

What's Happening in Vermilion County this Weekend

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Friday, February 5, 2010

Habitat for Humanity of Danville "Souper Bowl V" – Fund-raising Soup Luncheon – Eat in or take soup home for Sunday's Super Bowl XLIV! 11:00AM-1:30PM, First Presbyterian Church Gymnasium (corner of Franklin and North Streets, Danville). Tickets \$6 for soup, crackers, cole slaw, dessert & tea or coffee; or take home 32 oz. (quart) for \$12. Click [here](#) for flier.

Sleepy Creek Vineyards –Winery open 10AM-6PM.

Georgetown-Ridge Farm Area Ministerial Association "Haiti Relief" Fundraiser Spaghetti Supper – at First Church of Christ Ministry Center (501 N. Main, Georgetown). Free-will offering for spaghetti supper, 3:30-7:30PM. All proceeds to Haiti Relief through the non-profit Convoy of Hope world relief organization.

First United Methodist Church Chili Supper – (1400 N Vermilion St - Danville) 4-7PM, Adults/\$6, Children under 12/\$3

Georgetown American Legion Post 203 Monthly Fish Fry – All-You-Can-Eat Perch with baked beans, cole slaw, and tea or coffee, 5-8PM, Cost: \$7/adults; \$3/children.

Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 728 Spaghetti Dinner & Sweetheart Dance – (8 Pine Street, Danville) Spaghetti dinner including tossed salad and dessert from 5-7PM. "Country Classics Band" playing from 7-10PM. Dinner or dance alone, \$5 each. Dinner & Dance both for \$8.

Gao Grotto "Steak Night" – (2400 Denmark Road) 5:30-7:30PM. \$10/shrimp dinner; \$11/steak dinner; \$12/Combo dinner. Public invited.

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

Danville High School Hosts Show Choir Competition Feb. 5 & 6 – On Friday, February 5, and Saturday, February 6, DHS will host its annual show choir competition, the Midwest Classic. Established in 1997, the Midwest Classic has grown and developed into one of the most respected show choir competitions in the Midwest. Now in its 14th year, the Midwest Classic spans over 2 days, will host 25 choral ensembles from around the country and over 4,000 spectators into our community. The Midwest Classic continues to be the largest event held at Danville High School and provides an unmatched performance venue with the historic DHS Auditorium. On Friday evening, February 5 the middle school division competition will begin at 6PM. "Radiant Reds" from North Ridge Middle School will perform at 6PM and South View Middle School show choir, "ENCORE" will perform at 8:30PM and the "Redcoats" from North Ridge will perform at 10PM. The awards ceremony will be held at 10:30PM. Then on Saturday, February 6, the high school division competition will begin at 8AM with 19 groups performing throughout the day. The DHS "Contemporaires" will perform at 11:45AM, the mixed show choir, Delegation, will perform at 6:15PM. There will also be soloist and dance team competitions starting at 10AM until 5:30PM on Saturday in the Little Theatre. Preliminary awards will be presented at 6:45PM and the finals competition will begin at 8PM and the championship awards will be presented at 11:30PM.

Open Roller Skating at Illini Skateland – "Family Night," 7-10PM. Admission \$7.25 +skate rental; if needed, Family Night Special: Up to 6 persons for \$29.95 (one adult must be present and all kids must be in your family). Laser tag also available.

Hockey-Danville Inferno vs. Wisconsin Rampage – Palmer Arena, 7:30PM, Adults/\$6, Seniors & Kids 18 & Under/\$4

JJ's 610 Tap, "D-n-A Karaoke" – (610 N. Vermilion, Danville) Karaoke every Friday night, 8PM-Midnight

Gino's Place at Days Hotel, "D.J. Entertainment Karaoke" – 9PM

Fatman's Warehouse, "90's Daughter" – Get ready to hear all your favorite 90's songs including artists like Nirvana, Foo Fighters, No Doubt, Lenny Kravitz, Green Day, Blink 182, Pearl Jam, and many more, 9PM-1AM.

Hockey-EIU Hockey vs. Kansas – Palmer Arena, 10:30PM

Saturday, February 6, 2010

Catlin Lion's Club Superbowl Saturday All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast – United Methodist Church fellowship hall, 7-11AM. Also available, eggs “made to order.” 50/50 raffle. Donations of \$5/adults, \$2 for children 12 and under. Proceeds for Catlin area community projects.

Elks Lodge 147 Breakfast – (505 E. Main, Danville) 7-11AM, \$6

Bismarck Lions Club All-You-Can-Eat Sausage & Pancakes – at Bismarck Grade School Gym, 7AM-2PM. Donation \$6/adults, \$2/children.

Moose Lodge 1001 All-You-Can-Eat Breakfast – (U.S. Route 150 at Interstate 74) 8-11AM, \$6. Public invited.

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Ridge Farm Library Children's Story Hour – 10-11AM. Open to children pre-kindergarten through 3rd grade. They will read a story, make a Valentine craft, and have a snack. Call 217-247-2820 to register.

Sleepy Creek Vineyards – Winery open 10AM-6PM

Model Train Program for Kids at Hoopston Public Library – (110 N. Fourth St., Hoopston) sponsored by East Central Illinois Model Railroading, Inc. Free program on model railroading for kids, 10:30AM. Recommended for kids age 6 years and older. Children under age 10 accompanied by adult. Call 217-282-6711 for more info.

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Hockey-EIU Hockey vs. Kansas – Palmer Arena, 4PM

The Varsity Room 1st Ever Rib “Kick Off” in Downtown Danville – will feature “Coach Steve's Ribs” and will be a fundraiser for the DHS Track Program, 5:00-8:30PM. All the regular menu items will be available as well as Full or Half Slab Rib Dinners and Three Rib “Samplers.” Join us for a fun evening!

Bingo at Holy Family School – (502 E. Main St., Danville) 5:30PM. Proceeds benefit the school – call 217-431-5108 for more info.

I&I Roundup Queen Dance at Knights of Columbus Hall – (310 Bryan Ave., Danville) Queen candidates' booths open at 6PM, meeting and auction at 7PM; dance with “Smoke River Band” (Brian Ward) 8PM-Midnight. Open to public.

Hockey-Danville Inferno vs. Wisconsin Rampage – Palmer Arena, 7:30PM, Adults/\$6, Seniors & Kids 18 & Under/\$4

Gino's Place at Days Hotel "David Howie" band – 9PM

Sunday, February 7, 2010

Big Game Day Superbowl Breakfast – Sponsored by 40 & 8 at American Legion Post 210 (Prospect & Jackson, Danville) 8AM-11:30AM. All-You-Can-Eat Pancakes & Sausage or Biscuits & Sausage Gravy. \$5 Donation with proceeds going towards Nursing Scholarships at DACC and Lakeview College of Nursing.

Georgetown-Ridge Farm Education Association's “Destination Imagination Chicken Noodle Dinner” AND Miss Piggy “Pingo” – on Super Bowl Sunday, head over to Pine Crest Elementary School (505 Kennedy Dr., Georgetown) for a chicken & noodle dinner from 11AM-1PM sponsored by the district's “Destination Imagination Team” in the cafeteria to raise money for their tournaments. Then, the 5th annual “Pingo” (with great prizes!) will be held at 1PM to raise money for the district's “Student Motivation” programs. Call 217-284-3137 for more info.

JJ's 610 Tap Super Bowl Sunday – Come to JJ's for hot dogs and snacks on Superbowl Sunday, 11AM-11PM!

Hoopeston United Methodist Church "Baked Potato & Salad Bar Dinner" – 11:30AM-1:00PM at the church. Freewill donations to benefit the Hoopeston Area Appalachian Service Project Youth Group.

Vermilion County Museum Lincoln Birthday Open House (free admission) – 1:30-4:30PM. Award presentations at 3PM for Lincoln Birthday Card Contest; both buildings open – birthday cake & punch served in Museum Center. Also, A special traveling exhibit "Reflections: the American Funeral Tour" will open for viewing, free of charge, in the Museum parking lot. The American Funeral tour mobile exhibit will enable people to connect and reflect on the universal human experience of death, mobile exhibit in parking lot 11AM-4:30PM.

Bowman Avenue United Methodist Church Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser – (911 N. Bowman, Danville) benefit for Joe Morgan, Noon-2PM. Spaghetti, salad, breadsticks, desserts & drinks for freewill donation.

Sleepy Creek Vineyards – every Sunday from Noon-5PM through April: The coffee is on us! Come enjoy Raven's Brew coffee at the winery. This is great coffee and you can't go wrong.

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

Superbowl Party at the Boat Club – doors open at 3PM, open to public. Call 217-442-4021 for more info.

Under Caution Sports Bar & Grill Super Bowl Party – (2511 Georgetown Rd., Danville) Hot Wing Cookoff (\$5 entry fee) with prizes for 1st and 2nd Place. Have Wings here by 3PM, judging at 5PM. Kickoff at 5:20!

Laura Lee "Read-In Day" – (212 E. Williams St., Danville) 21st Annual National African-American Read-In Day: "A Legacy: Writers & Readers," from 4:00-5:30PM. Call 217-442-0931 for more info.

Please let me know of any upcoming events that I might be unaware of!

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