

COLLEGE WEEK

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS
FOR THE BENNINGTON
COLLEGE COMMUNITY

May 4 - 12, 1991
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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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

Saturday, May 4

*MY LEFT FOOT

My Left Foot is the Academy Award-winning story of Christy Brown, starring Daniel Day-Lewis and Brenda Fricker. Directed by Jim Sheridan. A great movie! *Tishman*, 9:00 p.m.

*MUSIQUE POUR CŒUR/TÊTE CONCERT BY WILLIAM DOBROW

Concert featuring Anthony Wilson '90, guitar; Joel Frahm, tenor saxophone; Ed Schuller, bass; and William Dobrow, drums. *Martha Hill Dance Workshop*, 8:30 p.m.

Sunday, May 5

*MY LEFT FOOT

Repeat of last night's film, *My Left Foot*. *Tishman*, 8:00 p.m.

Monday, May 6

OPEN HAND BREAD BAKERS

Bennington students are baking bread on Monday and Thursday mornings for the dining halls. If you like this idea, eat lots of the bread, and let Paul know. There will be occasional meetings to be announced. Let us in on your ideas and recipes. Contact Yeva Feldman and/or Vanessa Kamp.

• HIGHLIGHTS • OF • THE • WEEK •

SOCIAL SCIENCES DIVISION

◆ The Social Sciences Division presents a lecture by Francis Fox Piven entitled "Poverty, Affluence, and Politics in the 1990s," part of the "Democracy: The Tunnel at the End of the Light?" series sponsored by that division, on Monday, May 6, at 8:15 p.m. in Barn 1. Piven is Professor of Political Science at City University of New York and a founding member of HumanServe, a voter registration reform organization.

WOMEN'S ISSUES

◆ *Surname Viet Given Name Nam*, Trinh T. Minh-ha's 1989 film, will be shown on Tuesday, May 7, at 6:30 p.m. in Barn 1. Trinh T. Minh-ha is the director of *Naked Spaces* (shown here last spring and in the 1987 Whitney Biennial) and *Reassemblage*. Sponsored by the Women's Issues Study Group.

DRAMA DIVISION

◆ Come hang out and enjoy one of Neil Simon's best plays, *Barefoot in the Park*. Directed by Gregory A. Moveck. With Justin Dixon, Erik Hughes, Jocelyn Norskog, Colene Panariello, and Owen Kane. Thursday, Friday, Saturday, May 9, 10, and 11, Marget Hartman Tenney Theatre, 8:00 p.m. and a special matinee on May 11 at 2:00 p.m.

**ATTENTION SENIOR BOARD
OF TRUSTEES CANDIDATES**

Interested seniors are invited to a luncheon meeting to talk with Elena Bachrach and Rebecca Stickney about the requirements and responsibilities of being a trustee for Bennington College. One senior (and one alternate) will be chosen from the senior class candidates by the Committee on Trusteeship of the Bennington College Board of Trustees and will serve a two-year term beginning with the October Board meetings (1991). The schedule for the selection process follows: Tuesday, May 21: Interested seniors submit names to Elena Bachrach; Tuesday, June 4: Written personal statement supporting candidacy and two letters of recommendation from faculty/administration filed in Elena Bachrach's office; Thursday, June 13: Finalists interview with members of the Committee on Trusteeship from the Board of Trustees (time to be set). *Luncheon Meeting: President's Conference Room, 12:00-1:00 p.m.*

***EAT GREENS WITH GREENS**

Come talk about local, national, and worldly issues. Kerry Woods, guest host. Every Monday. *Yellow Dining Room, 12:30 p.m.*

GERMAN FILM SERIES

Berlin: The Never Ending Story. A German film series replacing the German Table. A discussion follows each movie. Every Monday. *Barn 2, 6:00 p.m.*

DRAWING EXTRA

Extra curricular, but extra important. Every Monday through Thursday. Nude models. *VAPA, 7:00 p.m.*

***POVERTY, AFFLUENCE,
AND POLITICS IN THE 1990s**

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***SENIOR CONCERT
BY BRENNIA THORPE**

Brenna Thorpe will give her senior concert of piano, voice, and original compositions. Performers are Brooks Ashmanskas, Michael Downs, Shannon Jones, Kathryn Kitt, Paul Opel, Jennifer Jenkins, Gunnar Schonbeck, Peter Golub, Lou Calabro, Noah Maltsberger, and Thomas Vang. *Greenwall Music Workshop, 8:15 p.m.*

Tuesday, May 7

FRENCH TABLE

Everyone is invited to attend the French table for informal conversation in French. Every Tuesday. *Dining Halls, 5:30 p.m.*

***SURNAME VIET
GIVEN NAME NAM**

Surname Viet Given Name Nam, Trinh T. Minh-ha's 1989 film, will be shown. Trinh T. Minh-ha is the director of *Naked Spaces* (shown here last spring and in the 1987 Whitney Biennial) and *Reassemblage*. "My approach is one which avoids any sureness of signification," Trinh says; she is grounded in film, feminism, and politics, and she uses texts ranging from Heidegger to "native" to her own. Trinh T. Minh-ha challenges official culture, critiques anthropology and ethnography, draws on the authority of French post-structuralism, and has constructed a film that is persuasive without resorting to authoritarianism. Sponsored by the Women's Issues Study Group. *Barn 1, 6:30 p.m.*

DRAWING EXTRA

Drawing extra with nude models. *VAPA, 7:00 p.m.*

***SENIOR VOICE CONCERT:
COLETTE SAHELY**

Colette Sahely will give a senior concert of voice, including works by Handel, Monteverdi, Chausson, Borodine, Rimsky-Korsakov, and Maloof. Musicians are Marianne Finckel, Gunnar Schonbeck, Bart Arnold, Cristin Chafe, and Shannon Jones. *Greenwall Music Workshop, 8:15 p.m.*

**COFFEEHOUSE:
SHEP RICHARDS &
"PLAN BE"**

Three musicians playing jazz, rock, folk, classical, blues, R & B, and country together for a night of colors, moods, and expressions. Mike Antol, percussionist/drummer has played frequently with Sun Ra, and Shep Richards with the likes of Rick Danko, Vassar Clements, and Taj Mahal. Together their music puts out some aggressive sounds that push the limits from Segovia to Psychedelic. Simply outrageous! *Café, 10:00 p.m.*

Sunday, May 12

UPCOMING EVENTS

***PROSPECTS FOR DEMOCRACY
IN LATIN AMERICA**

Kenneth Sharpe will give a lecture on "Prospects for Democracy in Latin America" as part of the Social Sciences Division Lecture Series, "Democracy: The Tunnel at the End of the Light?" on Monday, May 13, at 8:15 p.m. in Barn 1. Sharpe is author of *Peasant Politics: Struggle in a Dominican Village* and *The State and the Transnational Corporations: The Political Economy of the Mexican Auto Industry*, and is a Professor of Political Science at Swarthmore College specializing in foreign policy and Latin American politics.

CPR TRAINING OFFERED

C.P.R. training, certified by the American Heart Association, will be offered by the Bennington Rescue Squad on Saturday, May 18. The course is four hours long and costs only \$5. Sign up at the Office of Student Services, and read *College Week* for further details.

**RACISM AND RESPONSIBILITY
IN THE POST-MODERN WORLD**

The failure of the modern vision of progress has led to both an appreciation of diversity and intensification of racism. What responses are possible? A lecture will be presented by Dr. Michael Moskowitz, psychologist and Adjunct Associate Professor, City University of New York Clinical Psychology Program, on Monday, May 20, from 6:30-8:00 p.m. in Barn 1. The event is sponsored by Prism/AHAWAS. All are encouraged to attend.

**OPEN MIKE/
TALENT SHOW**

Get your act together now for the last coffeehouse of the term. Prizes, public recognition, perhaps even humiliation await you. You have only five weeks to memorize your lyrics, find some new jokes, curl your hair, apologize to your band members...whatever you have to do to get ready for this landmark event: June 8 at the Café.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

COLLEGE WEEK PROCEDURES

Please note the new *College Week* procedures: From now on, forms for submissions to *College Week* can be found in the Office of Student Services. The deadline has also changed to TUESDAY AT 5:00 P.M.—no exceptions. If forms are incomplete or illegible, the information will not be included in *College Week*.

Wednesday, May 8

CHINESE TABLE

Everyone is invited to attend the Chinese table for informal conversation in Chinese. Every Wednesday. *Dining Halls, 5:30 p.m.*

*OUTING CLUB

Let's talk about hiking, rafting, camping and more outdoor fun. Come and join this newly formed club dedicated to outdoor experiences. Every Wednesday. *Dickinson Room 117, 6:30 p.m.*

DRAWING EXTRA

Drawing extra with nude models. *VAPA, 7:00 p.m.*

*UNCRUNCHY GREENS

Please come and help us! Talk and act on environmental issues and events. Organize speakers and films. Heighten awareness. The fun goes on and on! Every Wednesday. *Dickinson Room 117, 7:00 p.m.*

GRADUATE CHAMBER MUSIC RECITAL: NANCY COLTER, PIANO

Performers include Catharine Hall-Schor, Maxine Neuman, Nathaniel Parke, Joseph Schor, Allen Shawn, and Harriet Welther. Music by Stravinsky, Mozart, Colter, and Mendelssohn. *Greenwall Music Workshop, 8:15 p.m.*

Thursday, May 9

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.*

DRAWING EXTRA

Drawing extra with nude models. *VAPA, 7:00 p.m.*

*LGB OF BENNINGTON

The Lesbian, Gay and Bisexual community of Bennington College welcomes everyone to our weekly meetings to talk, organize, and socialize. Every Thursday. *Welling Living Room, 8:00 p.m.*

*BAREFOOT IN THE PARK

Come hang out and enjoy one of Neil Simon's best plays, *Barefoot in the Park*. Directed by Gregory A. Noveck. With Justin Dixon, Erik Hughes, Jocelyn Norskog, Celene Panariello, and Owen Kane. Set by Sally Jules and Karen Greene. Lighting by Jeffrey Williams. Costumes by Cinnamon Booth. Stage managed by Amy L. Brooks. *VAPA, Margot Hartman Tenney Theatre, 8:00 p.m.*

THE CIVIL WAR FILM SERIES

The Civil War series continues with Episode V, "The Universe of the Battle - 1863." Come join us. *Café, 9:00 p.m.*

Friday, May 10

*BAREFOOT IN THE PARK

Repeat of last night's performance, *Barefoot in the Park*, directed by Gregory A. Noveck. *VAPA, Margot Hartman Tenney Theatre, 8:00 p.m.*

DANCE

Tapemaster T.V.O.D. and CD/MD Cybershock plunge you into a throbbing dance reality. Boot up, jack in, get funky. Implosion at the Anvil Factory. *Café, 10:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m.*

Saturday, May 11

*BAREFOOT IN THE PARK X 2

Two performances of *Barefoot in the Park*, directed by Gregory A. Noveck: a special 2:00 p.m. matinee AND at 8:00 p.m. *VAPA, Margot Hartman Tenney Theatre.*

BOOKSTORE NEWS

Reminder: The Bookstore is open Saturdays from 12:00 to 4:00 p.m.

Regular hours:

Monday-Thursday	9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
Friday	9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
Saturday	12:00-4:00 p.m.

- We're pleased to announce that we have obtained "The Right Hand Path" cassette, written for and played by Lionel Nowak (\$8.95).
- Attention Art Students: Our new progressive discount policy can save you \$\$\$\$! Ask us about it!
- Bennington College infants sets have arrived at the Bookstore.

LIBRARY HOURS

Regular Hours:

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

Please note: Overdue fines are \$.25 per day. Forms to check out books from Williams College Library are not available on Saturdays and when no staff person is available. ILL forms are available at the circulation desk at any time.

MULTICULTURAL COMMITTEE

Any student, faculty, or staff member interested in joining the Multicultural Group should contact Maryellen Gilroy in Student Services. The Committee would like to plan a series of discussions focusing on issues of race, gender and ethnicity. Should you have any ideas or wish to participate please stop by or call Student Services, ext. 100.

PSYCHOLOGICAL COUNSELING SERVICES

Psychological Services is open weekdays from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. To make an appointment, please call our secretary any weekday between 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. 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.

AEROBICS

Get ready for the warm months ahead! Traditional high impact aerobics classes will be held Monday through Thursday at 5:00 p.m., and Friday at 4:00 p.m., in Commons West. Make sure to wear a good pair of sneakers and bring a bottle of water!

CWS TIMESHEET SCHEDULE

CWS Timesheet Schedule:

Timesheets Due	Period	Check issued
5/13	4/28-5/11	5/22
5/28	5/12-5/25	6/05
6/17	5/26-6/12	6/26

HEALTH SERVICES HOURS

The Health Service is open daily from 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. (12:00-8:00 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. Afternoon clinics are scheduled for Wednesday, while Monday, Thursday, and Friday are morning clinics. Check with the Health Service for exact hours. Doctor appointments should be arranged either through the nurse on duty or the Health Service secretary. If you are unable to keep an appointment, call the Health Service or leave a note on the door. Students who miss 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 Infirmary hours or call the emergency ext. 210 when the Health Service is closed. A trip to the Emergency Room without prior approval may not be covered by school insurance.

WEIGHT ROOM HOURS

Monday-Friday	2:00-4:00 p.m. and 7:00-10:00 p.m.
Saturday-Sunday	2:00-5:00 p.m. and 7:00-10:00 p.m.

INTERNATIONAL TAE KWON DO

Learn self-defense, self-control, and self-discipline. Gain strength, flexibility and coordination, and confidence. Tae Kwon Do will be held every Monday and Thursday in Commons West at 7:00 p.m.

SEXUAL HARASSMENT ADVISORS

Wayne Baker is available at the Crossett Library (ext. 278) Monday through Friday, 7:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m., or in times of emergency, at 442-3829.

Ricky Blake is available by appointment at ext. 318.

Wendy Guerra is available in the Publications Office (ext. 256/286) Monday through Friday, 1:00-5:00 p.m.

Erica Herman can be contacted in person or at ext. 391, in Franklin 19, or through her post office box.

Timothy Pitzer can be reached in person or at ext. 342, in Bingham 1, or through his post office box.

Elizabeth Wright is on campus Monday through Wednesday. Call for an appointment at ext. 211 from 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

SCRIPT LIBRARY HOURS

The Script Library, located in Newman Court, is open to everyone. Hours are:

Monday	11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. and 1:00-3:00 p.m.
Tuesday	11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. and 1:00-3:00 p.m.
Saturday	9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

In addition to the hours above, you can catch Maria Rosenblum in between classes or singing late at night at the Café, or at a free moment, she will gladly open it for you. Hours may change—check the Drama board.

NOTE TO COMMUNITY FROM SECURITY

A very important tip was inadvertently omitted from the recent crime prevention tip sheets distributed to the community: Do not work alone in classrooms or studios located in isolated areas such as VAPA, Jennings, and old Carpenter Shop. Security does patrol these areas but a couple of hours may pass between rounds. Use the "buddy system" whenever possible.

WELLING BASEMENT DARKROOM

The Welling basement darkroom is now available to all students interested. See the Art Office for more information.

LIMOUSINE SERVICES

Accent Shuttle Service has gone out of business. The following limousine services are available to take you to the airport: R&R Limousine, Hoosick Falls, New York, 24-hour service, 518-686-5350, or 686-9366; Classic Limousine Service, Bennington, 24-hour service, 447-1609 or 447-7046.

A REQUEST FROM R.B. STICKNEY

Will everyone who pitches various containers into bushes, hedgerows and grassy patches (i.e. beer bottles and cans, Coke and Pepsi bottles and cans, Mt. Dew and Orange Squash plastic pints, coffee cups, straws and tops, etc. etc.) PLEASE leave them on the edge of the pathways so they will be easier for me to pick up. Thanks.

VOLLEYBALL AND BASKETBALL: INTERESTED?

Volleyball players: The SVC gym is scheduled for Bennington College Volleyball, Sundays from 4:00 to 5:00 p.m., beginning April 7. Also, are you interested in playing basketball? We will be renting the SVC gym on Sundays from 5:00 to 6:00 p.m., beginning April 7. If you have interest or questions, you can contact Tina in the Student Services Office.

CHANGE OF HOUSE LOTTERY

The change of house lottery will be held on Tuesday, May 7, and Wednesday, May 8, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Any student who will be a junior or senior for the fall 1991 term and wants to live in a different house (including Welling Town House) or any student who is in a designated double as a single for this term only must participate in this lottery.

SUPPORT YOUR LOCAL CAFÉ

In case you haven't already figured it out...every Saturday night (with the exception of Long and holiday weekends), there is a band, i.e., a coffeehouse, in the Café. There have been a lot of excellent bands that have played already, and it is a shame that the Café has not been packed. A lot of work goes into getting these bands, and they are for your entertainment. You don't have to and probably won't like every band that you see, but please, stop by on Saturday night and check them out. I assure you, the majority of the time you will be glad you did!

CAFÉ/VIDEO INFO

The Café is open Wednesday through Saturday, from 8:00 p.m. to 2:00 a.m. The large screen T.V. is available for general use at those times, unless a video has been scheduled. To reserve the T. V. for a video during Café hours, talk to Tina in Student Services, ext. 100. Also, videos can be signed out from the library for your viewing pleasure.

STUDENT ARTWORK

The Student Placement/FWT Office would be pleased to display artwork/photography of students. Contact either Irene or Tidy at ext. 345, or stop by Barn 44.

AMNESTY INTERNATIONAL

Anyone interested in attending the Annual General Meeting of Amnesty International in Washington, D.C., June 14-16? Information is available in the Student Services Office.

WANTED: DONATIONS OF ARTWORK

Bennington merchants will be closing Main Street to traffic on May 25 and selling their wares on the street for an event called Mayfest. Bennington College will be represented at Mayfest by student performances throughout the day. The College will have a booth on the street from which to sell student and faculty artwork. The proceeds will be donated to a local charity. If you are interested in working at Mayfest or in donating artwork to be sold, please see Tina in the Student Services Office.

YOGA CLASSES

Yoga class for everyone and anyone who is interested. Just wear comfortable clothes and come with an open body and mind. Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays, 6:45-8:15 a.m., VAPA E303.

BENNINGTON COLLEGE/ WILLIAMS COLLEGE CROSS-ENROLLMENT PROGRAM

The intent of this cross-enrollment program is to allow a limited number of full-time matriculated students access to certain courses that are not offered at Bennington. The student must have the permission of the Dean of Studies Office to participate in the cross-enrollment program. Students should have satisfactorily completed four terms of work in residence and be in good academic standing. A Tentative Plan should have been accepted by a Division and/or the Educational Counseling Committee. Transportation is the responsibility of the student. Applications for this program are available in the Dean of Studies Office in Barn 47. Completed applications must be received in the Dean of Studies Office by May 28, 1991.

ENVIRONMENTAL INTERNSHIP

The Lake County Forest Preserves offers a 16-week internship in the fall and spring for students interested in environmental education. A stipend of \$3,300 is offered as well as possible college credit. For more information, please come to the Field Work Term Office.

AIDS POLICY

The Bennington College AIDS policy is now complete. If students and faculty would like to read and make comments or suggestions on the policy, a copy will be available in Student Services, the library, and with members of the Health Committee (Trudy Carter, John Hearst, Orlando DiMambro, and Emanuelle Kihm).

OFF-CAMPUS EVENTS

LAST WISH—LET'S ALL HELP

The last wish of a little boy named Craig Sherold, who is dying of a cancerous brain tumor, is to be entered into the Guinness Book of World Records as receiving the most "Get Well" cards in history. To make his dream come true, please send a card to: Craig Sherold, Children's Wish Foundation, Suite 100, 32 Parameter Center East, Atlanta, Georgia 30346.

N.O.W. NEWS

Sexual harassment—yes, others are interested too! Attorney Pat Barr leads a discussion on sexual harassment and self esteem at the Bennington Free Library on Thursday, May 9, at 7:30 p.m. Free, but donations are appreciated. Sponsored by Bennington N.O.W.

The Bennington Chapter of N.O.W. meets the second Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. in the Bennington Free Library, Silver Street, Bennington. Next meeting: Tuesday, May 14. Call Susan Swan, 447-3289, for more information or a ride.

PLEASE RECYCLE THIS PAPER!