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June 5

Relay for Life at Veterans Park. For more information call (618) 242-6890.

June 6

Racing at the I-57/I-64 Raceway, Wells Bypass Road. Hot laps at 6 p.m. and racing starts at 6:30. For more information call (618) 244-4700.

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Girl Scouts of Shagbark Council Healthy Living/Go Green Event, Rend Lake Visitors Center, 10833 Rend Lake Dam Road, Benton, 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. Healthy living and environmental education booths and hands-on activities for all ages, plus a one-mile scenic hike on a Rend Lake walking trail. For more information call (618) 242-5079.

June 6-7

Jefferson County Historical Village, 1411 North 27th Street, open Saturday 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. and Sunday 1-4 p.m. Authentic log cabins and museum containing Jefferson County memorabilia. Free admission. For more information call (618) 246-0033.

June 7

Independent Silver Band Concert at Clinton County Historical Museum, Carlyle, 3 p.m. Historical music in period clothing. For more information call (618) 242-1537.

Featured This Week

On Thursday, June 4, approximately 50 people residing in the 38 southern counties of Illinois will take the Oath of Allegiance to become United States citizens at a Naturalization Ceremony to be held at Cedarhurst Center for the Arts in Mt. Vernon. The ceremony which is open to the public and begins at 10:00 a.m., will be held in the Performance Hall inside the Mitchell Museum building.

The individuals that will take the Oath of Allegiance originate from all over the world and, since arriving in the United States, have successfully completed the necessary steps

First Impressions Matter

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set forth by the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services.

Judge Kenneth Meyers, Chief Bankruptcy Judge for the Southern District of Illinois will preside over the ceremony and Mt. Vernon Mayor Mary Jane Chesley and Cedarhurst Center for the Arts Trustee Hunt Bonan will also address the group. A Mt. Vernon youth ensemble, featuring Trixie Amorado, Lamanda Bean, Elizabeth Burdett, Mollie Burdett, Amy Dickerson, Jessica Dickerson, Tyler McLane, David Price and Mary Stanfield will sing at the event under the direction of Kathy Just.

"One of the most interesting, and often moving events in the Naturalization Ceremony, commented Judge Meyers, is when the candidates for citizenship are given the opportunity to say a few words about becoming a United States citizen. If you have not been to a Naturalization Ceremony, you should take the time to come."

Fitness Centers

Curves

301 North 27th Street, 246-1287
Hours: M-F 7:30 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.; Saturday 7:30 - 10 a.m.

Mt. Vernon Fitness Center

1318 Salem Road, 244-5061
Hours: Open 24 hours

Rend Lake College Fitness Center

605 North 12th Street, 242-0027
Hours: M-F 6 a.m. - 9 p.m.; Saturday 7 a.m. - 3 p.m.; Sunday 1-6 p.m.

White Lotus Yoga Studio

4225 Lincolnshire, Suite C, 787-2929
Hours: Monday & Wednesday yoga classes at 8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 2 p.m., 4:15 p.m., and 5:30 p.m. Friday yoga classes at 8:30 a.m. Reiki also available.

YMCA

1304 Broadway, 242-7500
Hours: Monday-Thursday 5:30 a.m. - 9:30 p.m.; Friday 5:30 a.m. - 9 p.m.; Saturday 8 a.m. - 6 p.m.; Sunday 1-6 p.m.

June 1-7, 2009

This Week at Cedarhurst Center for the Arts

May 15 - July 26

The Cedarhurst Wood Project

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In Medias Res: Chris Wildrick

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CitiBlocs

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Mt. Vernon WOOD!

May 16 - July 26

Kapla Days

June 7

History of German Woodcarving

Hours:

Tuesday-Saturday, 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 1-5 p.m.
2600 Richview Road
Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
(618) 242-1236
www.cedarhurst.org

This Week at Showplace 8

Angels & Demons, PG13

12:40, 3:40, 7:00, 10:10

Dance Flick, PG13

1:50, 4:30, 7:40, 9:50

Drag Me To Hell, PG13

1:30, 4:20, 7:30, 10:00

Ghosts of Girlfriends Past, PG13

1:40, 4:40, 7:10

Night At The Museum: Battle of the Smithsonian, PG

12:50, 3:30, 6:50, 9:20

Star Trek, PG13

1:20, 4:10, 7:20, 10:20

Terminator Salvation, PG13

1:00, 4:00, 6:40, 9:30, 10:30

Up, PG

1:10, 3:50, 6:30, 9:10

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All times listed are p.m.

**Please double check movie times as they are subject to change.

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