

What's Happening in Vermilion County this Weekend

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*FYI – the “What’s Happening…” list is also posted weekly on our web site for public access at <http://vermilionadvantage.com/events/vcevents.htm>.

Please feel free to share this information with others!

Friday, June 4, 2010

Vet-to-Vet Rummage Sale outside Back Door Pizza – (1000 N. Bowman, Danville) 9AM-4PM

Vermilion County Museum Presents “In Living Color” Traveling Quilt Show – featuring quilted wall hangings from the Pacific Northwest through June 26. Museum hours Tuesday through Saturday 10AM-5PM.

Sleepy Creek Vineyards – Winery open 10AM-8PM. And Friday “**Wieners & Wine,**” 5-8PM, you buy the wine & Sleepy Creek provides the hot dog & the stick to roast it over our outdoor fire pit, through October, weather permitting. Also, Art show: 4th annual Sow's Ear Challenge on display through June 12 – the theme is Plastic containment devices. The challenge was to take used and discarded plastic bottles and other plastic containers headed to the landfill and re-fashion them into something artistic, beautiful and/or functional. People's Choice Award winner receives \$100.

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Georgetown's Dornblaser American Legion Post 203 Monthly Fish Fry – (106 E. West St., Georgetown) All-You-Can-Eat Perch with baked beans, cole slaw, and tea or coffee, 5-8PM, Cost: \$7/adults; \$3/children.

Kickapoo Landing's Music at the Landing by “Big Bluestem” – 5:30-7:30PM

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

American Legion Post 210 Dinner – (1600 N. Jackson Street, Danville) Fish, hamburgers or steak, 5:30-8:00PM, price varies according to choice. Public invited.

Youth Revival at St. Synagogue Church – (2605 E. Main, Danville) will be having a Youth Revival. The speaker is Pastor Tamara Bennett from This is Pentecost Ministries, Sacramento, CA. The service will start at 7PM. A freewill offering will be taken. Church Phone: 217-431-2149.

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). Putt-putt golf, batting cages and Laser tag also available.

City of Danville's Recreation Depts. “Movie In The Park” – at Lincoln Park, Dusk

Turtle Run “Hoosier Daddy” Band on the Beer Deck – (332 East Liberty Lane, Danville) 8PM

Gino's Place at Days Hotel, “M.C. Karaoke” – (77 N. Gilbert, Danville) 8:30PM

Saturday, June 5, 2010

Catlin Village-Wide Rummage Sale Sponsored by the Catlin Historical Society – starting at 7AM

Ridge Farm Family Festival Free-Will Donation Biscuits & Gravy Breakfast – at the Blackney Community Bldg. in Ward Park, 6AM until food is gone.

Ridge Farm Village-Wide Rummage Sale

Holiday Hills Assn. Neighborhood-Wide Rummage Sale – starting at 7AM

Downtown Danville Farmer's Market – Temple Plaza (Vermilion & North Streets) 7AM-Noon

Vermilion County Animal Shelter Foundation Garage Sale – (2807 Countryway, Danville) 7:30AM-1:00PM. Still Accepting Donations – for details, call 217-474-3076.

Elks Lodge 147 Breakfast – (505 E. Main, Danville) All-you-can-eat pancakes, choice of meat, grits, toast, milk, juice, or coffee, 8-11AM, \$6, every Saturday.

CrossRoads Christian Church Worship & Praise for Women – (3613 N. Vermilion, Danville) Worship, Praise & Testimonies, 9AM-Noon. Childcare & Youth lessons provided. Call 217-443-4323 for more information.

United Way Fundraiser Rummage Sale at Bowman Estates – (1968 N. Bowman, Danville) 9AM-1PM

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The Vermilion Heritage Foundation presents the 2nd Annual Fischer Theatre Cornhole Tournament at Palace Park outside the Fischer Theatre – Games start at 9AM with a grand championship playoff at 7:30PM. Youth games start at 9AM; Adult games start at Noon. Grand Prize is \$400. Registration Fee: \$20 by Friday, June 4. Day-of-Registration Fee: \$25. For more info or to register your team (Include teammate's names and phone number), contact Miranda Shake at 217-260-0394 or Sara Ortiz at sara@saraortizworkshops.com or visit www.fischertheatre.com. You can also register at the Fischer Theatre Gift Shop, "Stage Presents," located in the Fischer Theatre.

Blood Drive by Community Blood Services of Illinois to be held at Midas Auto Center – (211 N. Gilbert, Danville) 10AM-2PM. All donors can receive an auto oil & filter change, tire rotation, and multi-point inspection for \$19.95.

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Vermilion County Speedway "1st Annual Pierce Party" (Night 1) at VCS Modified Special – Vermilion County Fairgrounds. UMP Modifieds - UMP Pro Late Models (Crates). Racing on Saturday & Sunday nights. UMP Street Stocks & UMP Hornets racing on Saturday; Pure Stocks & KidModz racing on Sunday. Gates Open at 3:00PM; Hot laps at 6:00PM; Qualifying 6:30PM. Grandstand Entry: \$15/adults, Kids 6-12 years/\$5; Kids 5 & Under Free. Pits: \$30/all ages. The band "Straight Shooter" will play after the races. Also rescheduled Dixie Chopper Night.

Moose Lodge 1001 Italian Beef & Buffet Dinner/Music – (U.S. Route 150 at Interstate 74) Dinner 5-7PM for \$6; The "Wildlife Band" performing from 7-10PM. Open to public.

Valley of Danville 32nd Degree Scottish Rite Masons Fundraiser – fundraiser for the preservation and operating expenses of the Danville Masonic Temple, 5-9PM at the Temple (109 W. North Street, Danville). Tickets for the event are \$100.00 per couple and include admission, dinner, drinks, games, etc. There will also be door prizes, cash prizes, raffles, and a silent auction. See flier [here](#).

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

Public Hayride at Forest Glen – meet at Staff Office Parking lot, 7PM. Call 217-662-2142 for more info.

CrossRoads Christian Church Community Concert of Prayer – (3613 N. Vermilion, Danville) Invite your neighbors and friends as they Cry out to Jesus in Prayer for the Nation, City, County, School & the Church of Jesus Christ, 7PM. For more info, call 217-443-4323.

"Jimmy Valdez" Band (formerly with Governor Davis Band) to play Classic Rock & Blues at the Friendly Tavern – 7-11PM

Turtle Run "LX4 Ultimate Sounds" on the Beer Deck – (332 East Liberty Lane, Danville) 8PM

Gino's Place at Days Hotel, ""Susan Williams Band"- (77 N. Gilbert, Danville) 8:30PM

Sunday, June 6, 2010

American Legion Post 210 Breakfast– (1600 N. Jackson Street, Danville) 9:00-11:30AM. Price determined by what is ordered off menu. Public invited.

Vermilion Handicap Assn. "John Clark Poker Memorial Run" at the Gao Grotto – (2400 Denmark Road, Danville) Registration 10AM-Noon. Cost is \$15 for singles & \$20 for couples. A meal will be provided at the end of the run. Call 217-662-6331 for more info.

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"Cuts for Kimberly" Fundraiser at Kevin & Co. for Kimberly Tauer (cancer) – (3607 N. Vermilion) Minimum donation of \$10 for haircut or manicure, 1-4PM. Only cash or checks accepted – donations for Kimberly can be made at any time at Kevin & Co.

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The Friends of Michael Puhr, Candidate for the Illinois House, sponsor a "Meet and Greet" at the Knights of Columbus – (310 Bryan Avenue, Danville) Finger foods will be available as well as tea and lemonade. Campaign materials and door prizes will also be available. Stop by and say hello from 1-5PM. There is no admission charge, but donations will be accepted.

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

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

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