

College Week

Weekly announcements for the Bennington College Community

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

OCTOBER 4TH TO OCTOBER 12TH

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EVENTS ASTERISKED (*) ARE FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1986

- 10:00-11:00 a.m. AEROBICS: Newman Court, VAPA.
- 10:00 a.m. to
5:00 p.m. *BENNINGTON GARDEN CLUB SALE: Antiques, jewelry, art, linens, household goods, crafts, cookbooks, garden books, house plants. Come and browse. Sandwiches and baked goods all day: OLD FIRST CHURCH BARN, MONUMENT CIRCLE, OLD BENNINGTON.
- 1:30-2:30 p.m. *AA MEETING: DICKINSON 117. If you think you may have a problem with alcohol, come and talk to others who have been there.
- 2:00 p.m. *SOCCER WITH HAMPSHIRE COLLEGE (away). Note that this date is the opposing teams' Parents' Weekend, and it is VITAL that players show!
- 8:00 p.m. *POETRY READING BY THEODORE WEISS, poet and professor at Bard College in Hubbard Hall, Cambridge, New York.
- 8:00 p.m. *NEW ENGLAND BACH FESTIVAL CONCERT; "INTIMATE MUSE," works for lute and viola da gamba: WEST VILLAGE MEETING HOUSE, South Street, Brattleboro, Vt. Information call 257-4523.
- 8:00 p.m. *BETTY CARTER, internationally acclaimed jazz singer, accompanied by her trio of musicians on bass, drums and piano, will perform in Chapin Hall on the Williams College Campus.
- 9:00 p.m. MOVIE: "Alien," Tishman.

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10:00 p.m. COFFEEHOUSE ENTERTAINMENT: The performing group will be, "They Might be Giants," New Dining Room.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1986

10:00 a.m. "The Bennington College Report," will be heard every Sunday at this time on WHTC-FM, 94.3 on your dial.

10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. *BENNINGTON GARDEN CLUB SALE (see above description under Sat., Oct. 4th).

1:00 p.m. *COED TENNIS GAME WITH SIMONS ROCK COLLEGE (home).

MONDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1986

5:00-6:00 p.m. AEROBICS: Newman Court, VAPA.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 7, 1986

11:30-2:00 p.m. VOTER REGISTRATION: Commons Lounge Area. If you are eighteen or over, exercise your right to vote. There are many important issues and closely contested races for office coming up in the November 4th elections. You can vote in Vermont or, if you are already registered elsewhere, find out how to send in an absentee ballot. Voter registration representatives will be on campus to help you register.

9:00 p.m. MOVIE: "The Tall Blonde Man with One Black Shoe," Tishman.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1986

12:30-1:30 p.m. *AL-ANON MEETING: Dickinson 117. If someone's drinking bothers you, come and talk to others who feel the same feelings you do.

1:00 p.m. COMMUNITY LIFE MEETING: Green Dining Rm.

3:00 p.m. HOUSE CHAIRPERSONS MEETING: Franklin Living Room.

3:30 p.m. *MEN'S SOCCER WITH ST. JOSEPHS COLLEGE (home).

- 4:00-5:30 p.m. DRAMA WORKSHOP run by and for the students in VAPA. All are welcome. Here's your chance to experiment -- bring your ideas for running any workshop to David Groupe. This workshop is scheduled for every Wednesday between 4:00 and 5:30 p.m.
- 5:00-6:00 p.m. AEROBICS: Newman Court, VAPA.
- 8:00 p.m. *ROBB GOLDSTEIN, an extraordinary performer, storyteller, and historian, will present "Grandma Moses in Story & Song," at the Bennington Museum, West Main Street, Bennington, VT. Info. call 447-1571.
- 8:00 p.m. *SOUTH AFRICA: Former Australian Prime Minister and Co-Chairman of the Commonwealth Eminent Persons Group and a forum of leaders in the discussion of governmental and institutional response to developments in South Africa. MEAD MEMORIAL CHAPEL at Middlebury College. This two-hour program will be broadcast nationally over the facilities of the American Public Radio Network. Although this event is free and open to the public, everyone attending must be in their seat no later than 7:30 p.m. For information call 388-3711, ext. 5198.
- THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1986
- 12:30-2:00 p.m. LINEN SERVICE: Commons Lounge.
- 7:00-8:00 p.m. *"ERA: The Legal Dimensions." BARN 1. Last in a series of discussions on the ERA. Participants include Jonathan Chase, dean of Vermont Law School and William O'Brien, a practicing attorney from Burlington. Sponsored by the Social Sciences Division.
- 8:00 p.m. *OPENING FOR TWO EXHIBITIONS: Sidney Tillim will show his work, "Paintings," covering almost four decades. Forty objects of tribal use will be shown as "Selections from the Molly and Walter Bareiss Collection of African Art." SUZANNE LEMBERG USDAN GALLERY.
- 8:00 p.m. *THE LITERATURE AND LANGUAGES DIVISION presents a lecture entitled "Proust and Evil" by Antoine Compagnon of Columbia University, author of La Seconde Main - Nous, Michel de Montaigne, BARN 1.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1986

5:00-6:00 p.m. AEROBICS: Newman Court, VAPA.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1986

10:00-11:00 a.m. AEROBICS: Newman Court, VAPA.

1:00 p.m. *WOMEN'S TENNIS MATCH WITH TRINITY COLLEGE (home).

1:30-2:30 p.m. *AA MEETING: Dickinson 117. If you think you may have a problem with alcohol, come and talk with others who have been there.

2:00 p.m. *COED SOCCER GAME WITH SIMONS ROCK COLLEGE (home).

9:00 p.m. MOVIE: "Monty Python's The Meaning of Life," Tishman.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1986

9:30 a.m. "Dialog" on Vermont Public Television (Channel 79) starts a 13-week series of student debates on current issues. U.S. and Canadian students are teamed against debaters from Europe. Seventh in the series, NOVEMBER 23, will be the teams including BENNINGTON'S SCOTT MORRISON debating economic sanctions against South Africa.

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3:00 p.m. *NEW ENGLAND BACH FESTIVAL CONCERT B MINOR MASS, Persons Auditorium, Marlboro College, Marlboro.

8:00 p.m. *SAGE CITY SYMPHONY will present its first concert of the 1986-87 season in the North Bennington School.

A N N O U N C E M E N T S

BENNINGTON COLLEGE POST OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED COLUMBUS DAY, OCTOBER 13th.

CALENDAR PREVIEW: On Tuesday, October 14th at 1:00 p.m. in Barn 88, Dr. Mary Cattani, Program Coordinator for The College Year in Scandinavia, will give a slide presentation on this opportunity to study in Denmark, Finland, Norway, or Sweden.

MINORITY GRADUATE FELLOWSHIPS: The Ford Foundation is sponsoring graduate fellowships in the behavioral and social sciences, humanities, engineering, mathematics, and physical and biological sciences for members of minority groups. The deadline for entering the competition is November 14, but interested students should visit the office of the Dean of Studies well in advance of that date in order to obtain information about the program and the application process.

THE WEEKLY BLACK MUSIC LISTENING SESSION, regularly scheduled every Wednesday from 6:30-8:30 p.m., is canceled for Wednesday, October 8, 1986.

WILLIAMS COLLEGE PLANETARIUM OPENS: The Milham Planetarium of the Hopkins Observatory of Williams College has opened for the 1986-87 season with the show "1986's Spectaculars: Halley's Comet and Voyager at Uranus." Doors open every Friday at 7:00 p.m. for a 7:30 p.m. show. For free reservations, call (413) 597-2188

THE HEALTH SERVICE is open daily from 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. (3:00 p.m.-11:00 p.m. on weekends). A nurse is on duty when the Infirmary is open. During night hours, after 11:00 p.m. Security arranges emergency transportation to the Southwestern Vermont Medical Center. A college physician is available five days a week during clinic hours. Appointments for doctor visits should be arranged either through the nurse on duty or the secretary.

THE PSYCHOLOGICAL COUNSELING SERVICE is open from 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. daily. Students wishing to make an appointment may call the secretary on extension 208. Students may also come directly to the Counseling Service on the second floor of Commons to schedule an appointment. This office may be reached from the street on either end of the building.

THE UNIVERSAL COUNSELING HOURS have resumed their normal schedule of every Wednesday, 2:00-3:00 p.m.

PARENTS DAY CALENDAR INCLUDED IN THIS ISSUE OF COLLEGE WEEK.

PARENTS' DAY

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1986

- 9:00 - 11:00 am CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST
Tickets may be purchased at the door.
(By advance registration) COMMONS DINING ROOMS
- 9:00 am - noon FINANCIAL AID OFFICE OPEN
Meg Woolmington, Financial Aid Officer,
will be available for consultation. BARN 41
- 9:00 am - 4:00 pm REGISTRATION/INFORMATION
Parents please register at our table in NEWMAN COURT (VAPA)
You will receive information, name tags, dinner tickets,
coffee and a friendly greeting. Please sign our roster.
- 10:00 - 11:00 am DANCE DIVISION (Barbara Roan, Division Secretary)
Informal showing of works in progress. MARTHA HILL
- 10:00 - 11:00 am SCIENCE & MATHEMATICS DIVISION (Reinoud van der Linde,
Division Secretary) Discussion with faculty and
students. Advanced students will discuss their senior
projects, a demonstration will be given in the computer
room, and the greenhouse will be visited. DICKINSON 239
- 11:00 am - noon FIELD WORK TERM
Alice T. Miller, Director of Student Affairs and
Nola White, Associate Director of Student Affairs -
Placement. Students will join in a presentation
of the philosophy, the process and practice of the
FWT with particular emphasis on the first FWT
experience. Discussion and questions to follow. GREENWALL
- 11:00 am - noon EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER
The history of the center as an educational resource
for children and college students will be shown
through slides and a tour of the present facilities.
Sally Sugarman, Director EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER
- 11 am - 12:45 pm BRUNCH
Tickets may be purchased at the door.
(By advance registration) COMMONS DINING ROOMS
- Noon - 1:15 pm VIDEO AT BENNINGTON
The video presentation on Bennington, completed as an
all-student production, is informative, interesting and
skillfully done. Intended to introduce prospective
students to the College, it will give a lift to parents,
alumni and friends as well. It's short, lively and not
to be missed. (10 minute video run continuously through
the hour.) VAPA VIDEO STUDIO, ROOM P112

12:15 - 1:15 pm SOCIAL SCIENCE DIVISION (Kenneth Kensinger, Division Secretary) Coffee hour with Social Science faculty.
GREEN DINING ROOM

1:20 - 2:20 pm PARENTS COMMITTEE GREENWALL
Jerry Axelrod, Trustee and Chair, Parents Committee
INTERIM PRESIDENT'S WELCOME ADDRESS
John Williams
PANEL DISCUSSION/QUESTION & ANSWER PERIOD
John Williams, Interim President; Ron Cohen, Dean of Faculty; Rush Welter, Dean of Studies.

2:25 - 3:25 pm DRAMA DIVISION (Leroy Logan, Division Secretary)
"Auditions," a workshop designed to explore the immediate kinds of choices an actor can make when encountering unfamiliar material, and practical choices involving how best to present themselves to potential directors. There will be a panel of directing students and faculty adviser Janis Young. Everyone is encouraged to attend; anyone interested in auditioning will be given unprepared material brought into the workshop. VAPA D208

3:30 - 4:30 pm LITERATURE AND LANGUAGES DIVISION (Arturo Vivante, Division Secretary) Arturo Vivante will read from his short stories. BARN 1

4:35 - 5:35 pm MUSIC DIVISION (Gunnar Schonbeck, Division Secretary)
Students and faculty in performance and performing original student works and selected works by the Bennington College Chorus under the direction of Randall Neale. GREENWALL

5:30 pm DINNER
Please be our guests at dinner. (You must present your tickets at the door to be served.) Wine available for purchase. Roving musicians. COMMONS DINING ROOMS

7 pm EXPERIMENTAL ORCHESTRA
(Group participation)
Gunnar Schonbeck COMMONS THEATRE

9:00 pm - 1:00 am DANCE
(Music by Common Courtesy)
Cash Bar. GREENWALL

THROUGHOUT THE DAY

- 9:00 am - 5:00 pm STUDENT PHOTOGRAPHY BARN GALLERY (WEST HALL)
- 9:00 am - 5:00 pm VISUAL ARTS DIVISION
Student exhibition GALLERIAS & THROUGHOUT VAPA
- 10:00 am - 5:00 pm BOOKSTORE OPEN BARN ANNEX
- 10:00 am - 3:00 pm THE COMMONS MARKET
Exhibit and sale of student work. COMMONS LOUNGE
- 11:00 am - 4:00 pm ART EXHIBITS
Forty objects of tribal use will be shown as
"Selections from the Molly and Walter Bareiss
Collection of African Art."
and
"Paintings" -- 20 figurative and abstract works by
critic and faculty member Sidney Tillim
SUZANNE LEMBERG USDAN GALLERY
- Noon - 10:00 pm JAPAN FOUNDATION BOOK DISPLAY
In 1985, Joanna Kirkpatrick and former library director
Toni Peterson submitted a proposal for the Library
Support Program sponsored by the Japan Foundation. The
Foundation was established in 1972 for the purpose of
international cultural and educational exchange. The
proposal was successful and Crossett Library received
over 150 books in English on Japanese culture, history,
literature and art. THE EDWARD CLARK CROSSETT LIBRARY
- 1:00 pm WOMEN'S TENNIS WITH TRINITY COLLEGE TENNIS COURTS
- 2:00 pm CO-ED SOCCER WITH SIMON'S ROCK SOCCER FIELD