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# COLLEGE WEEK

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS  
FOR THE BENNINGTON COLLEGE  
COMMUNITY

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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Events marked by an asterisk (\*) are free and open to the public

### SATURDAY, MAY 16

#### \*FIELD BIOLOGY CONFERENCE

The second Vermont Field Biology Conference will be held at Bennington College on Saturday and Sunday. A field trip is scheduled for Sunday. For registered attendants who have paid a \$10 fee, lunch will be provided on Saturday. The public is invited to attend. For information or to register, call 802-442-5401, ext. 307. *Dickinson, 9:00 a.m.*

#### \*RECORD & MUSIC SALE

Scores and used records will be on sale in the Music Library. Also available "new" LP recordings of music at Bennington with Louis Calabro, and Louis' work, "Latitude and Longitude." *Music Library, 1:00-5:00 p.m.*

#### \*STUDIO DANCE CONCERT

The Dance Division presents the first traveling studio concert presenting works by Caitlin Clancy, Yeva Feldman, Emma Loustounou, Zack Goodwin, and Antonia Stephens. Also included in the program will be graduate student Andrew Grossman performing original choreography by alumnus Jack Moore, reconstructed by Barbara Roan. Concert starts in Studio E303 and will travel to different locations nearby. Don't

## HIGHLIGHTS OF THE WEEK

#### WOMEN'S ISSUES STUDY GROUP

◆ The Women's Issues Study Group presents Linda McCarriston, a 1991 National Book Award Finalist for Poetry, who will read from her book *Eva-Mary* and other works on Tuesday, May 19. Ms. McCarriston's first poetry collection, *Talking Soft Dutch* (1984), was an Associate Writing Programs Award Series Selection. *Eva-Mary* (1991), her second collection, won the Terrence Des Pres Prize for Poetry. She teaches at Goddard College and Vermont College in Montpelier. *Barn 1, 6:30 p.m.*

#### LITERATURE AND LANGUAGES

◆ The Division of Literature and Languages is proud to welcome Professor Steven Marcus, George Delacorte Professor in the Humanities at Columbia University, as this year's Stanley Edgar Hyman Lecturer on Wednesday, May 20. Professor Marcus, this generation's most eminent Victorianist, is author of *The Other Victorians*, a study of sexuality and pornography in nineteenth-century England. He has written books on Dickens, Engels, and most recently, on Freud and the Culture of Psychoanalysis. *Barn 1, 8:15 p.m.*

#### WOODWORTH LECTURE

◆ Quentin Keynes, great-grandson of Charles Darwin and nephew of economist Charles Maynard Keynes, will present a film and lecture, "Exploring Darwin's Islands," on Thursday, May 21. The film is a photographic documentary of four islands Darwin visited during his five-year voyage from 1831-36: Galapagos, Ascension, Saint Helena, and the Falklands. Sponsored by the Division of Natural Sciences and Mathematics as the Robert H. Woodworth Lecture. *Barn 1, 8:00 p.m.*

miss it! All are welcome. This performance will be held on Sunday and Monday evening also. *VAPA, Studio E303, 7:15 p.m.*

**\*FILM: ANDY WARHOL'S  
FRANKENSTEIN**

Repeat of last night's film. Paul Morrissey directs this x-rated remake of the classic film. *Playboy* magazine described it as "the most outrageously gruesome epic ever unleashed." Starring Joe Dellesandro, Monique Van Vooren, Udo Kier. *Barn 1, 8:15 p.m.*

**SUNDAY, MAY 17**

**BIOLOGY CONFERENCE**

Second day of Field Biology Conference. *Dickinson, 9:00 a.m.*

**\*STUDIO DANCE CONCERT**

Repeat of last night's performance. *VAPA, Studio E303, 7:15 p.m.*

**\*FILM**

Repeat of last night's film: Andy Warhol's *Frankenstein*. *Barn 1, 8:15 p.m.*

**MONDAY, MAY 18**

**STUDENT COUNCIL**

Come attend our meetings on Monday evenings. *Purple Dining Room, 6:30 p.m.*

**\*STUDIO DANCE CONCERT**

Repeat of last night's performance. *VAPA, Studio E303, 7:15 p.m.*

**THE 10¢ MOVIE CLUB**

Every Monday night, The 10¢ Movie Club will show an experimental and a regular feature film. Meet at the Café at 7:30 p.m. (unless otherwise announced). Film selections are subject to availability. Each week's selections will be posted on Monday around the Dining Hall areas and snack bar, and announced at dinner. *The Café, 7:30 p.m.*

**DRAWING EXTRA**

There will no longer be Drawing Extra sessions held on Monday nights. For the remainder of the term, D.E. will run on Wednesdays and Thursdays only.

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**WEDNESDAY, MAY 20**

**\*CHILDREN, BOOKS &  
SOCIETY VIDEO SERIES**

*Tex* will be shown twice today in this video series for the course "Children, Books & Society." All are welcome. *Barn 103, 3:00 p.m. & 6:30 p.m.*

**CHINESE TABLE**

Informal conversation in Chinese. Every Wednesday. *Dining Halls, 5:30 p.m.*

**DRAWING EXTRA**

Join us for a two-hour session. All levels welcome. *VAPA D204, 7:30 p.m.*

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## CASHIER'S OFFICE

Will the student who received receipt #1247 on Friday, May 8, please bring your receipt to the Cashier's Office.

## STRAY CAT

Have you noticed a stray-acting cat with black stripes and white paws? Does anyone own this cat? If so, drop a note in Jeff Leib's box.

## NO SMOKING POLICY



The following policy has been developed to provide employees, students, and visitors with clearly stated guidelines on when and where they may smoke. It complies with State of Vermont Regulation H. 86 governing smoking in the work place. Smoking is prohibited in the following buildings: Barn (except in private offices), Library, Dickinson, Tishman, Carriage Barn, Early Childhood Center, and Jennings. Smoking is prohibited in all work areas at Bennington College including classrooms, non-private offices, hallways, bathrooms, rehearsal rooms and shared studios except in the following designated smoking areas: VAPA: open lobby area outside Usdan Gallery and Newman Court; Commons: first floor lounge and designated dining rooms; and the Maintenance Day Room.

## PERFORMANCE FOR SENIOR ADULTS

An informal concert is now being organized to be performed in a senior center in Bennington. It will be taking place **Wednesday, May 20**, from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m. Transportation is available. Anyone interested in performing (music, story, dance, etc.) contact Yeva Feldman (through her mailbox) soon. Here's an opportunity to share your art with others from the community and really make a difference.

## ACADEMY OF AMERICAN POETS POETRY PRIZE

The winner of the 1992 Academy of American Poets poetry prize is Judy Fonseca. Judy was awarded the prize for her poem "Approximations." Michael Nelson has been chosen for honorable mention for his poem "Honor." Many prominent American poets won their first recognition with this prize: Sylvia Plath, Brad Leithauser, Louis Glück, among others.

## DON'T SPEED

From the Greens Committee: **Don't speed!!** Nobody likes road-kill. We would like to keep our diverse wildlife three dimensional. There is a deer herd, squirrels, fox kits, possums, rabbits and raccoons on and around College Drive. Increase their lifetime, please don't speed. Thanks!

## \*HATHA YOGA

Hatha Yoga class will be held Monday through Thursday from 7:00 to 8:15 a.m. in VAPA E303 (Dance Studio). These classes will be a series of breathing, deep relaxation, and asanas (yoga postures). Wear comfortable clothes.

## \*GET MACS AT EDUCATIONAL PRICES

The Administrative Computer Center, Barn 53, is offering Apple computer products at reduced educational prices. You are welcome to stop in at Barn 53 during regular business hours to see some of the products we support and get information on prices and ordering.

## TALK! STUDENT COUNCIL IS LISTENING!

Leave a message for Student Council at ext. 203 any time, day or night. Let the phone ring 6 times. It's worth the wait!

## DOWNSTAIRS CAFÉ

We're open Wednesday through Saturday, 8:00 p.m. to 2:00 a.m. and now Sunday afternoons. The Café will be pumping out its usual rare and enticing energy to the beat of student input. Check out the regular Wednesday evening music improv between

9:00 and 11:00 p.m. with some of Bennington College's precious own. Look for special events in College Week and on posters. See you there!

### **LIBRARY HOURS AND INFORMATION**

#### **Regular Hours:**

Monday-Friday	8:30 a.m.-midnight
Saturday	10:00 a.m.-midnight
Sunday	12:00 p.m.-midnight

**Please note:** Overdue fines are \$.25 per day (more for Reserve materials) beginning the day the book is overdue. Three warning notices are sent out, the first as close to that day as possible, but look at the due date in back of the book. Be warned!

**Slide Borrowing Policy:** Students may borrow 20 slides at a time for 1 day. Faculty may borrow an unlimited amount for 2 weeks. If you need help or have questions about the slide collection contact Maud Sugg in the library or call her, ext. 176.

**Attention Video Users:** The checkout period for library videos is 24 hours because of high demand.

### **ANNOUNCEMENT FROM MUSIC LIBRARY**

The circulation policy is in effect—which means that if overdue notices are ignored, you owe a fine of \$.25 per item per day. If you're in trouble with Jennings, you're in trouble with Crossett! C'mon people!

### **STRESS MANAGEMENT**

Interested in learning how to manage stress in your life? Contact Carol in Health Services for more information.

### **PSYCHOLOGICAL COUNSELING SERVICES**

Psychological Services is open Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., and Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. To make an appointment, please call the secretary in the infirmary (ext. 220). You can also make an appointment by leaving a copy of your schedule in our Post Office box or in our office. We have listings of therapists off campus, and also listings of AA, Al-Anon, and ACOA meetings, and NA meetings both on campus and in town. If you have an emergency, dial 210, and security will put you in touch with the counselor who is on call.

### **SEXUAL HARRASSMENT ADVISORS**

**Ricky Blake** is available by appointment at ext. 318.

**Linda Campbell** can be contacted in person in the Housing Office or at ext. 349, Monday through Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**Yael Caspi** can be contacted in person in Wooley 2, ext. 272, or through her post office box.

**Omri Elisha** can be contacted in person at Kilpatrick 10, ext. 302, or through his post office box.

**Ernie Paquette** can be contacted in person in the Security Booth or at ext. 291.

**Sally Sugarman** is available Tuesday and Friday mornings, 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. and by appointment at ext. 119.

### **HEALTH SERVICE HOURS**

The Health Service is open daily from 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. (noon to 8:00 p.m. on weekends), with a nurse on duty. In the event of an emergency when the Health Service is closed, call the emergency extension 210. A college physician is available Monday through Friday for clinic hours. Check with the Health Service for exact hours. Doctor appointments should be arranged either through the nurse on duty or the Health Service secretary. Students who miss a doctor's appointment without prior notice will be charged \$10 for that missed appointment. Students who need to be seen by a doctor when the Health Service physician is not in attendance should contact the nurse on duty during Health Service hours or call the emergency ext. 210 when the Health Service is closed. A trip to the hospital emergency room without prior approval may not be covered by school insurance.



**\*GRADUATE RECITAL**

Nathaniel Parke, cello, joined by Elizabeth Wright, piano, and the Bennington Pick-up Ensemble conducted by Peter Golub. Program to include Suite No. 1 in G major by J.S. Bach, Sonata in d minor, Op. 40 by Shostakovich, and the Concerto for Cello and Orchestra in D major by Haydn. *Greenwall Music Workshop*, 8:15 p.m.

**STANLEY EDGAR HYMAN  
LECTURE: "A CASE  
HISTORY BEFORE  
FREUD"**

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**THURSDAY, MAY 21**

**DANCE WORKSHOP**

We invite everyone interested in dance, especially those taking dance, to come to Dance Workshop. Dance is shown and discussed by students and faculty in an informal and relaxed fashion. Videos of old and new dance will occasionally be shown. Don't worry — you will not be forced to dance. Come and join us to see what it's all about. Get involved with dance without sweating it. Every Thursday. *Martha Hill Dance Workshop*, 4:30 p.m.

**SPANISH TABLE**

Everyone is invited to attend the Spanish table for informal conversation in Spanish every Thursday. Watch for announcements regarding Spanish films and videos also on Thursday evenings. *Dining Halls*, 5:30 p.m.

**\*SPANISH FILM: LA  
PLAZA DEL DIAMANTE**

The Spanish section will show *La Plaza del Diamante* (1981), a film based on the prize-winning novel by Catalán writer Mercè Rodoreda. It tells the story of a woman's personal struggle and growth before and during the Spanish Civil War (1936-39), focusing on her own private domestic battle as well. Spanish with English subtitles. *Barn 1*, 7:00 p.m.

**DRAWING EXTRA**

Join us for a two-hour session. All levels welcome. *VAPA D204*, 7:30 p.m.

**\*WOODWORTH  
LECTURE: "EXPLORING  
DARWIN'S ISLANDS"**

Quentin Keynes, great-grandson of Charles Darwin and nephew of economist Charles Maynard Keynes, will present a film and lecture, "Exploring Darwin's Islands." The film is a photographic documentary of four islands Darwin visited during his five-year voyage of the *HMS Beagle*, from 1831-36: Galapagos, Ascension, Saint Helena, and the Falklands. Keynes provides the narration. The presentation is sponsored by the Division of Natural Sciences and Mathematics as the Robert H. Woodworth Lecture. *Barn 1*, 8:00 p.m.

**FRIDAY, MAY 22**

**\*PLAY: THE FIREBUGS**

The Drama Division presents *The Firebugs*, a play by Swiss-German playwright Max Frisch. The play is directed by Crystal Parham; cast includes Jason Sayr, Liz Davis, Rachel Balowitz, Carol Oldham, and Thomas Fox. *Margot Tenney Theater*, 8:00 p.m.

**\*FILM: DRESSED TO KILL**

Written and directed by Brian DePalma, this classic suspense thriller is about a psychiatrist, played by Michael Caine, who searches to solve the mystery of a murdered patient. Also starring Nancy Allen and Angie Dickinson. *Barn 1*, 8:15 p.m.

## SATURDAY, MAY 23

**\*PLAY: THE FIREBUGS**

Repeat of last night's performance. *Margot Tenney Theater*, 8:00 p.m.

**\*FILM: DRESSED TO KILL**

Repeat of last night's film. *Barn 1*, 8:15 p.m.

## SUNDAY, MAY 24

**\*PLAY: THE FIREBUGS**

Repeat of last night's performance. *Margot Tenney Theater*, 8:00 p.m.

**\*FILM: DRESSED TO KILL**

Repeat of last night's film. *Barn 1*, 8:15 p.m.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**\*PLAY: RUSHDIE'S  
HAROUN AND THE SEA  
OF STORIES**

The senior acting class will present an adaptation of Salmon Rushdie's *Haroun and the Sea of Stories* at 8:00 p.m. on **May 27 and 28**, in Lester Martin Theater. Drama faculty member Paul Zimet will direct the workshop project. Also collaborating in the adaptation are faculty members Janis Young, masks; Peter Golub, music; Terry Creach, dance; and Tony Carruthers, design. Immediately following the performance on **May 28**, a panel discussion will address the Rushdie case and issues of free speech. Panelists include faculty members Mansour Farhang and Marc Lendler, political science; Maura Spiegel, literature; Reinhard Mayer, German; and Sue Rees, sculpture. Sponsored by the Drama Division, the workshop performances and panel discussion are free and the public is invited to attend.

**\*FACULTY SERIES'  
LECTURES**

The final lecture of the Bennington College Faculty Series will be presented by John Smyth on **Wednesday, May 27**, entitled, "'Turdy and the Ends of Love,' In Memoriam Angela Carter, Feminist." This lecture, sponsored by the Dean of Faculty's Office, will be held in Barn 1 beginning at 8:15 p.m.

**\*CHILDREN, BOOKS &  
SOCIETY VIDEO SERIES**

The last film in the video series for the course, "Children, Books, & Society" will be shown on **Wednesday, June 3**, in Barn 103, at 3:00 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. The film will be *The Hound of the Baskervilles*.

**CWS TIMESHEET  
SCHEDULE**

The timesheet schedule for College Work-Study and Student Regular Employment is as follows:

Timesheets Due	Check Issued
5/18	5/28
6/01	6/09
6/15	6/24

It is more important than ever that timesheets be submitted **by the deadline**; late timesheets will be processed for the next payroll.

**"DIAL-A-MENU"**

The Dining Halls' Staff is pleased to announce that we have instituted "Dial-A-Menu" at extension 604. You may call this number from any college phone at any time for information pertaining to the menu.

**COLLEGE WEEK  
INFORMATION**

Forms for submission to *College Week* can be found in the Office of Student Services. The deadline for submissions is **Tuesday at 5:00 p.m.** for the following week--**no exceptions**. If forms are incomplete or illegible, the information will not be included in *College Week*.

## OFF-CAMPUS EVENTS

**SPRING WALK**

The Bennington Garden Club has issued an invitation to the Bennington community to join with them on a walk in the Pownal Bog. The walk, led by Jerry Jenkins, will take place on **Tuesday, May 26**, at 10:00 a.m. (rain date May 27). Conditions are wet so suggested attire is jeans and sneakers. For more information and reservations, call Jane Burkhardt at 442-9402. Limited space available.

**AMERICAN RED CROSS  
TRAINING PROGRAM**

The American Red Cross offers courses in lifeguarding, disaster response, sailing, canoeing, kayaking, first aid and CPR. More information available in Student Services.