



United Way of Vermillion
 P.O. Box 216, 24 East Cherry Street
 Vermillion, SD 57069
 605-624-5354

Dear Friends,

As noted throughout our brochure this year . . . because of your contribution, we are able to work toward achieving our mission of *giving together to build a stronger community*.

I want to personally thank you for your consideration of contributing to the United Way of Vermillion. Meeting our annual campaign goal means that United Way will continue to provide funding for the agencies and organizations in our community that face mounting challenges and costs. They are doing very meaningful work and rely upon United Way of Vermillion to help make that possible.

Because of your contribution . . . we are able to serve our community's children, families and seniors. We put great effort into raising a significant amount of money to create a positive impact within Vermillion and Clay County. Our goal in 2008 is to raise \$95,000. Through your continued support, United Way of Vermillion will continue to produce positive changes.

Thank you again for your assistance in helping us in our mission; *giving together to build a stronger community*.

Sincerely,
 Mary C. Merrigan
 President, United Way of Vermillion



COMMUNITY PROGRAMS

United Way of Vermillion and your contributions are helping to support the following agencies and programs by **Giving Together To Build A Stronger Community.**

Senior Citizens and Special Needs

- Prairie Freedom Center for Independent Living 605.367.5630
- Senior Citizen Center 605.624.8072
- Sanford Visiting Nurses..... 605.624.2611
- Vermillion Public Transit 605.624.7433

Youth Services

- Beyond School Adventure 605.677.8398
- Big Friends/Little Friends 605.356.2571
- Boy Scouts, Sioux Council 605.361.2697
- Center for Children and Families 605.677.5158
- Clay County Child Protection Team ... 605.677.7070
- Girl Scouts, Sioux Trails 605.624.4760
- Imagination Library 606.624.5354
- Vucurevich Children's Center 605.677.6880
- Vermillion Parks & Recreation
- Swimming Lessons 605.677.7081
- Welcome Table/Back To School 605.624.4159

Community Programs

- American Red Cross –
- Sioux Empire 605.336.2448
- Domestic Violence
- Safe Option Services 605.624.5311
- LSS Consumer Credit Counseling 605.357.0137
- LSS Mental Health Counseling 605.357.5228
- Rural Office of
- Community Services, Inc 605.487.7634
- Salvation Army 605.624.3379
- Vermillion Area Arts Council not available
- W.H.Over Museum 605.677.5228

United Way of Vermillion 2008 Campaign Pledge Form

Choose your payment option, complete this form with your information and return it to:

United Way of Vermillion
 P.O. Box 216
 Vermillion, SD 57069

Your Name _____

Home Address _____

City _____

State / Zip _____

Employer _____

Signature _____

The Total Amount I Pledge is

\$ _____

Leadership Giving HEART CLUB MEMBER

- Platinum (over \$2000)
- Gold (\$1000 - \$1999)
- Silver (\$500 - \$999)
- Bronze (\$250 - \$499)



I am combining my gift with my spouse

Name: _____

Work Place: _____

- Please print my/our name in any Heart Club materials
- I/we prefer to remain anonymous

1. Payroll Deduction

I authorize my employer to deduct my pledge as follows:

A total gift of \$ _____ over _____ pay periods at _____ dollars per period.

Start date: _____

End date: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

2. Cash or Check

My total cash/check donation is \$ _____

- Cash
- Check (Make payable to United Way of Vermillion)

For giving of securities please contact United Way of Vermillion at 605-624-5354.

3. Credit Card

Please use one of the 3 credit card payment options listed on the following webpage: www.unitedwayofvermillion.org



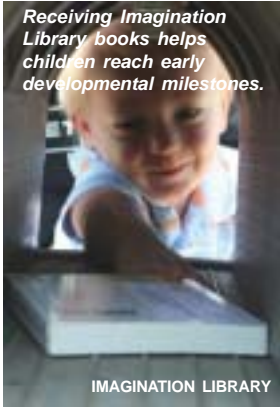
Your generous support is a gift to your entire community!

Because of your contribution . . .



Seniors in our community have nutritional meals, transportation, and companionship available to them.

SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER



Receiving Imagination Library books helps children reach early developmental milestones.

IMAGINATION LIBRARY



Over 500 children in our community are able to take affordable swimming lessons.

RED CROSS SWIMMING LESSONS



Family services and counseling services are available to strengthen the quality of life for individuals and families in our communities.

HOSPICE NURSES



PHOTOS BY WHITNEY HOLLINGSWORTH

Over 500 children in our community are provided high quality, safe child care centers.

CHILDCARE PROGRAM



Over 700 children are able to participate in local groups such as Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Girls Softball, and Big Friends Little Friends. Children involved in these types of activities are less likely to use illegal drugs and skip school. Self confidence and school performance also increase.

GIRL SCOUTS

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VUGUREVICH CHILDREN'S CENTER



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