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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.

STUDENTS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND THE LANGUAGE TABLES EVERY
WEEK IN THE PURPLE DINING ROOM FROM 5:00-6:00 P.M.
FOR INFORMAL CONVERSATION IN A FOREIGN LANGUAGE:

SPANISH TABLE—EVERY MONDAY
GERMAN TABLE—EVERY TUESDAY
CHINESE TABLE—EVERY WEDNESDAY
FRENCH TABLE—EVERY THURSDAY

FRIDAY, MARCH 24

OFF-HOLLYWOOD

Passport Cinemas, Ltd. and the Office of Student Life present *Off-hollywood*. *Off-hollywood* is a program being developed by Passport Cinemas that includes two short films, *Son For Sail* directed by Jurgen Vsyeh and *Hello Photo* directed by Nina Davenport, and lasts between 75 and 90 minutes. Each program may contain narrative, documentary, or experimental films, live-action or animation. Watch for more details. Posters will be coming out soon with more information about these two films. \$3 admission. *Tishman Lecture Hall, 8 p.m.*

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE WEEK

OFF-HOLLYWOOD

◆ Passport Cinemas, Ltd. and the Office of Student Life present *Off-Hollywood*, a program that includes two short films. Friday, March 24 at 8 p.m. in Tishman Lecture Hall.

GEOFFREY OVINGTON

◆ The Music Library Talk Series presents *Violin, Viola, Cello: Their History and Construction* with Geoffrey Ovington. Wednesday, March 29 at 8:15 p.m. in Jennings Room 136.

VERLYN KLINKENBORG

◆ Writer Verlyn Klinkenborg, a Briggs-Copeland Assistant Professor in English at Harvard University, will read from his works Thursday, March 30 at 8 p.m. in Barn 1.

MONDAY, MARCH 27

*COMPOSERS STRING QUARTET

Bennington College will present the Composers String Quartet, whose current performers are Matthew Raimondi and Anahid Ajemian, violin; Ronald Carbone, viola; and Mark Shuman, cello. The program will include string quartets by Charles Ives, Ruth Crawford, and Maurice Ravel. A special reception will be held following the concert. *Greenwall Music Workshop, 8:15 p.m.*

TUESDAY, MARCH 28

*FR. SVEN WARNER

Fr. Sven Warner will lead a discussion on "Resolving Conflict in a Church Context." Fr. Warner is the priest of St. Mark's/St. Luke's Churches in Castleton and Fair Haven, VT. He is a facilitator for the Episcopal Diocese of Vermont. *Dickinson 117, 3:30 p.m.*

*DR. GRETCHEN MEYER

Dr. Gretchen Meyer, a member of the Biology Department at Williams College, will speak on "Resource Availability and Plant Response to Herbivore Damage." *Dickinson 148, 4:15 p.m.*

*NIGHT OF SCENES

The Bennington College Drama Collective presents the first in a series of *Night of Scenes*, featuring two short plays: Lanford Wilson's *Ikke, Ikke, Nye, Nye, Nye* and John Steinbeck's *Of Mice and Men*—a study. *Ikke, Ikke, Nye, Nye, Nye* is directed by Kari Bauce and features Michael Buhl and Jennifer Nyman. *Of Mice and Men*—a study, is directed by Jessica Webber and features Rob Faucette, Deacon Worrell, Ramaa Mosley, and John Barr. *VAPA, D207, 8 p.m.*

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 29

*GEOFFREY OVINGTON

The Music Library Talk Series presents *Violin, Viola, Cello: Their History and Construction* with Geoffrey Ovington, luthier (violin maker). Instruments by Ovington are played in the Los Angeles Chamber Orchestra, San Diego Symphony, New York Philharmonic, St. Cecilia Chamber Orchestra, Albany Symphony, Colorado Quartet, Bennington String Quartet, and Franciscan String Quartet. Overseas, the Vienna Philharmonic commissioned three violas from Ovington in 1991, the only commission for stringed instruments ever accorded to an American. His instruments are also heard in the Oslo Philharmonic, Deutsche Kammerphilharmonie, Austrian Radio Orchestra, Linz Philharmonic, Bavarian Radio Symphony, La Scala Opera Orchestra, Bergen Harmonien, and Goteberg Symphony. This year Geoffrey Ovington will complete a commissioned replica of the fine Storini viola played by Thomas Kakushka of the Alban Berg Quartet. Refreshments served. *Jennings Music Building Room 136, 7 p.m.*

MOSTLY MONDAYS, SOMETIMES WEDNESDAYS

The next in a series of weekly dance get-togethers (Mondays or sometimes Wednesdays) will feature the **Fox Trot** with a review of the **Cha-Cha**. Instruction by Danny Michaelson, Charlene Stanlewicz, and Steve Hernandez with Tom Farrell at the piano and Jay Metz on percussion. All faculty and staff welcome. If you are interested in an evening of **Line Dancing**, please contact Charlene, ext. 212 or Danny, ext. 239. *Wednesday, March 29, Greenwall, 7 - 9 p.m.*

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 29 (CONT.)

*SENIOR CONCERT

Bennington College student Alex Huberty will present his senior concert. Mr. Huberty will be accompanied by Mary Springer, Matt Weston, and David Anthony. *Deane Carriage Barn*, 9:30 p.m.

*GRAND ILLUSION

Grand Illusion, Jean Renoir's film about WWI with Jean Gabin and Erich von Stroheim. French with English subtitles. Barn 2, 7 p.m.

DINNER WITH ROBERT

Robert Waldman, Dean of the College, looks forward to meeting and talking with students about themselves, the College, or world affairs. Take him up on it and join him for dinner. *Dining Halls*, 6-7 p.m.

*NIGHT OF SCENES

Repeat of Tuesday night's performance. VAPA, D207, 8 p.m.

THURSDAY, MARCH 30

*VERLYN KLINKENBORG

Writer Verlyn Klinkenborg will read from his works. Mr. Klinkenborg currently teaches nonfiction creative writing at Harvard University, where he is the Briggs-Copeland Assistant Professor in English. He was on the core faculty in Bennington College's MFA Writing Program this winter. He has written two books, *The Last Fine Time* (1991) and *Making Hay* (1987), and several introductions to books, and is currently working on another book. Barn 1, 8 p.m.

*GRADUATE STUDENT PROJECT

Graduate student Scott Moore presents *Secrecy, Seduction, and Portable Paradise*. This project was made possible by the Student Endowment of the Arts. The performance will commence near the Cricket Hill garden wall at the barrel. 8:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, MARCH 31

*THE FROG KILLER

Bennington College will present *The Frog Killer*, an original play by Vermonter Miles Keefe. This one-act play is set at a boys' camp in the Adirondack Mountains in the summer of 1969. This comic drama features author Miles Keefe as the Chief and Bennington College alumna Karina Melanson as Nurse O'Day. *Margot Tenney Theater*, 9 p.m., arrival 15 minutes before curtain time is recommended.

*DANCE CONCERT

Bennington College will present a dance performance entitled *A Trio of Solos*. The work will feature Bennington College students Eva Lawrence, Sandra Mendes, and Katy Schonbeck. *Martha Hill Dance Workshop*, 7:30 p.m.

SATURDAY, APRIL 1

*DANCE CONCERT

Repeat of Friday night's performance. *Martha Hill Dance Workshop*, 7:30 p.m.

JOBWIRE

The FWT/Career Center has listings for full-time, part-time, on-campus, and summer positions. Below is a sample listing of job opportunities. For more information, come to the Career Center.

SUMMER JOBS:

SAVE THE BAY, Providence, RI. Paid and unpaid internships with organization whose mission is to ensure environmental quality of Narragansett Bay.

Richard Gray Gallery, Chicago, IL. Artists assistant. \$8/hr., full-time.

Pentangle Council on the Arts, Woodstock, VT. Intern. Housing plus \$50/wk stipend.

The Great Escape Fun Park, Lake George, NY. Variety of paid positions. Full or part-time. Job Fair to be held on 4/9 to interview potential employees.

Riverside Park, Agawam, MA. Paid positions in New England's largest fun park.

Teach For America. Summer interns to assist in the administration of training program for 500 teachers. \$1000 stipend plus room & board, travel expenses to the site.

Sterling & Francine Clark Art Institute. Summer jobs as research assistant, photography assistant, curatorial assistant, exhibition department assistant, and education assistant. \$6/hr. Apply immediately.

Omega Institute, Rhinebeck, NY. Full-time paid and work exchange positions available in the nation's largest holistic learning center. Housing and meals provided plus free participation in programs.

Major Farm, Putney, VT. Farm apprentice. \$140/wk plus room & board.

Huguenot Historical Society, New Paltz, NY. Five internships available. \$1200 stipend plus possible housing.

Iroquois Indian Museum, Howes Cave, NY. Interns to work with public in an interactive setting. Minimum wage plus possible room & board.

PERMANENT POSITIONS:

Berkeley Repertory Theatre, Berkeley, CA. Variety of administrative and production internships available for August - June, 1996. Production interns receive housing plus \$300/month stipend. Apply by April 15.

Zero Population Growth, Washington, DC. Variety of internships for July - December. Approximately \$1190/month plus short-term medical insurance. Apply by 4/1.

Theatreworks/USA, NYC. Administrative interns for nine month, full-time, paid internships. Apply by 4/30.

Beaverbrook STEP, Inc., Watertown, MA. Staff advocates to work with developmentally disabled adults. \$8/hr., flexible schedules available.

Simon's Rock College of Bard, Great Barrington, MA. Residence directors positions. BA degree, apply by mid-April. Salary plus apartment, meals, and benefits package.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BENNINGTON GREENS

All are welcome at our meetings to give input into the planning of future hikes and nature-going events. *Woolley Living Room, Tuesdays, 7 p.m.*

SCHOOL FOR INTERNATIONAL TRAINING

Ms. April Hayden, Admissions Representative, from the School for International Training will be on campus to talk with any interested student about SIT's Semester Abroad program. She will be in the Commons lounge on Tuesday, April 4 at 11 a.m.

WISG

Seeking an organized individual dedicated to feminist action for the position of Assistant Director to the Women's Issues Study Group. This person will take over the FWS director position next year. Please contact Blair Orfall, WTH 13.

YOGA

Anyone interested in participating in yoga classes, please put a note in the mailbox of either Eric Bauer or Dylan Curran so an organizational meeting can be set up.

CHESS

Every Friday at 7:30 p.m. in Dickinson Reading Room. Beginners and experts are welcome.

BASKETBALL

In Greenwall there is now a basketball hoop available for the college community's use. There are days and times when this space is reserved for events, rehearsals, set-ups, etc., so check first with the Office of Student Life to see if the time you want to shoot hoops is available. The basketball may be signed out from the Fitness Center.

APPLE COMPUTER SALES

Apple Macintosh computers are available at education discount prices: Dickinson 228 or ext. 225 for details.

FWT/CAREER CENTER

Graduating and looking for a job? Need help updating your resume? Looking for a summer job? Applying to graduate school? The FWT/Career Center can help. We have a comprehensive career library containing full-time and summer job listings, general career information, graduate school directories, and scholarship materials. Career counselors can help you with your job search or with clarifying your career goals. Stop by or call ext. 344 to make an appointment. Spring office hours: Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

A WRITER'S LIFE: PERSPECTIVES ON CAREERS IN WRITING

Careers in writing can take you down many different paths. This panel presentation will have a journalist, fiction writer, script writer, and poet discussing their careers. **Advanced registration required.** Sign up by April 7 in the Career Center. *VAPA D208, April 12, 3-4:30 p.m.*

COLLEGE WEEK

Forms for submission to *College Week* can be found in the Communications Office. The deadline for submissions is **Tuesday at 5:00 p.m.** for Thursday's publication—**no exceptions**. If forms are incomplete or illegible, the information will not be included in *College Week*.

FITNESS CENTER

The Fitness Center is open Monday - Friday, 7-9 a.m., 3-10 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday, 8-10 a.m. and 1-10 p.m. Our staff will help you design a workout if you like. Equipment available includes: treadmill, freeweights, bicycle, stair stepper, and punching bag. Additional equipment can be checked out for tennis, football, basketball, frisbee, and soccer.

1994 SUNFEST SHIRTS

1994 Sunfest shirts are now available in the Student Life Office for the unbelievably low price of **\$3.00**. Be sure and stop by today while the supply lasts.

STUDENT TIMESHEETS

Timesheet schedule for College Work-Study and Student Regular Employment:

Timesheets Due Checks Issued

4/3	4/12
4/17	4/26
5/8	5/17
5/22	6/1
6/12	6/22

It is important to submit timesheets on time: late timesheets are processed for the next payroll.

CROSSETT LIBRARY

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

MUSIC LIBRARY

Hours:	Monday-Friday	9 a.m. - 5 p.m. *
	Tuesday & Thursday	7 p.m. - 9 p.m.
	Saturday & Sunday	1 p.m. - 4 p.m.

* Tuesday until 4 p.m. when Music Workshop begins in Greenwall.

Reminders: Music Workshop is on Tuesdays at 4 p.m. Everyone is welcome, and students taking music courses are strongly urged to attend.

Late fines in effect: 25¢ per day for scores and books, 50¢ per day for recordings. Please review circulation policy. Thank you.

Music Library News:

New CDs: R. Strauss Lieder (Jessye Norman)—Manchester Chamber Players—Rampal: Flute Concerti—Charles Argersinger—Tobias Picker.
Books: *A Year From Monday* by John Cage and *The Enjoyment of Music* by Joseph Machlis.

BLACK MUSIC LIBRARY

Black Music Listening Room Jennings 218
Open to the College Community

Hours:	Monday-Friday	7 p.m. - 9 p.m.
	Saturday & Sunday	1 p.m. - 5 p.m.

To assist in making your selections, the Record Catalog is available in the Music Office during the day. A Record Catalog is also available to look at, and make your selections from, in the Listening Room during evening and weekend hours.

AA MEETING

The Tuesday night AA meeting is happening again this term. This is an open discussion meeting in the Psychological Services conference room on the 2nd floor of Commons. For further information, contact Doreen Forney, ext. 270.

PEER ASSISTANTS

These students are available to talk with fellow students who have questions or concerns about alcohol or other drugs, HIV/AIDS, and other issues at Bennington related to health and one's well-being. Conversations are confidential and referrals can be made to appropriate resources on or off campus. Christa Cliver, 447-8997, Sidra Ellison, ext. 316, and Joanne Lembo, 442-9920. For more information regarding Peer Assistants, call Doreen Forney, Office of Student Life, ext. 100.

**PSYCHOLOGICAL
COUNSELING SERVICES**

The Psychological Counseling Service is open Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. To make an appointment, call the secretary in the infirmary (ext. 220), or leave a copy of your schedule in our post office boxes or in our office. We have listings of therapists off campus, and also listings of AA, Al-Anon, ACOA, 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.

HEALTH SERVICE

Health Service is open daily with a nurse on duty from 8 a.m. to 11 p.m. Weekend hours are Friday, 11 p.m., through Sunday, 11 p.m. On Saturday and Sunday between 11 p.m. and 7 a.m., the door is locked. Please knock on the door if a nurse is needed. In the event of an emergency when Health Service is closed, call emergency extension 210. A college physician is available Monday, Wednesday, and Friday for clinic hours. Check with Health Service for exact hours. Doctor's 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 emergency ext. 210 when Health Service is closed. A trip to the hospital emergency room without prior approval may not be covered by school insurance.

Film Society Movies

Crimes of Dr. Mabuse — Saturday, March 25
Drifting Weeds — Tues., March 28 & Wed., March 29
Devi — Saturday, April 1

