



FWT & CDO ANNOUNCEMENTS

APRIL 29: What does Obamacare mean for you? "Understanding Health Insurance and Benefits" is the next workshop in the FWT&CDO Senior Series. Heather Faley will guide you through what you need to know now and in the future. 12:45-1:45 pm in EAC 1.

MAY 2: Summer FWT registration extension requests due. The extension form can be found in the WorkLink document library. Approval will be emailed within 48 hours of submission. Registrations with approved extensions are due May 16.

BENNINGTON ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT

The annual **ZEM-BENN 5K RACE** will take place on Sunday, May 4, at 10:00 am at the Park-McCullough, and the **FACULTY ARE ISSUING A CHALLENGE!** If more students participate in the race than faculty and staff, they will make a generous donation to the Senior Class Gift! Registration is \$15 per person; the Bennington Athletic Department is sponsoring \$10 of the fee for all student registrants and providing Bennington College t-shirts. Signs up can be done in Student Life or by contacting Mitch Carson or Michiel Considine.

Bennington College and Southern Vermont College are starting a **SPORTS PARTNERSHIP** that will allow Bennington students to participate on SVC collegiate sports teams. This partnership will begin in the fall with Bennington students having the opportunity to participate on SVC's cross-country team. Any student interested should contact Michiel Considine.

BIKING TRIP TO KINGDOM TRAILS! The cycling club is planning a day trip to Kingdom Trails in northern Vermont on Sunday, May 11. All skill levels are welcome and bike rentals are available on site. The cost to sign up is free, though students will be responsible for rental purchases on site. The van will leave campus at 9:00 am and return by 8:00 pm. Sign ups are available in Student Life. Please contact Katie Parker or Alex Koure with any questions.

Rec Barn House Challenge

These are the standings as of April 16. Please note that the challenge will conclude at the Rec Barn closing time on Thursday, May 1. All visits will be tallied and the winner will be announced the following week!

SWAN	278	MCCULLOUGH	131
NOYES	232	FRANKLIN	108
WOOLLEY	228	BOOTH	101
BINGHAM	216	SAWTELL	99
WELLING	158	PARIS-BORDEN	87
PERKINS	157	LM/WTH/SH	83
FELS	155	CANFIELD	51
DEWEY	145	STOKES	17
MERCK	143	KILPATRICK	15
LEIGH	131		

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

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- **RESULTS OF 2014 BENNINGTON COLLEGE ACADEMY OF AMERICAN POETS PRIZE!** The winner is Ben Redmond '14 for his poem, "(more of the Deep Sea water than before)." Julian Delacruz '14 received honorable mention for his poem, "Eve." Many thanks to our 2014 judge, poet and University of Arizona creative writing professor Joshua Marie Wilkinson, and to all of our entrants. And congratulations to Ben and Julian!
- There will be a screening of **"THE ACT OF KILLING"** on Monday, April 28, at 7:00 pm in Kinoteca. In this hallucinatory cinematic fever dream, director Joshua Oppenheimer challenges unrepentant Indonesian death squad leaders to dramatize their role in genocide in a country where killers are celebrated as heroes. The result is an unsettling journey deep into the imaginations of mass murderers and the shockingly banal regime of corruption and impunity they inhabit. Filmmaker Joshua Oppenheimer will be discussing this film via Skype on Tuesday, April 29, beginning at 2:30 pm in the CAPA Symposium.
- **POETRY AT BENNINGTON PRESENTS SHANE MCCRAE:** the poet will be in conversation with Bennington faculty Michael Dumanis on Tuesday, April 29, at 6:30 pm in the Franklin Living Room; lecturing on "Generative Distraction: How to Write Poems About What You Believe Even if You Already Know What You Believe" on Wednesday, April 30, from 4:00-5:00 pm in the EAC 1; and reading on Wednesday, April 30, at 7:00 pm in Tishman.
- Attention seniors! The **SENIOR CLASS PICTURE** will be taken on Thursday, May 1, at noon sharp at the End of the World. Rain date: Friday, May 2, at noon at the End of the World. Please contact the Office of Student Life with any questions.
- Researcher Amar Sahay, class of '97, will be holding a conversation about **SCIENCE AFTER BENNINGTON** on Saturday, May 3, at 12:00 pm in Cricket Hill Barn. Please join if you are interested in science graduate school, or discussing how to use your Bennington education in your science pursuits after Bennington. Lunch from Powers will be provided!
- Please note: the date for the **INTERCULTURAL FESTIVAL** has changed to May 10 from May 11. 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.
- Dining Services is looking to hire **STUDENT WORKERS FOR COMMENCEMENT** activities on Friday, May 30, and Saturday, May 31. Your late-departure fee (\$75) will be waived and you will be paid hourly at the rate of \$9/hr. If interested, please apply at the Dining Hall.

APRIL 28 THROUGH MAY 4

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

MONDAY, APRIL 28

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

7:00pm Film | *The Act of Killing*, Kinoteca **P**

7:00pm Climbing, Meyer Rec Barn

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

7:00pm Short Story Readers, Bookstore

TUESDAY, APRIL 29

All Day Budget and Events proposals due to the Office of Student Life

12:45pm Senior Series | Understanding Helath Insurance Benefits, EAC 1

2:30pm Filmmaker Conversation | Joshua Oppenheimer, CAPA Symposium **P**

7:00pm Poetry at Bennington | Shane McCrae, In Conversation, Franklin Living Room **P**

7:00pm Climbing, Meyer Rec Barn

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

7:30pm Visual Arts Lecture Series | Molly Hatch, Tishman **P**

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

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 30

All Day Registration for Fall '14 begins

4:00pm Poetry at Bennington Lecture | Shane McCrae, EAC 1 **P**

7:00pm Poetry at Bennington Reading | Shane McCrae, Tishman **P**

7:00pm Climbing, Meyer Rec Barn

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

THURSDAY, MAY 1

Morning Half Plan Day | No morning classes

Noon Senior Class Picture, End of the World

1:00pm Live Webcast | The Economic and Social Effects of Crime and Mass Incarceration in the U.S., CAPA Symposium **P**

7:00pm Climbing, Meyer Rec Barn

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

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

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

10:00pm Karaoke, Student Center

FRIDAY, MAY 2

All Day Summer FWT registration extension requests due to the FWT Office

All Day Applications for study away during fall term due to Academic Services

1:00pm Science Workshop, Dickinson 117

7:00pm Climbing, Meyer Rec Barn

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

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

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

8:00pm *How Water Behaves*, Lester Martin **P**

8:30pm Monfest | Live Music and Puppet Show, DownCafé

SATURDAY, MAY 3

Noon Conversation and Luncheon with Amar Sahay, Cricket Hill Barn

1:00pm Sunfest | Music and More, Commons Lawn **P**

1:00pm Climbing, Meyer Rec Barn

2:00pm Junior Recital | Heather Rodgers, Deane Carriage Barn **P**

5:00pm Sunfest | Dinner, Commons Lawn **P**

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

8:00pm *How Water Behaves*, Lester Martin **P**

8:00pm Sunfest | Music, Student Center **P**

SUNDAY, MAY 4

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

1:00pm Climbing, Meyer Rec Barn

8:00pm *How Water Behaves*, Lester Martin **P**



COMMUNITY DISCUSSION ON SUSTAINABILITY

Please join president Mariko Silver on Thursday, May 8, at 12:30 pm in the Symposium for a community discussion on sustainability.

Open Office Hours

DEAN'S OFFICE (BARN 123)

ISABEL ROCHE, dean of the College:

Mon, noon-1:00 pm

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