

COLLEGE WEEK

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS
FOR THE BENNINGTON COLLEGE
COMMUNITY

MAY 31 - JUNE 8, 1996
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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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

FRIDAY, MAY 31

*WORKSHOP/ PERFORMANCE

A workshop/performance will be presented with Reggie Workman, bass, Raphé Malik, trumpet, students Nathaniel Reichman, trumpet, Luz Fleming, saxophone, and guest artists Jason Wang, violin and Matt Jorgensen, percussion. *Deane Carriage Barn, 3 p.m.*

*I.D.D.

Bennington College will present **I.D.D.**, the senior voice recital of Rachel Whitman, directed by and co-created with Sheila Lewandowski. **I.D.D.** is an exploration of the common theme of obsessiveness, love, and jealousy, and the manipulation of all three, using songs from the operas *Othello* by Guiseppe Verdi and *Dido and Aeneas* by Henry Purcell and text from Shakespeare's tragic play *Othello*. *Greenwall Music Workshop, 9 p.m.*

*FIRE ZONE

Bennington College will present *Fire Zone*, a poetry/prose reading and performance featuring: April Patrick, Rob Faucette, Mickle Maher, and Lucinda Mason. *Downstairs Café, 9 p.m.*

*NIGHT OF SCENES

A series of plays will be presented by the Directing II class at Bennington College over the course of a three night period, beginning this evening and ending Sunday, June 2. Each performance of *Night of Scenes* will take place at different locations around campus. *Night of Scenes* was developed by Jean Randich and her Directing II classes, incorporating scenes and short plays directed by Bennington College students. Performances will include *Ohio Impromptu*, directed by Autumn Campbell; three scenes of Pinter, directed by Michael Carlip; *A Proposal*, directed by Boris Deliradeff; *Pastoral Play*, directed by Adnan Iftekhhar; *Abingdon Square*, directed by Kerry Gilbertson; *Hamlet Machine*, directed by Joel Garland; and *I.D.D.*, directed by Sheila Lewandowski. Stage manager for the series is Nell Cochran. See detailed schedule on page 2 for exact times and locations.

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NIGHT OF SCENES

◆ A series of plays will be presented by the Direction II class at Bennington College, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, May 31, June 2, and 3. See schedule for times and locations.

SPRING BALL

◆ All students, faculty and staff are cordially invited to the Spring Ball, featuring music by the Carlin Orchestra, Saturday, June 1, New Dining Room, 9 p. m.

61ST COMMENCEMENT

◆ Commencement dinner will be held on Friday, June 8, Under-the-Tent, 6 p.m. Confering of degrees will take place on Saturday, June 9, Barn Quadrangle, 10 a.m. sharp.

Directing II Schedule
(Stage Manager: Nell Cochrane)

Date	Director	Play	Site	Time
Fri., May 31	Adnan Iftexhar	<i>A Pastoral Play</i> by K. Schwitters	Newman Patio	7:30 p.m.
	Mike Carlip	3 Scenes from Pinter's <i>Review Sketches</i>	Newman Court	7:50 p.m.
	Autumn Campbell	<i>Ohio Impromptu</i> by S. Beckett	D205	8:30 p.m. & 10:15 p.m.
	Sheila Lewandowski	<i>I.D.D.</i> (See May 31 above)	Greenwall	9:00 p.m.
	Kerry Gilbertson	<i>Abingdon Square</i> by M. I. Forness	D207	9:35 p.m.
Sat., June 1	Mike Carlip	<i>Review Sketches</i>	Newman Court	8:00 p.m.
	Autumn Campbell	<i>Ohio Impromptu</i>	D205	7:30 p.m. & 10:20 p.m.
	Sheila Lewandowski	<i>I.D.D.</i>	Greenwall	9:45 p.m.
	Joel Garland	<i>Hamlet Machine</i> by H. Mueller	Tishman/ pond stage	8:40 p.m.
	Boris Deliradef	<i>A Proposal</i> by A. Chekhov	Swan LR	9:10 p.m.
Sun., June 2	Adnan Iftexhar	<i>A Pastoral Play</i>	Newman Patio	7:30 p.m.
	Kerry Gilbertson	<i>Abingdon Square</i>	D207	7:50 p.m.
	Joel Garland	<i>Hamlet Machine</i>	Tish./pond stage	8:30 p.m.
	Autumn Campbell	<i>Ohio Impromptu</i>	D205	9:00 p.m.
	Boris Deliradef	<i>A Proposal</i>	Swan LR	9:30 p.m.

SATURDAY, JUNE 1

***OPEN SPACES**

Bennington College will present *Open Spaces*, by senior Dan Reid. *Open Spaces* is a performance incorporating various visual and audible mediums. The integration of these varied mediums in a performance piece allows each to singularly and collectively express an idea, thought, or feeling about each space. *Martha Hill Dance Workshop*, 8 p.m.

SPRING BALL

The Spring Ball will be held in the New Dining Room. Music by the Carlin Orchestra. All students, faculty, and staff are cordially invited. Refreshments. Semiformal or costumes suggested. *New Dining Room*, 9 p.m.

SUNDAY, JUNE 2

***OPEN SPACES**

Repeat of Saturday night's performance. *Martha Hill Dance Workshop*, 8 p.m.

***SAGE CITY SYMPHONY**

The Sage City Symphony, under Musical Director Michael Finckel, performs *The Lark Ascending* of Ralph Vaughn Williams, with Guy Rauscher, violin soloist, the well-known *Symphony No. 2, Op. 73* of Johannes Brahms, and the commissioned premiere of *Largo and Finale* by composer Jerry T. Bidlack. There is no admission for the concert. For more information contact Lyndon Moors, manager at 802/447-2441. *Greenwall Music Workshop*, 8 p.m.

MONDAY, JUNE 3

*LUZ FLEMING SENIOR CONCERT

Bennington College will present the senior concert of Luz Fleming. The program will include: *In a Sentimental Mood* by Duke Ellington; *Good Bait* by Tadd Dameron; *Goodbye Porkpie Hat* by Charles Mingus; and *Misterioso* by Thelonious Monk. Fleming will be accompanied by students Nathaniel Reichman and Philip Salathe and faculty member Tom Farrell. The second half of the program will feature three original pieces by Fleming; *Triad*, performed by Fleming and Reichman; *Duet* performed by Fleming and Erik Bauer; and *Flexin* performed by Fleming and D. J. Madd Phlexx. *Deane Carriage Barn*, 8 p.m.

TUESDAY, JUNE 4

CLASSES END CROSSETT LIBRARY

Today is the last day of classes. All student work due.

All library materials are due.

*SENIOR READING

There will be a poetry and fiction reading by seniors David Anthony, Jennifer Laskey, and Radha Marcum. *House Living Room TBA*, 7 p.m.

FRIDAY, JUNE 7

COMMENCEMENT DINNER/SPEAKERS

Commencement dinner with senior class speaker Jennifer Nyman '96 and commencement speaker Mark Gearan, Director of the Peace Corps. *Under-the-Tent, Commons Lawn*, 6 p.m.

SATURDAY, JUNE 8

*COMMENCEMENT

Commencement. *Barn Quadrangle*, 10 a.m. sharp.

ON-GOING EVENTS

*SENIOR ART EXHIBIT

The works of the 1996 visual arts seniors will be on exhibit through June 8 in Usdan Gallery. *Gallery hours: Monday - Saturday, 1 - 5 p.m.*

CONGRATULATIONS, GRADUATES!!
BEST OF LUCK TO ALL OF YOU!!!

JOBWIRE

The Career Center maintains listings year-round of various types of jobs and internships. Below is a selection of recent listings. See the Career Center library (Barn 44) for more information and/or application materials. We can also help you conduct a long distance job search, update your resume, prepare for an interview, etc. See the Announcements section for our office hours.

SUMMER JOBS:

Williams College and Amherst College summer programs. Resident advisors needed. Positions open to current juniors and seniors. Competitive salary plus room and board.

State of the Arts, Trenton, NJ. New Jersey Network's arts news program seeks summer interns for its half-hour talk/magazine program focusing on arts and cultural events in New Jersey. No technical background is required. Volunteer, 16 hrs./wk.

Mechanical Systems Design, North Bennington. Part-time employment doing technical text research and possibly CAD projects.

FWT 1997:

The Career Center has several NEW offers for the 1997 FWT already. These listings include: several possibilities in the Dominican Republic through a contact of Ida Faiella at the Punta Cana Ecology Foundation; one position in Russia in theater through current student Irina Petrova; and a position in San Francisco working with the Mintekko performing arts showcase. **All of these positions offer housing and a modest stipend.** If you are interested in pursuing any of these options early, let us know, and/or keep these options in mind as you save money this summer.

PERMANENT / LONG-TERM JOBS:

Echoing Green, NYC. Program assistant position available. Private foundation that applies venture capital approach to philanthropy through public service fellowships. Position involves working with fellowship directors, assisting with undergraduate and graduate fellowship programs, and general office administration. Salary is \$23,000. Must start before July 1.

United Counseling Service, Bennington, VT. Human and social service organization serving the Bennington area with a variety of programs. Position openings include: residential program and one-on-one work with developmentally-disabled adults, secretarial work, respite workers. Pay is \$6.50-\$7/hr.

Vermont Anti-Hunger Corps. Providing service to Vermont communities. 14 openings for 6 month program (apply by June 1); 40 openings for year-long program (apply by June 21). Projects include: weatherization, firewood assistance, school programs, community gardening, nutrition education, etc. Benefits: living allowance (\$4,000-\$7,000), health insurance, work related transportation, education award (to repay student loans or finance further education).

PCs Compleat Inc., Marlborough, MA. Direct marketing for brand new personal computers. Openings for entry level customer service consultants (full- and part- time) and a copywriter. Copywriter applicants must have a BA, strong writing skills and knowledge of PC products and technology.

Target Software, Cambridge, MA. Small software and computer service company providing services to nationally known nonprofit organizations. Hiring in many entry level positions. No programming experience is necessary. All employees receive hands-on training in the latest technology. Competitive salary and benefits..

First Year Teacher Program. Kaplan Education Center, Ltd. and Carney Sandoe Associates are offering a special employment program for graduating seniors entering their first year of teaching. Positions involve working in NYC schools. Training provided. Salary starts at \$28,500. Start date is flexible during the Summer 1996.

Volunteers for Educational and Social Services, Austin, TX. Placements in poor rural areas for teachers, human services, youth services, nursing, and ministries. Benefits: housing, stipend, medical and dental insurance, loan deferment and cancellation, and transportation to Texas.

Americorps VISTA. Eleven positions in Burlington, VT. Work on revitalization effort in Old North End and downtown sections, including development of youth programs and activities. These are arts and community oriented positions with a full-time, one-year commitment. Positions start 7/15/96. Salary is \$660/mo., health insurance, plus an educational or cash award at the completion of service.

ETC. ETC. ETC.:

Interested in working as an au pair abroad? The Career Center as information on the World Learning AuPair Homestay program. 6-12 month positions available in Argentina, France, Finland, Great Britain, Germany, Iceland, Netherlands, Norway and Switzerland (12-18 mos). Program fees cover program support and matching services as well as full accident and health insurance.

The Career Center also has: **summer academic program** announcements; information on **graduate schools** - we have about 200 catalogs as well as the Peterson's Guides to Graduate Schools (a comprehensive listing for graduate programs in the U.S.); **test registration materials** for all tests required for admission to graduate schools (including MCAT and LSAT); **scholarship directories** - graduate, undergraduate, international study, & grants listings.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The College Snack Bar is now open until 2 a.m. for late night studiers. Free coffee and donuts are available through Monday, June 3. The Green Mountain coffee machines in VAPA and Commons Lounge are free and available to all students.

**MUSIC LIBRARY
RECORD SALE**

From now through Wednesday, June 7, the Music Library will be hosting its semi-annual music sale offering great bargains on a variety of LPs and books. Cash only. Please bring small change. Monday - Friday, 10 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday, 1 p.m. - 4 p.m. Music Library, Jennings.

MUSIC LIBRARY HOURS

Please note: the Music Library will be closed Monday evening, June 3. The Library will be closed on weekends after June 2. Summer hours: Monday - Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 4 p.m. All materials due June 4 by 5 p.m.

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

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 job listings & bulletins, general career information, graduate school directories, scholarship resources and other job search materials. Come by and look around, speak with one of the Career Assistants, or Gale Haas Keraga.

General Office Hours

Monday - Wednesday 9-5
Thursday 9-8
Friday 9-5
Closed weekends

Career Assistant Hours

Monday 10:30-1 (Nick)
Tuesday 1-3 (Taliesin)
Thursday 1-3:30 (Nick)
Thursday 4-6 (Taliesin)
Thursday 6-8 (Kim)
Friday 1-4 (Kim)

FARM WORK

Emily Hunter will be planting and transplanting vegetable plants from now on. All help is greatly appreciated. If interested, check the field (by the Observatory), Emily's office (Dickinson 104), or call ext. 328.

STUDENT TIME SHEETS

Timesheet schedule for CWS and Student Regular Employment:

Timesheets Due
6/10

Checks Issued
6/19

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

**SEXUAL HARASSMENT
ADVISORS**

The following sexual harassment advisors are available for confidential consultations: Paul Olmer, ext. 343, Bingham 22, Alessandra Gregory, Dewey 16, 442-9856, Bill McCabe, ext. 331, Dickinson 228, Marta Stringham, ext. 162, Barn 26, home, 442-2585, Wayne Hoffman-Ogier, ext. 131, Barn 112, and Liz Tingley, ext. 318, Dickinson 101, 518/686-4718, home.

THAT'S ALL FOLKS!!