

CHAMBER CHAT

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Chamber Business:

Labor Day, Monday, Sept. 5. The VCDC office will be closed.

Attention Chamber Members! If you serve the USD student community please join us for the Coyote Bash Thursday, Sept. 1 from 6 to 8 p.m. in Downtown Vermillion at Ratingen Platz. The Coyote Bash is a partnership between the Vermillion Area Chamber of Commerce and the University of South Dakota which welcomes back USD students and introduces incoming freshmen to the product and service offerings of the community. This year, it is being held in conjunction with Thursdays on the Platz. Making the students aware of all we have to offer improves retention, maintains a

strong customer base and keeps retail spending local. Don't miss this great opportunity to build loyalty and a relationship with your customers from day one by setting up a table to introduce and promote your business to the new students. For more information or if interested in setting up a table, please contact Ann at the Vermillion Area Chamber & Development Co. at 624-5571 or annb@vermillionchamber.com. Space is limited.

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.

This Weeks Happenings:

Heartland Humane Society Rummage Sale will be held during the Yankton Citywide rummage on Sept. 8-11. Donations for benefit rummage sale can be delivered to the shelter at 601 1/2 Burleigh in Yankton from 1 to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday or by appointment. No item too big or small (limited amounts of clothing please). Free will donation - all proceeds to benefit the animals in the care of Heartland Humane Society.

The Roadhouse, 911 E. Cherry St., will be hosting the Ed Meierkort/Touchdown Club every Thursday beginning Sept. 8 from noon to 1 p.m. during the USD Football season. Ed, along with his staff, will show highlights from the previous week along with insights into the upcoming weeks game. Everyone is welcome!

Cancer Support Group meeting, Thursday, Sept. 8 at 2:30 p.m. in the Sletwold Room at Trinity Lutheran Church, 816 E. Clark St. Call Marcy at 624-8706 for additional information.

Vermillion Area Farmers Market, Thursday, Sept. 8 from 3 to 7 p.m. at the Clay County Fairgrounds.

National Music Museum (NMM) Brown Bag Lunch Program, "Dakota Baroque & Classic Company," Friday, Sept. 9 at 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.

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Roll, Sept. 9 & 10! Come enjoy the 7th annual event in historic downtown Vermillion. For details go to website at www.sdbbq.us.

Women's Soccer vs. University of North Dakota, Friday, Sept. 9 at 4 p.m. at Dakota-Dome Soccer Field.

Vermillion Area Farmers Market, Saturday, Sept. 10 from 9 a.m. to noon, downtown Vermillion in parking lot of First Bank and Trust.

USD Football vs. Eastern Washington University, Saturday, Sept. 10 at 4 p.m. at DakotaDome.

Upcoming Events - Mark Your Calendars!

Community Resilience training is being offered by The SD Department of Health/Public Health Preparedness and Response Office. Two sessions will be held in several South Dakota communities during the month of September. The sessions to be held in North Sioux City & Pierre are slightly longer and will focus on recovery following the Missouri River flooding. The sessions at Sioux Falls, Aberdeen & Rapid City are more general to any and all disasters. There is no cost to attend. Registration deadline is Sept. 12. For more in-

formation, visit the SD Chamber of Commerce & Industry website: www.sdchamber.biz under Chamber News.

Classes in Drawing, Painting, & Printmaking for children K-6, Tuesdays, 4:15 to 5:15 p.m., Sept. 13-Dec. 6 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 (bethsamk@hotmail.com), 605-670-7940.

National Music Museum (NMM) Brown Bag Lunch Program, "Laura MacKenzie & Ross Sutter," Friday, Sept. 16 at 12:05 p.m. in the Arne B. Larson Concert Hall at the NMM located on USD campus, corner of Clark & Yale streets. Free and open to the public.

Historic Vermillion Walk hosted by Prairie Wanderers Volkssport Club, Saturday, Sept. 17. Start times: 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.; finish by 3 p.m. Trail will go through historic downtown Vermillion, bike path along Vermillion River and through the USD campus. Pets not permitted in the start point. No "A" award for this event. IVV Credit \$3; Fun Walkers \$2. For more information contact Duane Neugebauer at 605-734-0115.

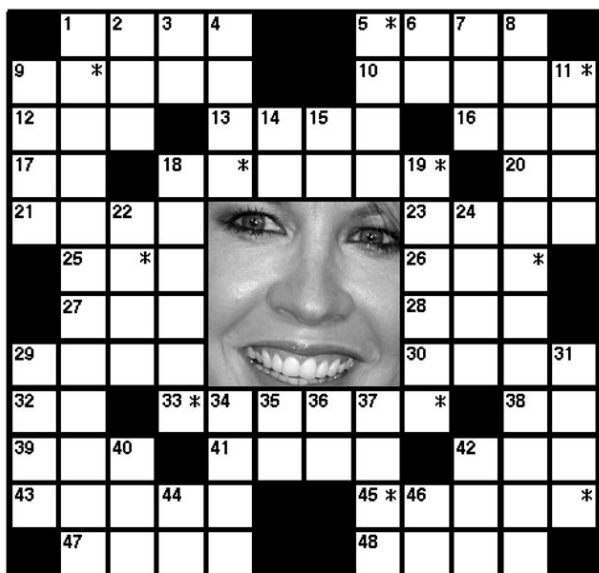
Missouri River Outdoor Expo, Saturday, Sept. 17 and Sunday, Sept. 18 at Ponca State Park from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily.

Invitation to community organizations to join in the 2011 Tanager Volunteer Day, Tuesday, Sept. 20. Students will be participating in a full day of work from approximately 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Students will work in groups of 14 to 17, but the groups can be adjusted if needed. Please dare to challenge Vermillion students - many things can be accomplished in a short time. The students enjoy cleaning, painting, vacuuming, planting trees, scrapping paint, or almost any task you need completed. Last year one group was solely committed to assisting elderly and homebound individuals in our community. If you know anyone that could use a little help with gardens, windows, or just a visit please contact Lenni Billberg at lenni.billberg@k12.sd.us.

One Book SD - "The Journey of Crazy Horse: A Lakota History", Sunday, Sept. 25 from 3 to 5 p.m. in the Community Room of Vermillion Public Library. Copies of the book and study guide are available at the Circulation Desk. Jamie Sullivan of Mt. Marty College will facilitate the discussion. Refreshments served.

The fourth annual Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure will be held in Vermillion at the DakotaDome on Sunday, Sept. 25. Help find a cure for breast cancer. Register today at www.komensouthdakota.org/race.

Annual Vermillion Community Native American Day Wacipi (Pow Wow), Saturday, Oct. 8 at the Armory. Grand Entry at 1 p.m. and 7 p.m. with an evening meal served at 5 p.m. Call 624-9287 or 402-640-2473 for additional information.



The identity of the featured celebrity is found within the answers in the puzzle. In order to take the TV Challenge, unscramble the letters noted with asterisks within the puzzle.

ACROSS

- Jonathan of "CSI: Miami"
- Actor on "M*A*S*H"
- ___ Streep
- "An ___ Husband"; 1998 Julianne Moore movie
- Wrath
- "___ Times" (1974-79)
- "___ Wednesday"; 1966 Jane Fonda film
- "Help ___ Help You"
- Actor Mark
- Initials for Mr. Niven
- Capri or Man
- Semiprecious gem
- Motorists org.
- Title for Hot Lips: abbr.
- Ignited
- "Snakes ___ Plane"; 2006 movie
- Robert De ___
- "The Amazing ___"
- Elke's initials
- Snobby girl on "Little House on the Prairie"
- Initials for Regis' co-host
- Diane Sawyer's employer
- "The 40-___-Old Virgin"; 2005 Steve Carell film
- "I'm Dancing as Fast ___ Can"; 1982 film
- Mel ___
- Role for Raymond Burr
- "___ Blue"
- NBA or AMA

DOWN

- Promo
- Actor Stephen ___
- "American Idol" judge (2)
- Rogers or Kennedy
- Wild feline
- "Deal ___ No Deal"
- Initials for Felix Unger's roommate
- Actress on "The Middle"
- Never again (2)
- Hideaway
- Dog in "Peter Pan"
- In order
- Gray or Moran
- "One-___ Jacks"; 1961 Marlon Brando movie
- Sabrina ___ Beauf
- "___ Femme Nikita"
- "___ la Douce"; 1963 Shirley MacLaine film
- "___, the Beloved Country"; 1995 movie for James Earl Jones
- Beast of burden
- Initials for Julie Andrews' 1964 nanny film role
- "Life ___ We Know It" (2004-05)



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