



INAUGURATION WEEKEND

We hope to see you at Inauguration! The inauguration pages online detail the full program and schedule for the weekend's events, beginning on Friday evening and concluding Sunday. Here are a few highlights:

CEREMONY:

Tickets: available first-come, first-served in Commons Lounge on Monday, April 21, from 11:00 am–1:00 pm.

Ceremony: please plan to be seated in Greenwall by 10:00 am on Saturday, April 26, as the Processional will start promptly at 10:15 am. In addition, any empty seats will be offered to others at 10:00 am.

Live-streaming: we will be live-streaming the ceremony in Martha Hill and it will also be available on the web through the inauguration pages.

LUNCH: if you can't attend the ceremony, please plan to eat lunch by noon to avoid the rush.

FRIDAY AND SUNDAY PROGRAMS:

Bennington Modernism: please join us on Friday, April 25, from 4:00–6:00 pm, for the Bennington Modernism reception at the Bennington Museum. Shuttles will leave on a regular basis to take you to and from the museum. Please bring a valid ID if you would like to enjoy a glass of wine or beer.

Pancake Breakfast: come support the North Bennington Fire Department at the pancake breakfast in the Dining Hall.



WOOLLEY FUND GRANT FOR MUSIC ACTIVITIES

The Woolley Fund Grant for Music Activities is now considering proposals for grants. Proposals should be submitted to the Music Office in Jennings. The deadline for submission is Thursday, May 1. Isabelle Baker Woolley was a founder of Bennington College and a member of its Board of Trustees from 1929 to 1942. Because of her great interest in the arts, and music in particular, the Woolley Fund was created in her memory in 1953. The fund was established to help further musical activity at Bennington College and in the wider community. Projects most likely to receive funding are those which are innovative and benefit the largest number of people on campus and in the surrounding Bennington community; and those for which there is limited funding from regular campus sources.

Please email all College Week submissions to collegeweek@bennington.edu by Thursday at noon for inclusion the following week.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The next **SENIOR SERIES** workshop, *LinkedIn Profiles and Alumni Connections*, explores the ins and outs of LinkedIn - how to use it well and use it right when job hunting and staying in touch. Monday, April 21, from 12:45-1:45pm in the EAC 1.
- **COOL SOUNDS, MAN**, a concert to inaugurate the Deane Carriage Barn's new 5.1 surround sound system and featuring emusic from Bennington; North Carolina; and Montreal, will take place on Monday, April 21, at 8:00 pm in the Deane Carriage Barn.
- A study abroad rep from **INTERNATIONAL STUDIES ABROAD** (ISA) will be tabling in the Commons Lounge on Tuesday, April 22, from 11:30 am-1:00 pm.
- Come to **KALOPSIA: CHECK ALL THAT APPLY** on Tuesday, April 22, at 7:00 pm in the Student Center to hear your fellow classmates, faculty, staff and administration talk about race, ethnicity, and nationality at Bennington. Speakers include Michael Wimberly, Norma Diaz, president Mariko Silver, and a panel of student speakers.
- Bennington faculty **MARK WUNDERLICH** will read from his new book, *The Earth Avails*, during Literature Evening. Wednesday, April 23, at 7:00 pm in the Franklin living room.
- **BELARUSIAN DREAM** presents four new short plays, including one by an Eastern European playwright, which further explore human rights in Belarus. Friday, April 25, at 8:00 pm. A reception and discussion with Daniel Michaelson, Cristian Panaite, Jean Randich, Aurin Squire, and the Belarusian Dream Ensemble will follow.
- Bennington is making history: be a part of it (and get a great seat!). **VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED FOR INAUGURATION** on Saturday, April 26, throughout the day. Volunteers will receive primo seats from which to view President Silver's inauguration. To sign up for a shift, please contact Will Larsen in the Communications Office.
- The regular **SHUTTLE** and the Williams College shuttle will not be running on Saturday, April 26, due to the need for vans during Inauguration.
- Students interested in working as **WRITING TUTORS** during the 2014-2015 academic year should submit applications by Monday, April 28, at 10:00 am. The job is posted on WorkLink. Please see Noelle Everett Murphy, assistant director for Academic Services, with questions.
- Bennington Connects is hosting this year's **INTERCULTURAL FESTIVAL** on May 11. The event will comprise a variety of performances and the first-ever Bennington Street Market. All students are invited to perform and sell or display their art in the Bennington Street Market. If you're interested in participating, please contact Lena Korsah or Friederike Windel.
- **PLOTS IN THE COMMUNITY GARDEN** near the observatory are available for any member of the campus community who will be around through the summer. Contact Kerry Woods if you're interested. Plots will be available sometime in late April or early May.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

MONDAY, APRIL 21

12:45pm Senior Series | LinkedIn Profiles and Alumni Connections, EAC 1

6:15pm [Swimming Club](#), meet at flagpole

7:00pm Documentary Film | El Rati Horror Show, Kinoteca **P**

7:00pm Climbing, Meyer Rec Barn

7:00pm Basketball, NBGS (meet at flagpole)

7:00pm Short Story Readers, Bookstore

8:00pm emusic@bennington | Cool Sounds, Man, Deane Carriage Barn **P**

TUESDAY, APRIL 22

11:30am International Studies Abroad, Commons Lounge

12:30pm Student Conversation with Mariko, CAPA Symposium

7:00pm Kalopsia: Check All That Apply, Student Center **P**

7:00pm Climbing, Meyer Rec Barn

7:00pm Meditation in Motion (Yoga), Meyer Rec Barn

7:30pm Visual Arts Lecture Series | Anthony Titus, Tishman **P**

9:00pm [BSFP](#), Commons Lounge

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23

All Day Plan Day | No classes

10:00am Open Figure Drawing from the Model, VAPA B210

7:00pm Literature Evening | Mark Wunderlich, Franklin Living Room **P**

7:00pm Climbing, Meyer Rec Barn

9:00pm [Interfaith](#), EAC Study Room 4

THURSDAY, APRIL 24

12:00pm Budget and Events Committee Walk-ins, Commons Lounge

7:00pm Climbing, Meyer Rec Barn

7:00 Basketball, NBGS (meet at flagpole)

7:30pm [Swimming Club](#), Bennington Rec Center

9:00pm Open Mic Night, DownCafé

9:00pm [Bennington Substance Support](#), EAC 2

FRIDAY, APRIL 25

1:00pm Science Workshop, Dickinson 117

7:00pm Climbing, Meyer Rec Barn

7:00pm Senior Dance Concert | Program A, Martha Hill **P**

7:00pm [Classic Film Series](#), Kinoteca

7:00pm [Bennington Connects](#), UpCafé

7:30pm [Bennington Environmental Action Group](#), EAC1

8:30pm Belarusian Dream, Margot Tenney **P**

9:00pm Senior Dance Concert | Program B, Martha Hill **P**

SATURDAY, APRIL 26

All Day Presidential Inauguration

1:00pm Climbing, Meyer Rec Barn

7:00pm [Swing and Social Dance](#), VAPA E303

8:30pm Inauguration Dance Concert, Martha Hill **P**

SUNDAY, APRIL 27

11:30am [Drama Collective Club](#), Dining Hall

2:00pm Senior Dance Concert | Program A, Martha Hill **P**

1:00pm Climbing, Meyer Rec Barn

4:00pm Senior Dance Concert | Program B, Martha Hill **P**



Student Conversation with Mariko

Mariko will host a conversation with students about Bennington and its future. Since her arrival last August, she has been talking with the College community about the core --the essence-- of Bennington. To kick off the inaugural festivities, she brings the discussion full circle in a future-facing conversation with students. Tuesday, April 22, from 12:30-1:30 pm in the CAPA Symposium.

Open Office Hours

DEAN'S OFFICE (BARN 123)

ISABEL ROCHE, dean of the College:
Mon, noon-1:00 pm (cancelled on 4/21)
DUNCAN DOBBLEMANN, associate dean of the College: Fri, noon-1:00 pm
LAURIE KOBICK, 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 & Tues, 12:30-2:00 pm

FWT AND CDO OFFICE (BARN 113)

HOLLY MCCORMACK, dean of Field Work Term:
Thurs, noon-1:30 pm
ERICA WALSH, director of FWT and Career Development: Tues & Thurs, 1:00-2:00 pm
WALK-INS welcome anytime Mon-Fri, 9:00 am-5:00 pm

P denotes events open to the public
[student organizations are noted in blue](#)

Looking for more information on the events listed here?

Try the online calendar at www.bennington.edu