

VAFM  
Board Meeting  
September 11, 2016

### ***Our Mission***

The purpose of the Corporation, as adopted by its Board of Directors, are: The management and promotion of the Vermillion Area Farmers Market; the promotion of locally grown produce, grain, dairy and other food items and local artisan crafts by providing opportunities for local producers and local craftspeople to sell to local consumers; the education of the public about agricultural products and concerns; and to educate the public on the benefits of locally grown and organic foods.

Old

1. Upcoming Events / Volunteers  
October 20 Visiting Author – book reading/signing  
October 27 Trick or Treat at Market  
Punkin' Chunkin – John Jordre should be in charge!  
Caitlin will take charge of Gourd Bowling  
Winter market event – soup and silent auction, Linda  
Cocktail party in new year- Caitlin, Stacey?  
~~November 3, tentatively, Harvest Dinner~~
2. Website/Facebook – update
3. Token project – Caitlin – update
4. Track income at market – update – on Google Drive
5. Reach out to high school
6. Reach out to volunteers
7. New shirts, bags? Contest for slogans?
8. Winter market dates

At 4H on

November 12

December 10 (USD Commencement)

January 21

February 18

March 18

April 15

New Stuff

9. Elena event “The plan as of now (open for revision) is to have one big event on either Thursday afternoon or Saturday morning during Farmer's Market hours - preferably Thursday. I would like to have the event outside, so it would be great if we could have it before it gets too cold outside. The Farmer's Market would go on as it usually does, but we would also bring live music, yard games, and a South Dakota political leader to talk about local government and how to become more involved. I also want to find a way to serve food throughout the evening. I may do this by asking a local business to be a vendor.”
10. Fundraising committee?
11. Letter to SESDAC – thanks.
12. Next meeting?
  
13. Homework

- a. Fund raising – think now
- b. Read descriptions of each board member (from by laws – attached) Will email all bylaws
  - i. Elections – let’s get on a rotation so not everyone is up for re-election at the same time!
    1. Caitlin – term through 2018
    2. Stacy
    3. John
    4. Linda
    5. Amy
    6. Grace

<b>First</b>	<b>Last</b>	<b>Business Name</b>	<b>Weekly/Season</b>	
Jessica	Priem		annual	
Dale & Rena	Hebda	Hebda Family Produce	annual	Ask for liability certificate
Garry & Barb	Johnson	Lip Smakin' Jellies	weekly, senior	Ask for liability certificate
Alafia & Marije	Wright	God's Green Earth	weekly/student	
Marvin	DeBlauw	Waucapona Farms	Annual	Ask for liability certificate
L. Grace	Freeman	Prairie Moon Herbs	??	
Amy	Schweinle	Amy's Herbs	annual	
William	Schweinle	Schweinle Sharpening	annual	
Stephanie	Ufford	Ufford Hills LLC	annual	Ask for liability certificate
John	Jordre	Red Wagon Bread	annual	Ask for liability certificate
Kevin (Sherrie)	Huot	Fresh Fixins	weekly	
Linda	Lane	Country Lane	annual	Ask for liability certificate
Nathaniel & Jessica	Preheim	Windstone Buffalo Union County Conservation District	annual/student	Have liability certificate
Sarah	Wells		non-profit	
Caitlin	Collier	Elysian Fields / REC	annual	
Audrey & John	Dutton		weekly	
Michele	Turner Gunderson	Red Bird Balloons	weekly	
Jon	n	Gundys Farmers Market	weekly	Ask for liability certificate
Liza	Larson	Habitat for Humanity	non-profit	
Erin & Koalin	Nelson	Irish Twins Soap Co.	??	Ask for liability certificate
Carrie	Stepp	Stepp Enterprises NutriRoots	Weekly	
Anna	Glenski	Open Ocean	Weekly	
Emmalene	Aubrey	Emmalene's Handwerk	Weekly	Have liability certificate
Tom	Martin	Angry Bees Gnarly Vines	Weekly	