

College Week

Weekly announcements for the Bennington College Community

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

MAY 16 - MAY 24, 1987

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EVENTS (*) ARE FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE WEEK:

*SPANISH ONE-ACT PLAYS - El Delantal Blanco (The White Apron)
- El Censo (The Census)*

DANCE - Dance Concert

*DRAMA - Les Liaisons Dangereuses by Christopher Hampton
- The Bald Soprano by Eugene Ionesco
- Actors by Conrad Bromberg*

*MUSIC - Senior Recital - Jane Davies, flute
Senior Recital - Daniel Gorn, double bass*

SATURDAY, MAY 16, 1987

- 1:00-3:30 p.m. **TAI CHI** - with Savo Wise, instructor.
Newman Court
- 1:30 p.m. **AA MEETING** - Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting will
take place every Saturday at this time.
Dickinson, Room 117
- 8:00 p.m. * **DANCE CONCERT** A concert of student works by
Sandra Burton, Bill Engstrand, Barbara Boucher,
Deanna Dorvillier and Colleen Gallagher.
Performers are Maiya Greaves, Jonathan Kinsel,
Shauna Grey, Dominique Zeltman, Kelly Clark,
Nicole Claro, Gibbs Saunders, Andrea Marks,
France Palladino, Rachel Goldberg, Sara Moy,
Bethany Krause, Kristin Seaver, Leanne Anderson,
Noah Loesberg, Claudia Rowe, Sarah Schatz,
Valerie Marcus and Sabrina Owen. *Martha Hill
Dance Theatre*
- 9:00 p.m. **MOVIE** - Jabberwocky, Terry Gilliam's first
feature without Monty Python, stars Michael
Palin as a naive cooper who goes to the big city
to make his fortune in what turns out to be a
midieval hell where the terrible Jabberwock is,
in reality, the least of their problems.
Saturday at 9 p.m., Sunday at 8 p.m. *Tishman*

SUNDAY, MAY 17, 1987

- 1:00-4:00 p.m. **BASKETBALL** - The North Bennington School Gym is available to Bennington College students for Basketball today. Info: Andrew Martin in Student Services or Box C-432.
- 2:00 p.m. **ULTIMATE FRISBEE GAME** - *Simon's Rock College*
- 3:00 p.m. * **SENIOR RECITAL** After brunch and a leisurely walk about campus, why not stroll on over for Daniel Gorn's Senior Recital which includes works by Bach, Gorn, Bottesini and Kurtz. Talented performers include Elizabeth Brunton, Marianne Finckel, Claudia Friedlander, Robert Nowak, Elizabeth Perera, Michael Severens, Max Weiss and a special appearance by the very special Dina Emerson! Everyone is cordially invited to attend. *Greenwall Music Workshop*
- 7:00 p.m. * **SPANISH ONE-ACT PLAYS** - The Spanish department of the Literature and Languages Division presents two one-act plays directed by Oscar Dueñas and Ana Esteban. "El Delantal Blanco" (The White Apron) written by Sergio Vodanović features Declan Cooper, Eric Slater, Mercedes Flores, Jennifer King, Sean Murphy and Jolien Schukking and "El Censo" (The Census) written by Emilio Carbadillo features Diane Barraclough-Briggs, Elizabeth Blackwell, Alex Fattoruso, Jovita Moore, Marina Ricciardi and Don Schneider. There will be ONE PERFORMANCE ONLY. *D-207, VAPA*
- 8:00 p.m. * **DANCE CONCERT** - Repeat of Saturday night's performance. *Martha Hill Dance Theatre*
- 8:00 p.m. **MOVIE** - Jabberwocky. Repeat. *Tishman*
- 10:00 p.m. **COFFEE HOUR** in each house.

MONDAY, MAY 18, 1987

- 5:00-6:00 p.m. **AEROBICS** - *Newman Court, VAPA*
- 5:30 p.m. **FRENCH TABLE** - Everyone is invited to attend the French Table for informal conversation in French. *Green Dining Room*
- 8:00 p.m. **THIRD WORLD FILM COURSE** - How Tasty Was My Little Frenchman (Brazil 1971), directed by dos Santos will be shown in *Tishman Auditorium*

TUESDAY, MAY 19, 1987

- 5:15 p.m. **"BENNINGTON COLLEGE REPORT"** - Set your radios to WHGC-FM, 94.3 on your dial for features and news produced by Eden Rockwood-Kantor and Kim Potochnik.
- 6:00 p.m. **FILM** - How Tasty Was My Little Frenchman (Brazil 1971). Repeat. *Tishman Auditorium*
- 7:00 p.m. * **DRAMA** - The Bald Soprano by Eugene Ionesco is an independent drama project directed by Nedim Saban with stage design by Larissa Marangoni. The performers are Debra Eisenstadt, Tim Halpern, Jennifer King, Elizabeth Pratt, Jeff Reynolds, Brad Schlei, Ellen Simpson and Brigitte Thriart. *Jennings Pond Stage behind Dickinson*
- 9:00 p.m. **MOVIE** - The Devil's Eye, directed by Ingmar Bergman, is a film in which the Devil must send Casanova to seduce a virgin bride. *Tishman*

WEDNESDAY, MAY 20, 1987

- 2:30 p.m. **HOUSE CHAIRPERSON MEETING** - *Noyes House*
- 5:00-7:00 p.m. **VOLLEYBALL PRACTICE SESSION** *North Bennington School Gym*
- 5:00-6:00 p.m. **AEROBICS** - *Newman Court, VAPA*
- 5:30 p.m. **SPANISH TABLE** - Everyone is invited to attend the Spanish Table for informal conversation in Spanish. *Green Dining Room*
- 7:00 p.m. * **DRAMA** - The Bald Soprano. Repeat of Tuesday's Performance - an independent drama project. *Jennings Pond Stage behind Dickinson*
- 7:00-9:30 p.m. **TAI CHI** - with Savo Wise, instructor. *Newman Court*
- 8:00 p.m. **MOVIE** - The Devil's Eye. Repeat. *Tishman*.
- 8:15 p.m. * **CONCERT** - The Bennington College Music Division presents a senior flute recital by Jane Davies which will include works by Paul Hindemith, Claude Debussy, W.A. Mozart, Miles Davis, Edgard Varese, Linda Dowdell and C.P.E. Bach. Performers are: Jane Davies, Lynn Buck, Edwin Lawrence and Linda Dowdell. A reception will follow the performance and all are cordially invited to attend. *Greenwall Music Workshop*

THURSDAY, MAY 21, 1987

- 12:30-2:00 p.m. **LINEN SERVICE** - *Commons Lounge*
- 5:30 p.m. **GERMAN TABLE** - Everyone is invited to attend for informal conversation in German. *Green Dining Room*
- 7:00 p.m. **MEETING** - A Nichiren Daishonin Buddhist meeting will be held this evening with an Albany district leader present for questions. Contact Ada Vlachoutsikou (Box E607, 442-5621) or Minter Krotzer (Box C385, 442-9817). Transportation will be provided. *Houghton St., No. Bennington*
- 7:30 p.m. * **DRAMA** - The Bald Soprano. Repeat of Tuesday's and Wednesday's performances. *Jennings Pond Stage behind Dickinson*
- 9:00 p.m. **POETRY READING** - The Literature and Languages Division presents a poetry reading by Eric Archart, Patrick Murray and Sean Flaherty reading selections of their poetry, followed by a reception and dance. "Your baby's covered with sugar all the way down. Grab your honey and swing her around." Come check out the reading and sit yourself down for a good time. *The Carriage Barn*

FRIDAY, MAY 22, 1987

- 5:00-6:00 p.m. **AEROBICS** - *Newman Court, VAPA*
- 5:30 p.m. **WOMEN'S CLUB** - All women students are welcome. *Green Dining Room*
- 8:00 p.m. * **DRAMA** - Bennington College Drama Division presents Les Liaisons Dangereuses by Christopher Hampton, directed by Betsy Shevey. The play centers on the love and revenge of aristocrats in Paris. The cast features Zaraawar Mistry, Elizabeth Anne Hipwell, Nina Margit Nilsson, Mercedes Olea, Edward Maybury Needham IV, Yvonne Isadora Procho, Sarajennifer Sharp, Patrick Spencer and April Daisy White. *Lester Martin Theatre, VAPA*

SATURDAY, MAY 23, 1987

- 1:00-3:30 p.m. **TAI CHI** - with Savo Wise, instructor. *Newman Court*
- 1:30 p.m. **AA MEETING** - Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting will take place each Saturday at this time. *Dickinson, Room 117*
- 8:00 p.m. * **DRAMA** - Les Liaisons Dangereuses. Repeat of Friday evening's performance. *Lester Martin Theater, VAPA*

9:00 p.m. **MOVIE - Kagemusha: The Shadow Warrior**, directed by Akira Kurosawa, is film about a condemned thief who is spared execution to serve as a double for a 16th century Japanese warlord who has just died. Winner of the 1980 Grand Prize at the Cannes Film Festival. *Tishman*

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8:00 p.m. * **DRAMA - Les Liaisons Dangereuses**. Repeat of Friday's and Saturday's performances. *Lester Martin Theatre, VAPA*

8:00 p.m. **MOVIE - Kagemusha: The Shadow Warrior**. Repeat. *Tishman Auditorium*

UP-COMING EVENTS

May 9 - 22 * **GRADUATE STUDENTS MFA ART EXHIBIT - Bennington College Graduate Students Jan O'Dea and Cynthia Katz will be holding an exhibit of their work in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the Masters of Fine Arts Degree. The exhibit is from 1:00-5:00 p.m. through May 22. *Usdan Gallery***

May 25 & 26 **FILM- Memories of Underdevelopment (Cuba 1968)** by Tomas Gutierrez Alea, will be shown for Third World Films class, Monday at 8pm, Tuesday at 6pm. *Tishman Auditorium*

May 26 * **READING** Former Bennington College faculty member, Harry Mathews was born in New York City in 1930 and lives there and in France. He spent the years from 1952 to 1978 in Europe, chiefly in France, and has been, since 1972, a member of the *Ouvroir de littérature potentielle* in Paris. His books of poems include *The Ring* (Julliard), *The Planisphere* and *Trial Impressions* (both published by Burning Deck in Providence, RI), and *Le Savoir de rois* (Bibliothèque oulipienne); his poems have appeared in anthologies and in such journals as *Grand Street*, *Hudson Review*, *Locus Solus*, *New York Review of Books*, *Partisan Review*, *Poetry Magazine*, and *Quarterly Review*. As noted above, Mathews is also the author of a number of works of prose fiction, most recently the novel *Cigarettes* (forthcoming from Weidenfeld & Nicolson). He was the recipient of a 1981 National Endowment for the Arts grant in fiction. Reading is at 8:15 p.m. *Tishman*

- May 27 * **SENIOR CONCERT** - The Bennington College Music Division presents a Senior Concert by Alice Y. Wu, Music Division Faculty and friends, with a special guest from Alice's wonderland...Works by Debussy, Mendelssohn, Wolf and Wu will be performed. There will be a grand reception with lots of food and wine after the concert. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.
Greenwall Music Workshop
- May 27 * **SCIENCE LECTURE** - Jan Salick, Ph.D., Research Scientist at the New York Botanical Gardens and Institute of Economic Botany, will present a lecture at 3:00 p.m. entitled, "Tropical Agroecology: Studies of the Cassava Lace Bug" in *Dickinson 148* and at 7:30 p.m. a lecture entitled, "Alternatives to Development in Tropical Rain Forests." *Barn 1*
- May 28 & 29 * **DRAMA** - The Drama Division presents a workshop production of Actors by Conrad Bromberg under the direction of Nicholas Lermer with stage manager Laurel Bidwell. Performers are Leroy Logan, Jim Rotondi and Julia Prud'homme. Performances at 7:30pm.*Facsimile Theater, VAPA*
- May 30 * **VOICE CONCERT** - The students of Frank Baker and Michael Downs will present a voice concert as a culmination of the term's work. Some eighty students will perform works of all genres. Come witness this phenomenal event at 2:00 p.m.
Greenwall Music Workshop
- May 30 & 31 **MOVIE** - The Wild One starring Marlon Brandon as the "rebel-on-wheels." Saturday at 9:00 p.m. and Sunday at 8:00 p.m. *Tishman Auditorium*
- June 1 & 2 **FILM** - Lucia (Cuba 1969) by Humberto Solas will be shown for Third World Films class. Monday at 8 p.m. and Tuesday at 6 p.m. *Tishman*.
- June 3 * **SENIOR CONCERT** - Janet Gillespie will give a senior recital of her own and other contemporary works. Included in the program are works by Ravel, Schonberg, Britten, and Bennington composer Lionel Nowak's "I Wonder About The Trees" for voice and viola. The concert is free and the public is welcome at 8:15 p.m.
Greenwall Music Workshop
- June 3 * **SCIENCE LECTURE** - Robert H. Woodworth, Ph.D., Emeritus Professor of Biology at Bennington College, will present a lecture at 7:30 p.m. entitled, "Time-Lapse Studies in Plant and Animal Development." *Tishman Auditorium*

OFF-CAMPUS EVENTS

May 14,15 & 16

TOM JONES - The Mt. Anthony High School Drama Club will present Tom Jones, a musical based on the novel by Henry Fielding about a foundling, Tom Jones (Paul Bohne), and his adventures and escapades with Sophia (Julie Smith). Causing problems for Tom are Mrs. Waters (Coco Palmer), Blifil (Scott Burfiend), Miss Western and Mr. Western, a sister and brother duo played so realistically by Kath and John Sanders (could that be coincidental?) and trying to help is Partridge (John Frost). Directing the show is faculty member Al Backus with student director Melanie Gosh assisting. A small admission helps the club with future endeavors. Thursday and Friday night performances at 8 p.m. and Saturday night an earlier showing at 7:00 p.m.
MAU Auditorium

May 17

RECITAL - Cellist William Peck and pianist Xiao-Mei Zhu will perform a program for cello and piano which includes the Beethoven Sonata in G minor, Opus 5 No. 2, Tchaikovsky Variations on a Rococo Theme, Op. 33 and the Brahms Sonata for Piano & Cello in E minor, Op. 38. Admission \$4, members and students \$2. Concert time is 3:00pm.
The Park McCullough House, No. Bennington

May 17

* **RECITAL** - A recital of German and French songs will be presented by soprano Judith Reichert and pianist Victor Hill. Featured on the program are songs by Hugo Wolf, Franz Schubert, Henri Duparc and Francis Poulenc. All of the songs on the program will be performed in the original German or French, but summaries of the texts will be provided in the program notes. The performance is free and open to the public at 8:00 p.m. *Clark Art Institute Auditorium, Williams College*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

COLLEGE WEEK - Notices for May 23-31 issue are due no later than 12 NOON on Wednesday, May 20 in *Barn 9*.

REMINDER FROM THE OFFICE OF THE DEAN OF STUDIES: All students except graduating seniors and students who have been accepted for the London Program are expected to register for courses for next term by 5:00 P.M. on Wednesday, May 27. Failure to do so will subject them to a cumulative fee for late registration. Students who plan to take a leave from the college or to withdraw from it will be exempted from fees for late registration and non-registration only if they inform the office of the Dean of Studies of their intentions by May 27.

NO SMOKING anywhere on the 3rd floor of *Commons* , including the stairwells. This is a reminder for the entire community by the State Fire Marshall. Continued smoking may prohibit access to the third floor.

THE HEALTH SERVICE is open daily 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.; weekends 3:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m., with a nurse on duty. In the event of an emergency when the Health Service is closed, call EMERGENCY EXT. 210. A college physician is available five days a week during clinic hours.

PSYCHOLOGICAL COUNSELING SERVICE is available to all students in need of help in crisis situations or for longer term problems. Confidentiality is strictly maintained. There is no contact with family, faculty or the administration without the student's consent or knowledge except in a life threatening situation. The first 4 visits each term are free for all students. Fees for extended visits are obtained through reimbursement from both the student health and private insurance companies. No student will ever be denied counseling because of inability to pay.

SCHEDULE FOR STUDENT TIMESHEETS:

6/10 (covering 4/26 - 5/23) if submitted *NO LATER THAN* 4:00 pm on 5/26.
6/30 (covering 5/24 - 6/10) if submitted *NO LATER THAN* 4:00 pm on 6/15.