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### housekeeping

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Out-of-house room changes begin this Sunday! Room Change applications are due by Tuesday, September 18 at noon and are available with house chairs and in the Office of Student Life.

Appeals for the spring 2012 term are due to the Office of Student Life by Friday, September 21. Appeal forms are available in the Office of Student Life and on the Bennington website under "forms" in the student section.

# bennington athletics



**Working out just got easier!** You can now use your Bennington Card in the MRB to pay for punch cards for fitness classses! Cash and checks are still accepted in the Office of Student Life.

FREE Tennis Clinics, provided by the Bennington Tennis Center, will be held Tuesdays and Thursdays from 4:00-6:00 pm.

#### **MRB** Classes

Monday 6:30 pm - **ZUMBA** with Katie Hayden Tuesday 7:00 pm - **Meditation in Motion** with Jaymee Weaver Wednesday 4:00 pm - **Pilates** with Donna Menneto Thursday 7:00 pm - **Vinyasa Yoga** with Alix Schrager

Punchcards are required for admittance into classes and can be purchased at the MRB using your Bennington Card or in Student Life if you prefer to pay with cash or check.

The soccer team will play two away games this week against Landmark College and Bard's College at Simon's Rock. Wish your footballers luck!



#### Like BAD on Facebook!

For updates and information on athletics, intramurals, trips, rec barn classes, the outdoor program and much more, Like BAD on Facebook! https://www.facebook.com/BenningtonAthleticDepartment

The **Ultimate Frisbee team** meets on Sundays at 1:00 pm, and Tuesdays/Thursdays at 1:15 pm on the lawn. contact Nico Dregni at ndregni@bennington.edu for more information.

Are you Bike Savvy? The college will be offering a two day bike intensive that will<br/>provide you with the tools you need to bike with confidence wherever you go!Friday, September 21:Truth and Techniques Training, 5:30-8:30 pm, Cricket Hill<br/>Honing Bike Skills, 9:00 am-12:00 pm, CAPA/VAPA CircleSaturday, September 22:Tour of Bennington by Bike, 1:00 pm, All around townSign up for this event through Matt Scott in the Office of Student Life. Open to the first<br/>12 participants. Helmets Required!

The Budget and Events Committee will be meeting on Monday, September 17.

- The **Drop period** ends Wednesday, September 19. Forms are available in the Dean's Office. This is also the **last day to request letter grades**.
- Sacred Harp Singing School classes will gather to sight-sing four-part shape-note hymns led by a "singing master." Singing masters include Allison Steel on Nov 1; Ben Bath on September 20, 27, and October 25; and Dan Hertzler on October 4 and 11. 7:00-9:30 pm in Greenwall. Open to the public.
- Field Work Term Prep Workshops. Week 2: Learn how to use the FWT database, other internship search sites, and non-job posting sites to identify potential opportunities. Bring a laptop if you have one. Series is desgined to walk students through the FWT process. A new topic is offered each week. Studens who attend all 6 will be awarded 15 supplemental hours. Monday, September 17, 6:00-7:00 pm; Wednesday, September 19, 4:00-5:00 pm; and Friday, September 21, 12:30-1:30 pm in EAC 2.
- Weekly science, math workshop for students and faculty. In particular, students with plans in science and/or math are encouraged to attend. Friday, September 21 from 1:00-1:50 pm in Dickinson 225.
- Join the Outdoor Program for horseback riding at Rocky Top Stables! Sign up in the Office of Student Life. Saturday, September 22 from 12:30-4:00 pm. \$25. Meet at the flagpole.
- Looking for something to do on campus? Make sure to "like" the **Program Activity Council (PAC)** on facebook for up to date event information.
- The **Coffee Hour minutes deadline has changed!** Please send your submissions to coffeehour@bennington.edu by 9:00 pm on Thursdays. Submissions should be brief and ready to print. All submissons are subject to editing.
- Is your **Bennington Card in need of a face lift?** If your card is worn out and not "swiping" or if your ID picture is no longer easily recognizable, please come to the Office of Student Life between 11:30 am-1:00 pm Mon-Fri to get a new card printed—at no cost to you! (This is also a good opportunity to update that senior prom photo you sent in when you were a freshman!).
- **Posting posters?** If your event is related to the Bennington College community, you can leave your posters in the Office of Student Life, and we will get them out for you! Please provide 22 copies of your poster; distribution occurs on Mondays, Wednesday, and Fridays.
- Need an excuse to color with crayons? The Big Brothers Big Sisters Program can match you with a realy cute, fun, and interesting kid! For more information or for an aplication, contact the Office of Student Life.
- Interested in using a Party Pack in your house but aren't sure where to start? Anyone wishing to DJ or operate a party pack is required to attend a Party Pack certification session with Matt Scott. This information meeting will give you the tools you need to operate the equipment safely, and make you aware of the warning signs that can lead to failed equipment (and a hefty repair fee for the operator.) Fridays at 3:00 pm in the DownCafe. Contact Matt Scott at mscott@bennington.edu for more information.

# September 17 through 23

To submit an Event to *College Week*: Use the submission form at www.bennington.edu under the "Calendar" section of the site. To submit an Announcement: email studentlife@bennington.edu by Thursday at noon for inclusion the following week.

# BENNINGTON COLLEGE

### calendar of events #denotes events open to the public

#### Monday, September 17

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4:00 pm	Soccer Practice, Soccer Field
6:00 pm	FWT Prep Workshop: Identifying Opportunities?, EAC 2
6:30 pm	ZUMBA, MRB
7:00 pm	Monday Night Football, Student Center
7:30 pm	Fencing Practice, Greenwall
luesday, September 18	
1:00 pm	Cynthia Weber Exhibition, Usdan Gallery#
1:15 pm	Ultimate Frisbee, Commons Lawn
4:00 pm	Tennis Clinic, Tennis Courts
6:15 pm	Volleyball, Commons Lawn
7:00 pm	Meditation in Motion, MRB#
Wednesday, September	19
All Day	End of Drop Registration Period
All Day	Last Day to Request Letter Grades
1:00 pm	Cynthia Weber Exhibition, Usdan Gallery#
4:00 pm	FWT Prep Workshop: Identifying Opportunities?, EAC 2
4:00 pm	Soccer Practice, Soccer Field
6:15 pm	Swimming at the Bennington Rec, Meet at the Flagpole
7:00 pm	SWAG Workshop, DownCaf
7:00 pm	Evening with the Literature Faculty, Franklin Living Room
7:00 pm	Vinyl Night Club, Student Center
hursday, September 20	
1:00 pm	Cynthia Weber Exhibition, <i>Usdan Gallery</i> <b>#</b>
1:15 pm	Ultimate Frisbee, Commons Lawn
4:00 pm	Tennis Clinic, Tennis Courts
6:15 pm	Volleyball, Commons Lawn
6:30 pm	Basketball, Outdoor Courts
7:00 pm	Sacred Harp Singing School Classes, <i>Greenwall</i> #

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Bennington Student Sale Days are an organized opportunity for interested students to regularly promote and sell their wares on campus. Every Friday, Commons Lounge is reserved for a rotating cast of Bennington students selling their original art work, crafts and DIY projects. All events are promoted weekly via bulletins, supplemental posters and Facebook updates.

#### Study Abroad Reps Coming to Campus this Fall

NYU Office of Global Programs: Paris College of Art / Ecole Parsons a Paris: Academic Programs Abroad in Paris: API: Thursday, September 20 Tuesday, September 25 Tuesday, October 9 Tuesday, October 16

All Study-Abroad tabling takes place in Commons Lounge, 11:30 am-1:00 pm

## Looking for more information on the events listed here?

#### Student Organization meeting and events are noted in blue

#### Friday, September 21



- Vintage Clothing Vendor, *Student Center* FWT Prep Workshop: Identifying Opportunities?, *EAC 2*
- Student Sale Days, Commons Lounge
- Cynthia Weber Exhibition, Usdan Gallery#
- Party Pack Certification with Matt Scott, Student Center
- Soccer Practice, Soccer Field
  - Swimming at the Bennington Rec, Meet at the Flagpole
- PAC Presents: Brave, Tishman#

#### Saturday, September 22

- 12:00 pmDay Trip to Rocky Top Stables, Meet at the Flagpole1:00 pmCynthia Weber Exhibition, Usdan Gallery#
- 7:30 pm PAC Presents: Brave, Tishman #

#### Sunday, September 23

1:00 pm 10:00 pm

Ultimate Frisbee, Commons Lawn Coffee Hour, In Houses

### September Day Trips

September 22: Horseback Riding at **Rocky Top Stables**. \$25.

September 29: The final September Day Trip takes us to nearby Peru, VT for the **Peru Fair!** \$15.

#### Peru Fair Poem

Bring a friend; bring your kin. Get barbeque sauce on your Chinny chin chin. Our clowns and whimseys will make you grin. The Peru Fair is about to begin.



Sign up for trips in the Office of Student Life

weekly open hours: open to all students with questions or student issues.

Please feel free to drop by during these times or make an appointment if necessary.

Liz Coleman, President: Tue, 1:00-2:00 pm (President's Office) Eva Chatterjee-Sutton, Dean of Students: Tue, 1:00-2:00 pm; Thurs, 9:00-10:00 am (Office of Student Life) Duncan Dobbelmann, Associate Dean of the College: Fri, 12:00-1:00 pm (Dean's Office) Laurie Kobik, Assistant Dean for Academic Services: Mon & Wed, 12:30-1:30 pm (Dean's Office)

Kate Child, Assistant Director to Academic Services: Mon-Thurs, 12:30-2:00 pm (Barn 120) Noelle Everett Murphy, Assistant Director to Academic Services: Mon-Wed, 12:30-2:00 pm (Barn 120) FWT and CDO Office: Mon-Fri, 1:00-2:00 pm (Commons Lounge) Bennington Card: Mon-Fri, 11:30 am-1:00 pm; (Office of Student Life)

Try the online calendar at www.bennington.edu