

COMMUNITY

## **THURSDAY**

Table Tennis, 8:30 a.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Wii Bowling, 9:30 a.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Quilting, 9:30 a.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Billiards, 10 a.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Yankton Sertoma, noon, Pizza Ranch, 605-661-7159 Daily Reprieve, noon, non-smoking open meeting, 1019 W 9th

Avera Sacred Heart Hospital Toastmasters, noon, Benedictine Center; open session 605-665-6776 **Pinochle**, 12:45 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685

Dominos, 1 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Weight Watchers, 4 p.m., 413 W. 15th Street. Weigh in 1/2 hour

Weight Watchers, 5:30 p.m., 413 W. 15th Street. Weigh in 1/2

Take Off Pounds Sensibly (TOPS #SD 45), Weigh-in 5:30-6:30 p.m., meeting 6:30-7:30. RTEC building, 1200 W. 21st St. For more information call 605-665-3738 or 667-9274.

Yankton Area Banquet, 6 p.m., United Church of Christ, Fifth and

Celebrate Recovery, 7 p.m., Calvary Baptist Church, Youth Room #4, 2407 Broadway, Yankton, 605-665-5594
Freeman Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., non-smoking closed

meeting, City Hall, 3rd and Poplar, Freeman.

Yankton Alcoholics Anonymous, 8:30 p.m., open session, 1019 W

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### **FRIDAY**

Line Dancing, 9:30 a.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Quilting, 10 a.m.-3 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Exercise, 11 a.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Daily Reprieve, noon, non-smoking open meeting, 1019 W 9th

Bridge, 1 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Bingo, 7-9 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 (open to the public) Open Billiards, 7-9 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Vermillion Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., non-smoking closed

session, 16 1/2 Court St, Vermillion

Porchlight, 8 p.m., non-smoking closed session, United Church of Christ, 210 W 5th Street

## **SATURDAY**

Yankton Toastmaster Club 1294, 7:30 a.m., Fry'n Pan Restaurant. Open session; call 605-665-8448

Weight Watchers, 9 a.m., 413 W. 15th Street. Weigh in 1/2 hour

**Each Day a New Beginning,** 10 a.m., non-smoking closed session, 1019 W 9th Street Daily Reprieve, noon, non-smoking closed session, 1019 W 9th

Vermillion Unity Alcoholics Anonymous, 7:30 p.m. closed session, Trinity Lutheran Church, 816 E. Clark, Vermillion.

## **SUNDAY**

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 a.m., closed meeting, 1019 W. 9th

Tyndall Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., non-smoking, 1609 Lau-

Vermillion Unity Alcoholics Anonymous, 7:30 p.m., closed meeting, Trinity Lutheran Church, 816 E. Clark, Vermillion

## **MONDAY**

**Line Dancing,** 9:30 a.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 **Exercise,** 11 a.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Daily Reprieve, noon, open meeting non-smoking, 1019 W 9th St. Interchange, noon, Minerva's Bar and Grill, 605-660-8849.

Cribbage, 1 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685

Pinochle, 12:45 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685

Whist, 12:45 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685

Hand & Foot Cards, 1 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 River City Harmony Sweet Adelines, 6:30 p.m., First United

Methodist Church, 11th and Cedar, 605-661-7162

Daily Reprieve, 7 p.m., closed meeting non-smoking, 1019 W 9th

## **THIRD MONDAY**

Yankton Golf Advisory Board Meeting, noon, Fox Run Golf Course, 600 W. 27th Street, 605-668-5205 Friends Of The Yankton Community Library, 5:15 p.m., Yankton

Yankton Lions Club, 6 p.m. dinner, 6:30 p.m. meeting, JoDeans, Yankton American Legion Auxiliary, 7:30 p.m., VFW Building,

**Dave Says** 

# **Freezing Your Credit Report**

#### **BY DAVE RAMSEY**

Dear Dave,

Do you recommend a credit freeze in order to protect against identity theft?

#### Dear Eric,

I absolutely recommend doing that, especially if you're not borrowing money anymore. However, putting a freeze on your credit report only provides partial protection against identity theft.

Identity theft is where someone, for example, signs up for a credit card in your name. If Joe Crook signs an application with your name and address, and the credit card company issues the card without checking -they blind-issue cards about seven out of 10 times - then the card will be issued to the thief. Having your credit frozen does nothing to stop that from happening. Still, if they check your credit and it's frozen, chances are they won't issue the card.

I'd also recommend having a good identity theft protection program in place. I have it on myself and all my team members at the office. If you don't have this, and someone gets a card in your name, the credit card company will demand that you pay the bill. You can insist it's not vou, but that won't do much good. Then, you'll have to go through the hassle of filling out affidavits and police reports.

You may get out of paying for it in the end, but you'll still have to spend dozens, if not hundreds, of hours dealing with the credit card company trying to get the whole mess straightened out!

### **KEEPING MOTIVATION UP**

### Dear Dave,

I make \$30,000 a year. I've just started Baby Step 2 of your plan, and I'm paying off my debts from smallest to largest. I have \$55,000 in debt, including \$15,000 on a car loan. I recently picked up a part-time job to help pay down the debt, but sometimes I'm working 70 hours a week. Do you have any recommendation for staying motivated during this process?

### –Brandon

Dear Brandon, I understand, man. We can all get tired and run short on motivation from time to time. There's an old saying that fatigue makes cowards of us all. I know sometimes, when I'm traveling a lot, I can lose some boldness, strength or compassion when I get tired. So fatigue is a real issue if you're working long hours and facing additional pressure.

The balance on your car is awfully high. My general rule is that you don't want to own vehicles equaling half or

more of your annual income. If I'm in your shoes, I'd sell that car and move down to a little beater for a while. I'm not talking about a rattletrap piece of junk, just something lots less expensive. You can find a decent used car to fit the bill, and that would get rid of a big chunk of debt in a hurry.

At this point, I think you just need to feel like you're making some measureable progress. Sometimes, that means throwing a stick of dynamite into the middle of your life. Also, try keeping your debt snowball list where you'll see it on a regular basis. I knew one lady who kept in on the fridge, so she could look at all the little red lines drawn through things she had paid off. It was a visual reminder of the progress she had made, and it provided motivation to keep working hard and become debt-free!

—Dave

\* Dave Ramsey is America's trusted voice on money and business. He has authored five New York Times best-selling books: Financial Peace, More Than Enough, The Total Money Makeover, EntreLeadership and Smart Money Smart Kids. The Dave Ramsey Show is heard by more than 8 million listeners each week on more than 500 radio stations. Follow Dave on Twitter at @DaveRamsey and on the web at daveramsey.com.

## Chili Challenge And New Pork Butt Battle To Be Hosted at SD State Fair

HURON — Free events at the 2014 South Dakota State Fair will include the Pork Butt Battle sponsored by SD Pork Producers, Advanced BioEnergy and 1st Financial Bank USA, as well as Jack's Campers Chili Challenge

The Pork Butt Battle is new to the State Fair this year. Competitors will square off to see whose pork butt will come out on top. The event is sure to feature some of the best pork around.

Visitors to the fair are welcome to attend the People's Choice Tasting at 3 p.m. CDT on Friday, Aug. 29, at Horticulture Park. Visitors can taste each competitor's final product and vote for their favorite. If you think your pork butt is up to the challenge, rules and entry forms can be found on the South Dakota State Fair website under the Special Events section.

Jack's Campers Chili Challenge has made its home at the State Fair for many years. Participants from all over come to compete for the title of Best Chili. People's Choice Judging is again free to the public and will start at 1 p.m. CDT on Friday, Aug. 29. Rules and entry forms for the chal-

lenge can be found on the SD State Fair website under the Special Events section. First through third places and the people's choice winner in each contest will take home cash prizes.

The 2014 South Dakota State Fair will run from Thursday, Aug. 28, through Monday, Sept. 1. Channel Seeds Preview night will be Wednesday, Aug. 27. This year's theme is "What Does The Fair Say?"

For more information on State Fair events, contact the Fair office at 800-529-0900, visit www.sdstatefair.com or find them Facebook and



## **Neb. Artifact Show Slated** Aug.16

SEWARD, Neb. — The Nebraska Archaeological Society will host its 10th annual Nebraska Artifact Show at the Seward County Fairgrounds (Harvest Hall) in Seward, Nebraska, on Saturday, Aug. 16, from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. The show will feature exhibits of prehistoric stone artifacts originating from Nebraska and the Great Plains region.

At 1:30 p.m. a presentation entitled "A Brief History of Glass Beads in the Indian Trade" will be given by Jeffrey J. Richner of the National Park Service (retired).

Additional program features will include flint knapping and atlatl throwing demonstrations. The public is invited to bring artifacts and fossils to the show for identification by professional arche-

ologists and paleontologists. The Nebraska Artifact Show is a non-commercial show and as such the buying and selling of antiquities is strictly prohibited. The Nebraska Archaeological Society founded in 2004 is a non-profit organization with no paid officers or employees.



Thursday, August 14 7:40 am Yankton Conv/Vis Bureau (Stephanie Moser) 8:20 am Yankton Chamber

(Carmen Schramm) Friday, August 15 7:40 am Riverboat Days (John Kraft, Randy Oliver)

8:20 am United Way

(Lauren Hanson)

VNEA 8-9 Ball Sign-Ups & General Informational Meeting Thursday, August 14 • 7:00pm

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# GOLFERS WANTE

Come play in the **ANNUAL CHAMBER GOLF TOURNAMENT** 

Friday, Sept. 5 **Hillcrest Golf & Country Club** Registration Opens at 11 a.m. Shotgun Start at 1 p.m.

\$75/person
Add'I \$20/person for cart
(Includes 18 holes, dinner, prize eligibility, door prizes)

\$10 for 2 mulligans/person **FREE** games and optional pay to play challenges **PRIZES ON EVERY HOLE! Top 3 Placing Teams win Chamber Dollars and pro shop prizes** 

**Hole In One Hole Betting Hole Putting Contest** 

Let the Pro Make the Shot

Other fun games & give aways at holes

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