

## What's Happening in Vermilion County this Weekend

Don't forget our "Business After Hours" Event tonight at the Danville Boat Club from 5-7PM, \$3 entry fee donated to WorkSource enterprises (flier [here](#)).

Please feel free to share this information with others in your company!

### **Friday, July 17, 2009**

**Fill-a-BUS-ter** – Danville WalMart, 11AM-2PM. School supply drive. For a list of needed supplies, contact Kathleen at Project Success at 217-446-3200

**Café on the Lawn at Center for Children's Services** (702 N. Logan Avenue) – 11AM-2PM, Jamaican Jerk Chicken & Pork & Tennessee Pork Loin with Nashville Sweet Barbecue Sauce. Meals are served with "Louisiana Dirty Rice" & grilled vegetables. Cool your palate with a serving of pineapple sherbet. Serving Monday through Friday from 11AM-2PM with varied menu each day. Last day to enjoy the 2009 Café is July 31.

**Municipal Pool & AMBUCS spray park (Garfield Park) Open** – Monday thru Friday 11AM-7PM; Saturday & Sunday Noon-5PM

**Sleepy Creek Vineyards "Wieners & Wine"** – (regular winery hours 10AM-8PM on Friday) you buy the wine & Sleepy Creek provides the hot dog & the stick to roast it over our outdoor fire pit, 5-8PM

**Vermilion Advantage "Business After Hours"** – Danville Boat Club, 5-7PM. \$3 admission donated to WorkSource enterprises. Flier [here](#).

**Moose Lodge 1001 Salad Bar Dinner** – (U.S. Route 150 at Interstate 74) 5-7PM, \$7. Public invited.

**"Dinner on the Islands" by Café on the Lawn at Center for Children's Services** (702 N. Logan Avenue) – 5-8PM on front lawn. Enjoy fun, music & fine dining. Jamaican Jerk Chicken & Pork, Memphis Smoked Pork, Loins with a Tangy Nashville BBQ Sauce, & Hawaiian Steak Kabobs. Meals are served with "dirty rice," seasoned grilled vegetables & pineapple sherbet. In addition, Angus burgers, Polish dogs, & hot dogs will be available & a variety of delectable desserts. There will be a variety of live music this year with the River Dance Fiddlers & Knight Fire Drum Line from 5-6PM. Doc Ashton & the Root Canals will play from 6-8PM.

**Music at The Landing "High Cross Road Band" (Bluegrass)**– Kickapoo Landing, 5:30-7:30PM

**GAO Grotto** – (2400 Denmark Road) Cheeseburgers at the Grotto from 5:30-7:30PM. Menu consists of a cheeseburger, French fries & baked beans for \$5. Public invited.

**American Legion Post 210 Dinner** – (Jackson Street, Danville) Fish, hamburgers or steak, 5:30-8:00PM, price varies according to choice. Public invited.

**Westville's Martin F. Vutrick American Legion Post 51 Street Party** – Food will be served from the grill at 6PM behind the Legion. D.J. starts at 7PM. Public invited.

**Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 728 Dance** – (8 Pine Street, Danville) 7-9PM: Finger Food provided & Tex Wynn Band playing, \$4. Public invited.

**Alley Gallery Artists' Reception** – (113 N. Vermilion, Danville) New Exhibit, "Metal & Lace," Refreshments will be served, 7-9PM

**Open Roller Skating at Illini Skateland** – 7-10PM, \$7.25 + skate rental; -or- Family Night Special: Up to 6 persons for \$29.95 (one adult must be present & all kids must be in your family)

**"Alice in Wonderland" by Lincoln Park Theater Company** – Free at Lincoln Park. Bring lawn chairs or blankets, 8PM

**Family Movie In The Park-(bring your own lawn chair/blanket)** – Elmwood Park (S. Griffin to Cleveland, go east to park between Victory Street & Elmwood Street), dusk, call 217-431-2272 for more info

**Mike Ingram Band at the Halfway Inn** – (1401 Warrington Ave.) 9PM-Midnight. No cover charge.

**Saturday, July 18, 2009**

**Bud Light Big Bass Qualifying Tournament** – Lake Vermilion, 6AM-2PM

**Catlin Legion Auxiliary Breakfast** – eggs, toast, hash browns, bacon & sausage, 7-10AM, \$5. Public invited.

**Veterans of Foreign Wars All-You-Can-Eat Breakfast** – (8 Pine Street, Danville), Eggs scrambled or over easy, pancakes, French toast, biscuits, white sausage gravy, sausage patties, potatoes, coffee, o.j., \$5/person, 7:30-10:30AM. Public invited.

**Downtown Danville Farmers' Market** – 7:30AM-1:30PM through October 3rd, 2009, corner of North Vermilion & North streets at Temple Plaza

**Ridge Farm Farmer's Market** – the Village of Ridge Farm's Park Board is hosting our 1st annual Farmers Market. This event will be held on the 2nd & 4th Saturday's in June & every Saturday in July & August from 8AM-Noon at the municipal parking lot located on the corner of Route 1 & Woodyard Ave. (across from Doughbelly's Pizza). For more info, please contact Deadra at 217-251-4914 or Shannon at 217-247-2209

**Moose Lodge 1001 Pancake Breakfast** – (U.S. Route 150 at Interstate 74) 8AM-5PM. Menu includes pancakes, sausage, juice, coffee & tea. Cost is \$6. Public invited.

**"Scents of July" Lincoln Park District House & Garden Walk** – 10AM-4PM, 7 gardens, 6 homes, & 1 porch. \$10 in advance at Charlotte's or the Vermilion County Museum. \$12 day of walk – Day-of-event tickets up until 2PM at Lamon House & the homes at 1124 Logan and 1223 Sherman. Proceeds benefit the Lamon House Restoration Fund.

**Sleepy Creek Vineyards** – Winery open 10AM-8PM

**Open Roller Skating at Illini Skateland** – 11AM-1PM, \$5.25 + skate rental

**Blood drive at Village Mall** – Community Blood Services of Illinois will sponsor a Blood Drive from 11AM-2PM next to Elder-Beerman & the theater. T-shirts and refreshments are provided for all donors. Walk-ins are welcome. Anyone with questions about donating blood should contact Community Blood Services at 800-217-GIVE.

**Municipal Pool & AMBUCS spray park (Garfield Park) Open** – Monday thru Friday 11AM-7PM; Saturday & Sunday Noon-5PM

**Kennekuk County Park Historic Buildings** – Five historic buildings open on Sundays to tour through Labor Day, 1-4PM, staffed by volunteers, free. Call 217-442-1691 for more info

**Forest Glen Cabin & Nature Center** – open for tours Sundays through Labor Day, 1-4PM, free. Call 217-662-2142 for more info

**Open Roller Skating at Illini Skateland** – 1-5PM, \$6.25 + skate rental (Or 1-3PM for \$5.25 + skate rental; or 3-5PM for \$5.25 + skate rental)

**Old Fashioned Ice Cream Social** – Newell Township Historical Society (at the corner of Myers & Holloway in Bismarck), serving BBQ, Ice Cream, Pies & Cakes, 4-8PM

**Vermilion County Speedway** – "Christmas in July" to benefit Toys for Tots. A great night of racing including, The Turbines, Inc. Sprints, The Toyota of Danville Modifieds, The Wright Motor Company Late Models, The Vermilionchevrolet.com Street Stocks & The Route 1 Auto Repair Pure Stocks. Gates open at 5PM & racing starts at 7PM. Admission is \$15/adults & free for children under 10

**Mustard's Last Stand "Italian Night"** – (Route 150, 1.5 miles west of Gilbert Street) BYOB & a 7-course dinner will be served while you enjoy live music from Alan Wait on Bass Guitar, Dave Schroeder on piano Steve Rodman singing a John Denver Tribute, 6:30PM, Reservations at 217-477-1100

**Baseball/Danville Dans vs. Springfield** – Danville Stadium, 6:30PM

**Danville Area Super Singles Sponsoring Dance & Karaoke** – at the Curtis G. Redden American Legion Post 210 (201 Prospect Place). The organization is a social group open to single adults & couples in the East Central Illinois & West Central Indiana area who want to enjoy an evening in friendship with

others. There is a \$5 donation; bring snacks to share, 7:00-10:30PM. For more info, call 217-442-3201 or 217-759-7872.

**Open Roller Skating at Illini Skateland** – 7-11PM, \$8.25 + skate rental (Or 9-11PM, \$5.25 + skate rental)  
**“Alice in Wonderland” by Lincoln Park Theater Company** – Free at Lincoln Park. Bring lawn chairs or blankets, 8PM

**“Jam Band” Band at Gino’s Place at Days Hotel** – 9PM

**Fat Man’s Warehouse** – Karaoke, 9PM-1AM

### **Sunday, July 19, 2009**

**Knights of Columbus All-You-Can-Eat Breakfast** – (310 Bryan Ave., Danville), Pancakes, French Toast, Potatoes, Eggs, Bacon, Sausage, Biscuits & Gravy, Coffee, Milk, O.J., 8AM-Noon, Adults/\$6, Kids \$3. For an additional \$2, the chef will make you an omelet. Public invited.

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**Danville Foodstock Free Dinner** – Tilton Public Use Building adjacent to the Tilton Ball Park complex, 11:30AM-2:30PM, BBQ chicken & all the fixin’s. This dinner focuses on those in need, but all are invited to participate. For more info or to volunteer, see <http://danvillefoodstock.com>

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**Veterans of Foreign Wars Jewell Whyte Post 728** – (8 Pine Street, Danville) Family Bingo, \$500 jackpot, 2PM. Public invited.

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**Municipal Band Concert** – Lincoln Park, 7:30PM

### Coming Events:

**Vermilion Advantage will hold its 18th annual fundraiser golf outing on July 24th** at the Danville Country Club. Click [here](#) for more info.

Feel free to let me know of any upcoming events that I might be unaware of!

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