



Sept. 29-Oct. 07, 1990
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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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

Saturday, September 29

COFFEEHOUSE: FREE ASSOCIATION

This week's coffeehouse features one of this term's most original bands, Free Association. Based out of the New York City area, this band's original compositions tend to focus on important social and political issues. *Café, 10:00 p.m.*

Sunday, September 30

*SUNDAY NIGHT SEMINAR

The first Sunday Night Seminar of the term. Terry Creach will present "Sex, Gender, and Men in Dance." *Bingham Living Room, 8:30 p.m.*

PHOEBE NEVILLE WORKSHOP

The Dance Division presents a special anatomy workshop with Phoebe Neville, who has been working at Bonnie Cohen's Body/Mind Centering School. This workshop will be held again on Monday, October 1. *Dance Studio E320, 7:00 p.m.*

*GAY "T"

To kick off Gay Awareness Week, the Lesbian, Gay, and Bisexual Community (LGB) is sponsoring a gay tea. Informal, everyone is invited. *Back porch of Bingham, 1:00 p.m.*

Monday, October 1

GERMAN TABLE

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

♦ HIGHLIGHTS ♦ OF ♦ THE ♦ WEEK ♦

MUSIC DIVISION

◆ The Music Division will present a faculty trombone concert by Gerald Zaffuts. The program will include works by: Parrot, Fine, Larson, Pederson, Baker and Tomasi. Guest performers are Peter Mahigian and Michael Zaffuts. All are cordially invited to attend. *Wednesday, October 3, Greenwall Music Workshop, 8:15 p.m.*

SPECIAL EVENTS

◆ Nadine Gordimer, the renowned South African author, will deliver the thirteenth annual Ben Belitt Lecture. Titled "Three in a Bed: Fiction, Morals, and Politics," Gordimer's lecture will take place on *Thursday, October 4, in the Greenwall Music Workshop, at 8:15 p.m.* The event is free and open to the public. See the Calendar of Events for more detailed information on Nadine Gordimer.

GAY AWARENESS WEEK

◆ The Lesbian, Gay and Bisexual Community of Bennington College is sponsoring a series of week-long events to raise the consciousness of the community at large about sexual orientation, AIDS, and other issues concerning homosexuality. All events are open to the public. See the Calendar of Events for daily activities.

PC COMPATIBLE DEMO/INFO

Demonstration of Synectic Systems, Ltd., PC compatible hardware and software. Special pricing for students, faculty, and staff. *Commons, 11:00 a.m.*

****TORCH SONG TRILOGY****

The LGB will show "Torch Song Trilogy" and all are invited to attend. *Wooley Living Room, 8:00 p.m.*

**PHOEBE NEVILLE
WORKSHOP**

Repeat of last night's workshop with Phoebe Neville. *Dance Studio E320, 7:00 p.m.*

**FELLOWSHIPS FOR
STUDY ABROAD**

There will be an informational meeting for those interested in applying for Rhodes, Marshall and Fulbright Scholarships. Those unable to attend this meeting should contact Jonathan Haynes in Barn 115. *Barn 77, 5:30 p.m.*

FRENCH TABLE

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

**MULTI-FACETED
ENVIRONMENTAL GROUP**

Bennington Green meets every Tuesday to talk about and act on environmental issues in our community and beyond. *Dickinson Reading Room, 7:30 p.m.*

****FACULTY EXHIBITION
1990****

The Usdan Gallery will host "Faculty Exhibition 1990," with exhibitions by Aebersold, Beale, Feinstein, Kent, Rees, Serra, Storey, Wofford, Adams, Bartlett, Dexter, Kahn, Rappaport, Rosen, Sillman, and Tillim. The exhibition will be on display through November 15. Regular Gallery hours are Monday-Friday, 1:00-5:00 p.m. *Usdan Gallery, opening reception, 7:00 p.m.*

***ON BEING GAY**

Informal discussions, readings, and performances about college students dealing with aspects of homosexuality in today's society. All are welcome to attend and/or participate. *Booth Living Room, 8:30 p.m.*

Wednesday, October 3

CHINESE TABLE

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

***AIDS PANEL**

The community is invited to attend a panel discussion on the various aspects of AIDS. Panelists are Michael Mishkind of the Science Division, student Tom Preston, Peter Golub of the Music Division, and a guest speaker, William Toth, who will talk about living with the disease. The panel will be moderated by faculty member Susan Sgorbati, and is co-sponsored by the Office of Student Affairs and the Lesbian, Gay and Bi-Sexual Community. *Tishman, 6:30 p.m.*

***FACULTY CONCERT
BY GERALD ZAFFUTS**

The Music Division presents a trombone concert by Gerald Zaffuts. The program will include works by: Porret, Fine, Larson, Pederson, Baker and Tomasi. Guest performers are Peter Mahigian and Michael Zaffuts. All are cordially invited to attend. *Greenwall Music Workshop, 8:15 p.m.*

Thursday, October 4

***THIRTEENTH ANNUAL BEN
BELITT LECTURE**

Nadine Gordimer, the renowned South African author, will deliver the thirteenth annual Ben Belitt Lecture, entitled "Three in a Bed: Fiction, Morals, and Politics." The event is free and open to the public. Nadine Gordimer, who has been hailed in the *Saturday Review* as "the literary voice and conscience of her society," published her first short story at the age of fifteen. Raised in a middle-class, white family, Gordimer's moral voice developed and emerged through her fiction,

which focuses upon, in her own words, "the consequences of apartheid on the daily lives of men and women, the distortions it produces in relationships among both blacks and whites." Among her recent awards are a Modern Language Association of America award, 1982; a Common Wealth Award for Distinguished Service in Literature, 1981; a Bennet Award, *Hudson Review*, 1986; Officier de l'Ordre des Arts et des Lettres (France), 1986; honorary Doctor of Literature degrees, University of Leuven, Smith College, City College of the City University of New York, and Mount Holyoke College. She has produced some nine novels, including her latest, *A Sport of Nature*, 1987, and over ten collections of short stories, including 1984's *Something Out There*. In addition, she is the author of several works of nonfiction, including *Lifetimes Under Apartheid*, and has written screenplays for several television dramas and documentaries. She has lectured and taught writing at Harvard, Princeton, Northwestern, Columbia, and Tulane Universities, among others. *Greenwall Music Workshop*, 8:15 p.m.

SEA EDUCATION ASSOCIATION

Jon Burt, from Sea Education Association, will be on campus to give a presentation on SEA's program. Any students who may be interested in this program are invited to attend. If you have any questions or would like further information, please contact Henrietta Marshall in the Dean of Studies Office. *Barn 1, 10:30 a.m.*

*GAY FLAMES!

There will be a bonfire sponsored by the LGB at the end of the world after Nadine Gordimer's lecture. We request the pleasure of your company. *End of the world, following lecture.*

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.*

Friday, October 5

*"DESERT HEARTS"

The LGB will be showing the movie "Desert Hearts." *Noyes Living Room, 9:00 p.m.*

Saturday, October 6

COFFEEHOUSE: STAN SCOTT

Stan Scott, an accomplished performer in the traditional music of Ireland and England, will perform the Parents Weekend coffeehouse. He is now working on original songs and folk music of Ireland and India. *Café, 10:00 p.m.*

*"STORYBOARD FOR AN ANXIOUS JOURNEY"

The Dance Division presents Sharon Wyrwick, mother of Bennington student Zack Goodwin, a Washington, D.C. based choreographer, who will perform her evening length solo work "Storyboard for an Anxious Journey." Don't miss what should be an interesting show! *Martha Hill Dance Workshop, 8:00 p.m.*

STUDENT ART SALE

Students interested in signing up to sell art, photographs, jewelry, etc., during Parent's Weekend should sign up in Student Services by October 3. A table will be provided for you. *Sale begins in Commons, 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.*

UPCOMING EVENTS

*AMBASSADOR MAX M. KAMPELMAN LECTURE

Max M. Kampelman, Ambassador and Head of the United States Delegation to the Negotiations on Nuclear and Space Arms in Geneva, will present a lecture on Thursday, October 11, as part of a two-day visit to Bennington College. Entitled "Observations of a Changing World," Kampelman's lecture will take place at 8:15 p.m., in Greenwall Music Workshop. The event is free and open to the public. A

former Bennington College faculty member, Max M. Kampelmen is a partner in the Washington, New York, Los Angeles, and London law firm of Fried, Frank, Harris, Shriver & Jacobson. Before joining the law firm in 1989, he was Counselor for the Department of State and, since March 1985, has headed the SALT negotiations in Geneva. He currently serves as chairman of Freedom House, Board of Governors of the United Nations Association, and Jerusalem Foundation. See next week's *College Week* for more details.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

COLLEGE WEEK PAID SUBSCRIBERS PLEASE NOTE

Now is the time to renew your subscription to *College Week* for the fall term, at \$5.00 per term. Please note: Fall term payment of \$5.00 covers issues from September through December. Spring term payment covers March through June (there is no *College Week* from mid-December through February due to the Field Work Term). If you are a regular subscriber, you are encouraged to send payment of \$10.00 to cover the full year. Payment deadline is Friday, September 28. If payment is not received by then, your name will be removed from the mailing list. Alumni need not pay. Please make checks payable to the Publications Office.

WEIGHT WATCHERS ON CAMPUS

Anyone interested in joining Weight Watchers, which will meet on campus, please contact Tidy Baxter at ext. 345, Barn 44.

LIBRARY HOURS

Library Hours:

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

Please note: Williams College forms are not available on Saturdays.

TIMESHEET SCHEDULE FOR STUDENT WORKERS

Timesheet schedule as follows:

Period covered:	Submitted by:	Payday:
9/23-10/06	10/08	10/18
10/07-10/20	10/24	11/05
10/21-11/03	11/05	11/14
11/04-11/24	11/26	12/05
11/25-12/14	12/17	12/27

ART WANTED!!

The Health Service would like to hang student art in its offices. Please see Joan Hoyt if you have any artwork you would like to display.

SILO SILO SILO

Silo is currently accepting submissions for the Fall 1990 issue #41. All literature submissions must be typed on 8 1/2 x 11 sheets of regular typing paper. It is preferred that they be available on computer disk, although this is not required. Due to financial constraints, we are requesting that only short fiction or prose be submitted for consideration this term, preferably no more than 10 to 12 pages in length. All music submissions must be accompanied by a cassette recording of the composition; this cassette will be returned after final decisions have been made. We are also requesting that, when possible, all art submissions be presented in slide or photograph form. The staff photographer will still be available in cases where this is not possible. Eleanor Martineau is the Art Editor this term, and any inquiries may be directed to Tara Shimandle or Eleanor.

BOOKSTORE BOOKSTORE BOOKSTORE

Please buy your books now! Book returns will begin October 1, so get them while you can. Coming soon: limited edition Bennington sweat pants. Bookstore hours: Monday through Thursday from 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. and Fridays from 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

GRE'S

Anyone taking the dreaded exam on Saturday, October 13, in Williamstown, sign up in Student Services for transportation. Please sign up as soon as possible. Any questions or comments, contact Andrés Nader.

WEIGHT ROOM HOURS

Weight room hours are as follows:

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

AEROBICS

Traditional aerobic classes will be held Monday through Friday at 5:00 p.m., in Commons West. Bring mats if possible and be sure to wear a good pair of sneakers!

PROSPECTIVE LAW STUDENTS

Any prospective law student interested in speaking with a representative of Washington and Lee Law School in early October should immediately notify the pre-law advisor, Arnold Ricks.

OFF-CAMPUS EVENTS

DORSET PLAYHOUSE PRODUCTION

Cindy K. Baxter, class of '90, is appearing as Mary in Jean Kerr's delightful comedy "Mary, Mary." The Dorset Players production will be presented at the Playhouse on Cheney Road on October 5-7, and 12-14, at 8:00 p.m. Tickets are available at the door, \$10.00 for adults, \$5.00 for 18 and under.

HISTORY OF THE COLLEGE

On Sunday, October 7, at 3:15 p.m., on the lawn of the Park McCullough House, several former distinguished members of the Bennington College faculty will be speaking about the history of the College. Refreshments will be served. All are encouraged to participate. Members of the faculty and staff will join interested students in a walk to the Park McCullough House at 2:30 p.m. Meet at the flag pole in front of the barn.

SEE VERMONT FOLIAGE FROM MT. ANTHONY'S SUMMIT

Bennington students, alumni, and friends are invited to join with the Mount Anthony Preservation Society for a walk up Mt. Anthony on Sunday, October 7, at 9:00 a.m. There will be a three-mile round-trip walk and an eight-mile round-trip walk (please bring water and lunch). Friends and alumni should meet at the parking lot in the rear of the First Vermont Bank in Bennington to car pool. Transportation will be available for students from the Bennington campus, leaving at 8:30 a.m. For more information, call Jane Burkhardt at 442-9402, or Student Services, ext. 100.

NEW ENGLAND BACH FESTIVAL

There will be two performances of the New England Bach Festival at Persons Auditorium in Marlboro College, in Marlboro, Vermont. The first will be a performance of solo cantatas by J. S. Bach, on Friday, October 5, at 8:00 p.m., featuring Arlean Auger, soprano. The second will be a performance of "St. John's Passion" by J. S. Bach, on Sunday, October 7, at 3:00 p.m. Both will be under the direction of Blanch Honegger Moyse. Call the Brattleboro Music Center in Brattleboro, Vermont, 802-257-4523, for ticket information.

