

Getting Around

The shuttle to Williamstown will run every Saturday beginning at 10:30 am (meet at the flagpole) and returning to Bennington through 4:30 pm (meet at library).

LONG WEEKEND SHUTTLES	To Albany from Bennington (shuttle departs from the flagpole)				
	Date	Campus Departure	Train Station Arrival	Bus Station Arrival	Airport Arrival
	Thurs, October 17	4:00 pm	5:10 pm	5:25 pm	6:00 pm
	Fri, October 18	10:00 am	11:10 am	11:25 am	12:00 pm
To Bennington College from Albany					
Date	Train Station Departure	Bus Station Departure	Airport Departure		
Sunday, October 20	8:00 pm	8:25 pm	9:00 pm		
Monday, October 21	4:00 pm	4:25 pm	5:00 pm		
	8:00 pm	8:25 pm	9:00 pm		

Sign-ups are due to the Office of Student Life by Wednesday, October 9, at 3:00 pm.

Please note: Cancellations received after October 9 are non-refundable.

Long Weekend Trips (sign-ups at Student Life)

Mallbany Day Trip, Saturday, October 19. The van departs at 9:00 am and will return by 5:00 pm. Cost is only \$5.

Day Trip to Boston — the oldest city in North America! Sunday, October 20. The van departs at 9:00 am and will return by 10:00 pm. Students will be dropped off at the New England Aquarium and are free to explore the city from there. Check out the Museum of Fine Arts, Quincy Market, Newbury Street, Boston Harbor, or any number of sights and attractions. Cost is only \$10.

Growing Pains: Identity and Independence in College

April Stein, Director of Psych. Services, will talk about navigating issues of identity and independence while at college. The talk will cover a variety of emotional difficulties that arise when transitioning into adulthood and will offer suggestions and techniques for handling this transition. Monday, October 14, at 8:00 pm in Commons Lounge.

The Fall Blood Drive is scheduled for Wednesday, October 30, from 11:00 am-4:00 pm in Greenwall

Sign ups for donors, volunteers, and cooks are at the Office of Student Life. Contact Jeanne Coleman with any questions, and please spread the word!



Announcements

- **The final S.E.A. deadline is Tuesday, October 8, at 5:00 pm.** Guidelines for proposals are available at the Office of Student Life or on the S.E.A. Facebook page. All questions or proposals should be sent to sea@bennington.edu.
- **Poetry at Bennington presents: Alex Dimitrov.** The schedule of events is as follows:
 - **Poetry and social media:** Tuesday, October 8, from 5:00-6:00 pm, EAC 1.
 - **Conversation with Bennington faculty:** Wednesday, October 9, at 5:00 pm, EAC 1.
 - **Poetry Reading:** Wednesday, October 9, at 7:00 pm, Tishman.
- **HIV activists Rev. Mark Kiyimba, Beyonce Karungi, and Flavia Kyomukama, will speak in Eileen Scully's Public Action class** on Wednesday, October 9, at 10:00 am in Dickinson 225. An open conversation will follow over lunch in the Dining Hall Purple Room.
- **Enjoy visual and movement improvisation performances by faculty J. Isherwood, S. Sgorbati, S. Badolo, E. Demyanenko, G. Welliver, and D. Roberts.** Wednesday, October 9, at 7:00 pm in VAPA E303.
- **What Science Has To Say About Death.** Faculty Andrew McIntyre will kick off the Interfaith Community's speaker series, *The Death Question: An Exploration Of The End.* Wednesday, October 9, at 7:00 pm in EAC 1.
- **Dr. Patricia Duff from the University of British Columbia will present Second Language Socialization: Exploring Identity, Agency, and Culture in Language Learning** on Thursday, October 10, in Ginger Lin's Chinese Chan class at 10:10 am in Barn 244 and at 7:00 pm in the EAC 1.
- **Renowned Indian activists Sister Lucy and Gaus Sayyad of Maher will be visiting campus on Thursday, October 10.** Scheduled activities are as follows:
 - **Lunch with Sister Lucy:** noon, Dining Hall Red Room.
 - **Open visit to Business Incubator class:** 3:30 pm, CAPA Design Lab II.
 - **Conversation with Sister Lucy:** 6:00 pm, Cricket Hill Barn.
- **Come to the first meeting of Be Mindful: Substances, Meditation, and Support.** We will discuss substances and their use, and plan events for the term including drug education, a drug support group, and sober weekend activities. Come prepared with ideas! Thursday, October 10, at 9:00 pm in Barn 100.
- **Genelle Rankin '14 and Joe Kendrick '15 will present lab work they did over the summer this week at Science Workshop.** Friday, October 11, at 1:00 pm in Dickinson 225.
- **SEPC will host a Science Social Potluck.** It will begin with a screening of *Bill Nye the Science Guy*. Bring a dish if you can; pizza will be provided! Saturday, October 12, at 7:00 pm in Tishman/Reading Room.
- **Crossett Library is accepting applications for the Student Library Research Grant.** The grant provides for the reimbursement of up to \$300 in travel and miscellaneous research-associated expenses. Applications are due Friday, November 1.
- **The BSFP invites you to check out the herb garden labyrinth behind the Ohio parking lot!** Start at the entrance by the mailbox and walk the spiral round and round.

⌘denotes events open to the public Student Organizations are noted in blue

Monday, October 7

6:00 pm *Swimming Club, Bennington Rec Center*
 7:00 pm *Climbing, Meyer Rec Barn*
 7:00 pm *Basketball, Meet at flagpole*
 7:00 pm *Bennington WELLness Project, EAC Study Room 1*
 8:00 pm *Latin@ Club, UpCafé*

Tuesday, October 8

All Day **S.E.A. applications due to sea@bennington.edu**
 12:30 pm *Mill Town Project Seminar Series | Adam Calfee, Dickinson 225 ⌘*
 1:00 pm *Archery Club, Soccer Field*
 6:00 pm *Poetry at Bennington | Alex Dimitrov (lecture), EAC1 ⌘*
 7:00 pm *Climbing, Meyer Rec Barn*
 7:00 pm *Meditation in Motion (Yoga), Meyer Rec Barn*
 8:00 pm *French Club, Down Commons*
 9:00 pm *Bennington Sustainable Food Project, Down Commons*

Wednesday, October 9

10:00 am *HIV/AIDS Activists | Kiyimba, Karungi, Kyomukama, Dickinson 225 ⌘*
 11:30 am *Budget and Events Committee Walk-ins, Down Commons*
 1:00 pm *Left at Bennington, Perkins Living Room*
 4:00 pm *Soccer Practice, Soccer Field*
 5:00 pm *Poetry at Bennington | Alex Dimitrov (conversation), EAC1 ⌘*
 7:00 pm *Faculty New Work Performance, VAPA E303 ⌘*
 7:00 pm *Poetry at Bennington | Alex Dimitrov (reading), Tishman ⌘*
 7:00 pm *What Science Has To Say About Death, EAC1*
 7:00 pm *Climbing, Meyer Rec Barn*
 7:00 pm *Meditation in Motion (Yoga), Meyer Rec Barn*
 7:00 pm *Dodgeball, Greenwall*

Thursday, October 10

11:30 am *Academic Program International, Down Commons*
 12:00 pm *Lunch with Sister Lucy and Gus Sayyad, Dining Hall Red Room*
 12:45 pm *Queer, DownCafé*
 6:00 pm *Conversation with Sister Lucy and Gus Sayyad, Cricket Hill Barn*
 7:00 pm *Second Language Socialiation, EAC1 ⌘*
 7:00 pm *Basketball, Meet at flagpole*
 7:00 pm *Climbing, Meyer Rec Barn*
 7:30 pm *Swimming Club, Bennington Rec Center*
 9:00 pm *Be Mindful: Substances, Meditation, and Support, Barn 100*
 10:00 pm *PAC Presents: Adam Grabowski (student opener), Student Center*

Friday, October 11

11:30 am *SIT, Down Commons*
 1:00 pm *Science Workshop | Genelle Rankin and Joe Kendrick, Dickinson 225*
 3:00 pm *Party Pack Training, DownCafé*
 4:00 pm *Soccer Practice, Soccer Field*
 4:00 pm *DREAM, UpCafé*
 7:00 pm *Climbing, Meyer Rec Barn*

7:00 pm *Salsa Workshop, VAPA E303*
 7:00 pm *Broadway @ Bennington, Dickinson 225*
 7:15 pm *Classic Film Series, Kinoteca*
 7:30 pm *Global Bennington Connect, EAC 1*
 7:30 pm *Bennington Environmental Action Group, EAC Lounge*
 8:00 pm *Machinal, Margot Tenney ⌘*

Saturday, October 12

10:00 am *ZUMBA with Betsy Dunham, Meyer Rec Barn*
 1:00 pm *Climbing, Meyer Rec Barn*
 1:00 pm *Interfaith Community, EAC Off Campus Lounge*
 2:00 pm *Badminton Club, Greenwall Auditorium*
 4:00 pm *Chess Club, Student Center*
 6:00 pm *BSFP Presents: Beetsappalooza! Purple Carrot Farm*
 7:00 pm *Animation Club, Dickinson 225*
 7:00 pm *Swing and Social Dance, VAPA E303*
 8:00 pm *Machinal, Margot Tenney*
 9:30 pm *PAC Presents: Trevor Wilson & Vocal Ensemble + Ethan Woods Trio, Barn 100*

Sunday, October 13

1:00 pm *Tennis Clinics, Tennis Courts*
 1:00 pm *Climbing, Meyer Rec Barn*
 2:00 pm *Bennington Movement Collective, Greenwall Auditorium*
 2:00 pm *Soccer Practice, Soccer Field*
 3:00 pm *Bennington Free Press, UpCafé*
 3:00 pm *Bennington Movement Collective, Greenwall Auditorium*
 4:00 pm *Ultimate Frisbee Open Practice, Soccer Field*
 4:00 pm *Archery Club, Soccer Field*
 4:00 pm *DREAM, Down Commons*
 6:30 pm *Mind Familiarity Group, CAPA Zen Garden*
 7:00 pm *Luminaries, End of the World*

Study-Abroad and Grant Opportunities 11:30 am-1:00 pm in Commons

- **Academic Program International:** Thursday, October 10
- **SIT:** Friday, October 11

Open Hours:**Dean's Office (Barn 123)**

Isabel Roche, dean of the College: Mon, noon-1:00 pm

Duncan Dobbeltmann, associate dean of the College: Fri, noon-1:00 pm

Laurie Kobik, assistant dean for academic services: Mon & Wed, 12:30-1:30 pm

Academic Services (Barn 120)

Kate Child, assistant director for academic services: Tues & Thurs, 1:00-2:00 pm

Kendra Ericson, assistant director for academic services: Mon & Wed, 1:00-2:00 pm

Noelle Everett Murphy, assistant director for academic services: Mon-Wed, 12:30-2:00 pm

FWT and CDO Office (Barn 113)

Walk-ins welcome anytime Mon-Fri, 9:00 am-5:00 pm

Holly McCormack, dean of Field Work Term: Thurs, 12:30-1:30 pm

Erica Walsh, director of FWT and Career Development: Tues and Thurs, 1:00-2:00pm