

CHAMBER CHAT

CHAMBER BUSINESS:

TUESDAY, SEPT. 23 AFTER HOURS

Please join us for Business After Hours and an Open House at W.H. Over Museum, 1110 University St., on Tues., Sept. 23 from 5:00 to 7:00 pm. Tour the museum to see the exotic animals, new mural and refurbished Discovery Room along with the other amazing exhibits and collections. Everyone will receive a free gift and make sure and sign up for the door prize. Delectable appetizers and treats along with refreshments will be served. Everyone is welcome to stop by and see what the W.H. Over Museum is all about!

THURSDAY, OCT. 9 RIBBON CUTTING

Please join us for a Ribbon Cutting, Open House and 2nd Anniversary Celebration at the Old Lumber Company Grill and Bar, 15 Court St., on Thurs., Oct. 9. The Ribbon Cutting Ceremony will be at 5:15 pm and the Open House celebration will be from 5:00 to 7:00 pm. Everyone is invited to stop by and help them celebrate! Refreshments will be served.

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 5:00-7:00 pm on a week-night and the hosting business provides hors d'oeuvres and refreshments. If interested, please contact Ann at: annb@vermillion-chamber.com or at 624-5571

THIS WEEKS HAPPENINGS:

- One of the best things you can do for your loved ones, friends, and coworkers this season is to protect yourself against the flu by getting a flu shot. Sanford Vermillion can come to your business to make it quick and convenient for your employees to get their vaccinations? Call us today at (605) 624-2611, ext 367 to schedule a time for our experienced Nursing staff to come to your business. Sanford Vermillion Flu Shot clinic events open to the public: Main Street Center — Sept. 12, 10:30 a.m. to noon USD Muenster University Center — Sept. 23, 10:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. (Pit Lounge) Children's Event — High School Commons — Sept 24, 3:30-6 p.m. • Any age accepted Drive Thru-Flu Clinic, 15 S Plum Parking lot — Sept. 30, 3:30-6 p.m. USD Wellness Center — Oct. 2, 4-7 p.m. Costs: Injection Quad — \$22 Mist Quad — \$30 High Dose Injection— \$30 18 years and under Injection- FREE by the SD DOH. Can bill Sanford Health Plan Insurance and Medicare. Visit www.sanfordvermillion.org for all flu shot clinics & locations.

- USD Tailgate Parking Lot Information: Parking Area B — Tailgate Nation - Sold Out. Full tailgating including consumption of alcohol allowed. Parking Areas A, C, D — Priority Parking - Must have Priority parking pass. Howling Pack Red Club and above and VIP's Parking Area 36 — General Public Parking Parking Area West — General Public Parking Student Tailgate North Of Dome

Traffic Flow and Street Information

Routes to Lots A,B,C and D: The best entry into these Priority lots will be off of Dakota Street. They will also be accessible off of North University via Taylor Drive. Route to Open parking in Lots 36 and West: Both large lots can be accessed off of Dakota Street. West lot will also have access from Cottage. Parking on Dakota Street: Parking is prohibited north of Alumni Street on either side. Rose Street: closed at North edge of Coyote Village parking lot. Reopens at halftime.

- Edith B. Siegrist Vermillion Public Library to conduct online impact survey through Sat., Sept. 27 to learn how patrons use the library's computers & internet connection. Participants have opportunity to enter into a drawing for one of ten gift certificates from local businesses. For more information, stop in the library, visit <http://impactsurvey.org/> or call 6777-7060

- Vermillion Area Community Foundation (VACF) updated grant application information: Beginning this year, there are only two grant periods: The second Thursday in April and the second Thursday in Oct.. Grant applications for the second session are due by Sept. 15. Grant guidelines can be found at: <http://vermillion.sdcommunityfoundation.org> or applications can be picked up at the VADC, 116 Market Street.

- The Vascular Screen offered by Sanford Vermillion. Screenings are suggested for those ages 40 and older. To schedule your vascular screen, call 605-638-8496. Special pricing of \$25 offered for a limited time.

FRIDAY, SEPT. 12

- The South Dakota Center for Enterprise Opportunity (SD CEO) presents 'Women's Business Conference', a unique business event offering educational and skill building sessions to increase professional development, enhance business communication techniques and strengthen business relationships, on Fri., Sept. 12 from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm at Kelly Inn, Yankton, SD. Guest speakers, networking, exhibitors, lunch included. For registration and more info go to www.bhsu.edu/sdceo or call 605-642-6435 or 605-668-5700. Early bird registration: \$75 by Sept. 2; after Sept. 2: \$90.

- Girls Tennis: Brandon Valley, Fri., Sept. 12 @ 9:00 am (T)

- NMM Live! at the National Music Museum, Fri., Sept. 12 @ 12:05 pm featuring Ted & Alice Miller, singer/songwriter Americana. Free & open to the public. Museum located at corner of Clark & Yale St. on USD campus.

- USD women's soccer vs. Wyoming, Fri., Sept. 12 @ 4:00 pm, DakotaDome soccer field

- University Art Galleries exhibition: "Transport" through Sept. 19. Reception at John A. Day Gallery, Warren M. Lee Center for Fine Arts, Fri., Sept. 12, 6-8:00 pm.

- Football: West Central, Fri., Sept. 12 @ 7:00 pm (T)

SATURDAY, SEPT. 13

- Nikki's Fund 5K Run/Walk, Sat., Sept. 13, 9:00 am at Prentis Park. Registration forms available at USD Student Counseling Center, located at the Cook House or register online @ www.all-sportcentral.com. Registration cost is \$15. Proceeds benefit Nikki's Fund to support suicide prevention programs & other mental health needs for USD students.

- Vermillion Area Farmers Market, Sat., Sept. 13, 9:00-12:00 pm at Ratingen Platz, downtown Vermillion, corner of Market & Main St. For more information, call 605-659-3399 or e-mail: VAFarmersMarket@gmail.com

- Overeaters Anonymous: Sat., Sept. 13 @ 9:00 am. Location: Newman Center — USD Campus, 320 East Cherry — across from the MUC at the corner of Rose & Cherry Streets. (West Door

— straight through double glass doors on left & first door on left; North Door-down hall to left & first door on left). Description: Overeaters Anonymous is a 12 step program for people with eating disorders and struggles.

- Boys Soccer: James Valley Christian, Sat., Sept. 13 @ 11:00 am (T)

- Girls Soccer: Tea Area, Sat., Sept. 13 @ 4:00 pm (T)

SATURDAY, SEPT. 13, 20 & 27

- Preschoolers Storytime (ages 4-6), Saturdays @ 10:15 am at Edith B. Siegrist Vermillion Public Library, 18 Church St. Please call 677-7060 or visit: vermillionpubliclibrary.org to register.

- Toddler Storytime (ages birth to 3 with adult), Saturdays @ 11:15 am at Edith B. Siegrist Vermillion Public Library, 18 Church St. Please call 677-7060 or visit: vermillionpubliclibrary.org to register.

NEXT WEEKS HAPPENINGS:

- SUNDAY, SEPT. 14 East River & Missouri Valley Bluegrass Music Assn. to feature "Monthly Open Jam", Sun., Sept. 14, 1:00-6:00 pm at Washington Street Arts Center, 202 Washington St. All levels welcome-open to pickers & listeners. Event is free & open to the public. For more information, call 1-877-621-4118 (toll free)

- USD women's soccer vs. Creighton, Sun., Sept. 14 @ 1:00 pm, Dakota Dome soccer field

SEPT. 15-20

- Tanager Homecoming Week at Vermillion Public School, Sept. 15-20

MONDAY, SEPT. 15

- Girls Tennis: Madison, Mon., Sept. 15 @ 4:00 pm (H)
- Junior Varsity Football: West Central, Mon., Sept. 15 @ 4:30 pm (T)
- Volleyball: Madison, Mon., Sept. 15 @ 5:00 pm (T)
- Preschoolers Storytime (ages 4-6), Mon., Sept. 15, 22, 29 @ 5:30 pm at Edith B. Siegrist Vermillion Public Library, 18 Church St. Please call 677-7060 or visit: vermillionpubliclibrary.org to register.
- Girls Soccer: Garretton, Mon., Sept. 15 @ 6:00 pm (H)
- Al-anon meeting, Mon., Sept. 15 @ 7:30 pm at St. Paul's Episcopal Church. For more information, call 624-9764.

- Guest pianist Mark Valenti in recital, Mon., Sept. 15 @ 7:30 pm, Colton Recital Hall, Warren M. Lee Center for Fine Arts. Open to the public at no charge.

TUESDAY, SEPT. 16

- Vermillion Rotary Club meeting, Tues., Sept. 16 from 12:00-1:00 pm in the Al Neuarth Media Center conference room. For more information, visit: www.vermillionrotaryclub.org

TUESDAY, SEPT. 16, 23 & 30

- Toddler Storytime (ages birth to 3 with adult), Tuesdays @ 10:30 am at Edith B. Siegrist Vermillion Public Library, 18 Church St. Please call 677-7060 or visit: vermillionpubliclibrary.org to register.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 17

- Preschoolers Storytime (ages 4-6), Wed., Sept. 17 & 24 @ 11:00 am at Edith B. Siegrist Vermillion Public Library, 18 Church St. Please call 677-7060 or visit: vermillionpubliclibrary.org to register.

- Mingle tickets for Wed., Sept. 17 are now available at RED Steakhouse! Third annual Mingle RED Steakhouse philanthropic event from 5-9:00 pm that aims to raise funds for causes that benefit the Vermillion community. Stop in this week and pick up your tickets to benefit Vermillion Area Community Foundation. 100+ bottles of wine to taste, bourbon, craft beer...and of course Chef Kirk Phillips culinary delights! To purchase your tickets call RED Steakhouse at 605-624-0079 today!

THURSDAY, SEPT. 18

- Vermillion Area Farmers Market, Thurs., Sept. 18, 3:00-7:00 pm at Clay County Fairgrounds. For more information, call 605-659-3399 or e-mail: VAFarmersMarket@gmail.com

- Lego Club (K-5th graders), Thurs., Sept. 18, 3:45-5:00 pm at Edith B. Siegrist Vermillion Public Library, 18 Church St.

- National Music Museum (NMM) at the movies (Coyote Twin theater), Thurs., Sept. 18 @ 7:00 pm. "Amadeus," the genius of Mozart in this Best-Picture Oscar winner. (Free to USD students with ID and to NMM members-with-benefits.) General admission, \$5. Seniors, youth admission, \$3.

- Lifestyle Practices to Prevent Diabetes, Thurs., Sept. 18, 7-8:30 pm at Boardroom, Sanford Vermillion, 102 S. Plum St. (Admin. Entrance). Free blood sugar screening following the seminar. For more information, call Mary Auch @ 605-638-8411.

FRIDAY, SEPT. 19

- The Department of Labor and Regulation will be hosting a Job Search Assistance Program (JSAP), Fri., Sept. 19, 9:00 am-3:00 pm at 1024 West Cherry St. The JSAP is a free workshop for people recovering from job loss or enhancing their job search skills. Trained instructors speak on modern-day techniques used to successfully find employment. Topics covered are: resume and cover letter writing, interviewing etiquette, networking effectively, using social media and much more. Parties interested in attending should register by calling 605-677-6900 before 5:00 p.m., Wed., Sept. 17.

- Join the Booster Club at Howlers for homecoming pre game party, Fri., Sept. 19, 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm then on to the Dome to cheer on your Vermillion Tanager. Some proceeds will go to Booster club for athletics and school spirit. For more information go to www.gotanagers.com

SATURDAY, SEPT. 20

- Harlan & Rita Temple 5K Fun Run/Walk, Sat., Sept. 20 at Prentis Park. Registration 8:30-9:15 am; start time: 9:30 am. Early registration: \$20 at www.all-sportcentral.com; day of race: \$25 at Prentis Park. 3rd annual scholarship fundraiser promoting Occupational Therapy.

- Harvest Fest will be held at the Clay County Park, Sat., Sept. 20 from

2pm - 7pm. Harvest Fest is a fun, family event, in the beautiful outdoor setting of Clay County Park where both children and adults can enjoy live music, local food, and an afternoon with friends and neighbors. Live music, vendors & raffles from 3-7:00 pm. There will be children's activities from 3-5:00 pm and nature education programs. Attendees will have the opportunity to get to know some local vendors and purchase raffle tickets for community-sponsored prizes. Attendance and children's activities are free. Hog roast meal @ 5:00 pm will include a free-will donation. All are welcome. For business sponsorship or vendor information, contact: info@reearthcoop.com.

UPCOMING EVENTS

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

- Thursday, Sept. 25 Fundraising dinner for the Senior Citizen Center, 320 W. Main St., Thurs., Sept. 25 @ 5:30 pm. Sponsored by Trinity Lutheran Church and the Main Street Center. Call 624-8072 for ticket information.

FRIDAY, SEPT. 26...

- USD Theatre: "Next to Normal", Fri., Sept. 26, 27 & Oct. 1-4 @ 7:30 pm and Sept. 28 & Oct. 5 @ 2:00 pm @ Wayne S. Knutson Theatre, Warren M. Lee Center for Fine Arts on USD campus. Visit www.usd.edu/theatre for ticket information or call 677-5400

SATURDAY, SEPT. 27

- Half Marathon at Elk Point: The Clay-Union Foundation is hosting a half marathon on Sat., Sept. 27 in Elk Point, SD. The charity event supports the youth mentoring program and its mission of helping youth. Registration and check in will be at Casey's- 1000 W. Main St., exit 18 off I-29. The racers leave at 8:30 am. Walkers will leave at 8 am, unless they wish to be timed. Complete information and registration is at: <https://runsignup.com/getot> hepoint. Please contact John Gille at 605-421-5050 for more information on the event, the program, or being a volunteer.

FRIDAY, OCT. 3

- Ladies Hospital Auxiliary meeting, Fri., Oct. 3 @ 2:00 pm @ Sanford Vermillion Board Room

OCT. 5-11

- USD Dakota Days Week, Oct. 5-11. 100th Dakota Days Parade @ 10:00 am, Sat., Oct. 11 followed by USD Coyotes vs Univ. of Northern Iowa game @ 3:00 pm. Visit: www.usd.edu/dakotadays for more information

THURSDAY, OCT. 9

- Art Club (K-5 graders), Thurs., Oct. 9 from 3:45-5:00 pm (2nd Thursday of each month), at Edith B. Siegrist Vermillion Public Library, 18 Church St.

SATURDAY, OCT. 11

- Native American Day Wacipi, Sat., Oct. 11 at the Armory. Grand Entries @ 1:00 pm & 7:00 pm, with a free supper meal provided @ 5:00 pm.

THURSDAY, OCT. 16

- Book signing & talk on book "County Capitols, The Courthouses of South Dakota" by Arthur Rusch which will be released by the South Dakota Historical Society Press at the South Dakota Festival of Books in Sioux Falls on Sept. 26. The book signing will be on Oct.

16 at 7:00 pm at the Kozak room at the Edith Siegrist Vermillion Public Library. Barnes & Noble campus bookstore will have the books available for sale at the signing.

TUESDAY, OCT. 21

- ACT Fall Prep Class at Vermillion High School Rm. 31 (English), Tues., Oct. 21, 6-8:00 pm. \$40/student. Prep Handbook available from instructor for \$30. Sign up & make check payable to Carla McMurry-Kozak at Vermillion High School by Oct. 15, 2014. For more information, contact: Carla.mcmurry-kozak@k12.sd.us or cmcmurry@usd.edu.

THURSDAY, OCT. 23

- Invitation to the 2014 University of South Dakota Career and Graduate School Fair. This fair will be held in the Muenster University Center Ballroom on Thurs., Oct. 23 from 11:00 am-3:00 pm. This fair will allow you to advertise your company or organization's opportunities to the USD student body as well as to other local students and community members. Students are interested in full-time and part-time employment as well as internships and graduate programs. Attend this fair and advertise your positions to motivate students who are ready to work for you! Early bird registration is only \$75 if paid by Oct. 10. After Oct. 10, the rate will increase to \$100. Space is limited — so register now at our website: <http://www.usd.edu/academics/academic-and-career-planning-center/career-and-internship-fair.cfm>. For more information call 677-5381 or email heather.waringjohnson@usd.edu

MONDAY, OCT. 27

- ACT Fall Prep Class at Vermillion High School Rm. 31 (Reading), Tues., Oct. 27, 6-8:00 pm. \$40/student. Prep Handbook available from instructor for \$30. Sign up & make check payable to Carla McMurry-Kozak at Vermillion High School by Oct. 15, 2014. For more information, contact: Carla.mcmurry-kozak@k12.sd.us or cmcmurry@usd.edu.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 29

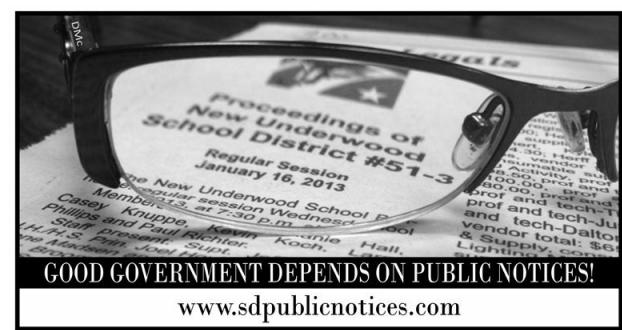
- ACT Fall Prep Class at Vermillion High School Rm. 31 (Writing), Tues., Oct. 29, 4-5:00 pm. \$40/student. Prep Handbook available from instructor for \$30. Sign up & make check payable to Carla McMurry-Kozak at Vermillion High School by Oct. 15, 2014. For more information, contact: Carla.mcmurry-kozak@k12.sd.us or cmcmurry@usd.edu.

THURSDAY, OCT. 30

- ACT Fall Prep Class at Vermillion High School Rm. 31 (Math), Tues., Oct. 30, 6-8:00 pm. \$40/student. Prep Handbook available from instructor for \$30. Sign up & make check payable to Carla McMurry-Kozak at Vermillion High School by Oct. 15, 2014. For more information, contact: Carla.mcmurry-kozak@k12.sd.us or cmcmurry@usd.edu.

TUESDAY, NOV. 4

- ACT Fall Prep Class at Vermillion High School Rm. 31 (Science), Tues., Nov. 4, 6-8:00 pm. \$40/student. Prep Handbook available from instructor for \$30. Sign up & make check payable to Carla McMurry-Kozak at Vermillion High School by Oct. 15, 2014. For more information, contact: Carla.mcmurry-kozak@k12.sd.us or cmcmurry@usd.edu.



Watertown Art Showcase

Watertown Event Center
(adjacent to Ramkota Hotel - Enter though Hotel Lobby)
1901 9th Ave SW • Watertown SD

September 12 | September 13 | September 14
4 p.m.-8 p.m. | 10 a.m.-7 p.m. | 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

Visit the
Dept. of Veterans Affairs
booth while at the show!

• Free Admission
• Accessible
• Silent Auction
• Door Prizes

Paintings,
Bronze
Sculpture,
Watercolor
& Much
More!