be offered on both Friday and Saturday.

• OCT. 22 — Clay County Park to host second annual Halloween Party (weather permitting) at Clay County Park. Bring a camper or tent and decorate a campsite for prizes.

• OCT. 22 — Fun and games will be held from 1-4 p.m. in the Community Room of the Vermillion Public Library. Adults and youth ages 12 and up will play board games and put jigsaw puzzles together. Drinks and snacks will be provided.

• OCT. 22 — Overeaters Anonymous, 9 a.m., at Sanford Vermillion Hospital, 20 S. Plum — Administration entrance just south of the hospital entrance in the small conference room.

• OCT. 22 — Vermillion Farmer's Market to host its annual Harvest Dinner to celebrate a successful season, a fruitful harvest and to thank all their vendors, customers and the community. The poluck dinner will be from 5:30-8 p.m. at the National Guard Armory (603 Princeton St.). Bring a dish to share (preferably with local foods). If you don't have a dish, please bring a donation to the market or food for the Food Pantry.

• OCT. 23 — Vermillion's Biggest Baby Shower, 3 p.m. at the Public Library. All moms pregnant or having kids up to 1 year of age are welcome to come. We will have games, food and baby items. Sponsored by Faith Fellowship Church.

Does your business or organization have an event you would like included in the Community Calendar? If you do please call the Vermillion Area Chamber of Commerce and Development Company at 605-624-5571 or e-mail vcdd@vermillionchamber.com or contact the Plain Talk at 605-624-2695 or e-mail david.lias@plaintalk.net.

Vermillion police investigate assault

A 20-year-old man was transported to a Sioux Falls hospital for injuries he apparently received after an assault this past weekend.

Medical units found the man stumbling down the sidewalk on the 300 block of east Main Street just after midnight on Oct. 9.

Bleeding from wounds to his neck and face, the man was taken to Sanford Vermillion and later transported to Sioux Falls. He is reported to be stable and recovering.

The Vermillion Police Department currently is investigating the apparent assault.

Career and Graduate School Fair is Oct. 27

The University of South Dakota Academic and Career Planning Center is hosting a Career and Graduate School Fair from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 27 at the ballroom of the Muenster University Center.

The fifth annual Career and Graduate School Fair is open to USD students and the general public. Part-time and full-time job opportunities, internships and graduate school programs will be featured along with the opportunity to network with representatives from regional businesses and industries.

For students, the Career and Graduate School Fair presents an opportunity to engage businesses and organizations, and explore career-development possibilities as more than 50

employers are scheduled to participate. Registered businesses include Avera McKennan Hospital and University Health Center, Bankers Life and Casualty, Good Samaritan Society, Kraft Foods, Polaris, South Dakota Public Broadcasting and more.

Located within the Academic Commons of the I.D. Weeks Library on the USD campus, the Academic and Career Planning Center is available year round for students to assist them with career and academic planning, employment strategies and graduate school applications. The department also assists students with internships and part-time jobs. For more information, please call (605) 677-5381 or visit them on the Web at www.usd.edu/advising.

New games at library's fun & games

If you're looking for some exciting entertainment this fall, there will be afternoons of fun and games in the Community Room of the Vermillion Public Library from 1 to 4 p.m. on the following Saturdays: Oct. 22 and Nov. 19 from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Engage in mental stimulation by playing board games and putting jigsaw puzzles together.

During each Fun & Games, the library will introduce a new game that has been added to their

game collection. October will feature Bananagrams, a fast-paced, word-creating game. Bunto, a popular dice game will be introduced in November.

Anyone ages 12 and up is invited to attend this activity. There will be a wide variety of challenging and interesting games and puzzles available. Drinks and snacks will be provided. For more information about this enjoyable event, call the library at 677-7060 or e-mail vp@sdln.net.

CHAMBER CHAT

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Chamber Business:

The Vermillion Area Chamber & Development Company is pleased to announce our sponsorship of Free Fridays & Brown Bag Lunch Programs at the National Music Museum (NMM) during the month of October. We encourage you and your friends to take this opportunity to enjoy these excellent musical performances. The programs run from 12:05 to 12:55 p.m. in the National Music Museum's Arne B. Larson Concert Hall and are free and open to the public. (Event listings follow below) The NMM is located on the USD campus, corner of Clark and Yale Street.

Please join the VCDC Ambassadors for Dakota PC Warehouse expansion Ribbon Cutting on Friday, Oct. 21 at 2 p.m. at 1216 E Cherry St.

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 to 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.

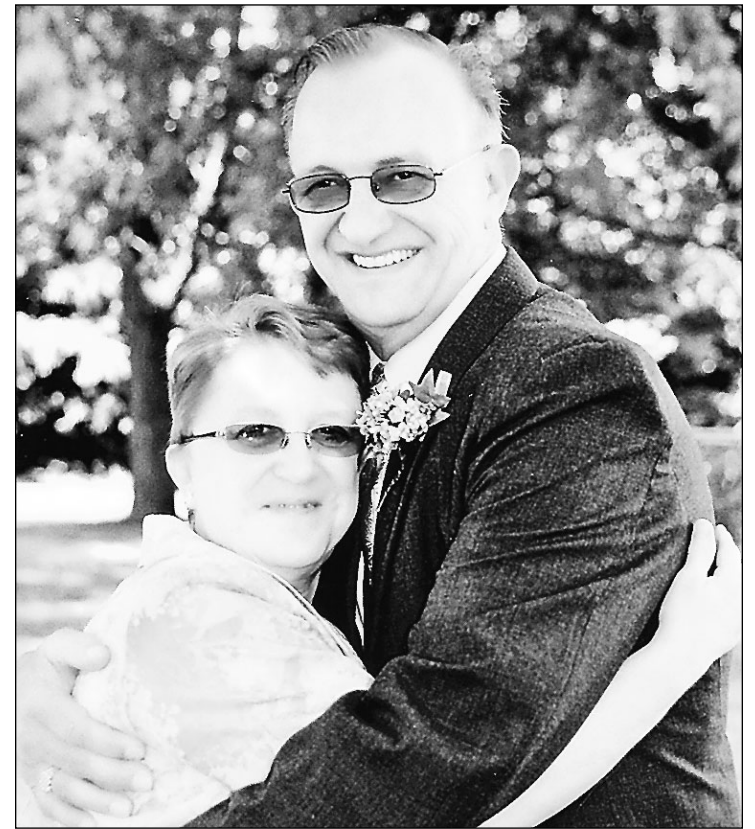
Announcements:

• Photo Exhibit: Come to Café Brule in downtown Vermillion and view the Photo Exhibit by Jeanne Hanson. Café Brule is open daily from 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. The exhibit is on display through Oct. 27.

• Mentoring Program: Clay-

Union Foundation, Inc., formerly known as Big Friend-Little Friend of Union County, Inc., continues its mission of mentoring youth in these two counties. The program matches youth age 5-17 years old with qualified and screened adult volunteers. Each volunteer spends two hours a week with their match, and both the youth and the adults report many benefits by building a close relationship. New mentors and youth are always welcome to the program. Right now, the program has three adult female volunteers ready to match in Vermillion and is seeking girls age 5-12 who are interested in having a mentor to spend time with them. A male volunteer is also needed to match with a 14-year-old boy in Vermillion. To sign up a youth, please contact John P. Gille, program director at 605-421-5050, or email him at jgille60@yahoo.com for more information. The Clay-Union Foundation is supported by the United Way of Vermillion, as well as numerous other businesses and individual donors.

WEDDINGS



Suzann and Dean Hansen

Suzann Henderson and Dean Hansen were married Sept. 10, 2011 at Dalesburg Lutheran, Vermillion, with Rev. Robert Chapman assisted by Rhonda Hansen officiating. Parents of the couple are Loren and the late Luella Henderson, Vermillion, (bride's parents) and the late Merton and Ruby Hansen, Vermillion, (groom's parents). Matron was Lori Gilbertson, Vermillion, sister of the bride.

Krista Thomas, Sioux Falls, attended the guest book, (granddaughter of the groom). Ron Hansen, Rapid City, was the best man, (brother of the groom).

Ushers were Jeff Gilbertson, Vermillion, (nephew of the bride), and Ryan Gilbertson, Vermillion, (nephew of the bride).

Wedding music was provided by Ruth Williams, Wakonda, pianist, (friend of the bride), Loretta Thomas, Vermillion, clarinetist, (friend of the bride).

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at Dalesburg Lutheran, Vermillion, with Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hansen, Sioux Falls, as hosts. Punch was served by Krista Thomas and Brian Thomas, Sioux Falls.

The bride attended Wakonda High School and graduated from USD, Vermillion, and works part time at Wal-Mart.

The groom attended Meckling High School and is retired after working for the city of Vermillion, being employed there for 26 years.

The couple resides in Vermillion.

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