

ALL
THE NEWS
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COLLEGE WEEK

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS
FOR THE BENNINGTON COLLEGE
COMMUNITY

NOV. 18-DEC. 4, 1994
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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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

COLLEGE WEEK WILL NOT BE PUBLISHED THE WEEK OF NOV. 25-DEC. 5
BECAUSE OF THANKSGIVING. THIS WEEK'S ISSUE COVERS A TWO-WEEK
PERIOD (NOV. 18-DEC. 4). HAVE A WONDERFUL
THANKSGIVING.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 18

*THE DINING ROOM

The Drama Department presents A. R. Gurney's *The Dining Room*, a play which includes a range of comical family sketches centered around a dining room table. Directed by Francina Stewart; stage manager, Jonas Omberg; assistant stage managers, Ashley Smith and Deacon Worrell; set, Peter Seward; cast, Joe Caliguire, Nell Cochrane, Swan Keyes, Jason Kingsley, Jen Lipman, and Matt Swan. *Margo Tenney Theater, 8 p.m.*

*VIDEO SHOWING

Video showing by Ahrin Mishan. *Barn 1, 8 p.m.*

*CHESS CLUB

Meets every Friday. *Dickinson Reading Room, 7:30 p.m.*

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 19

*BIG MA

Big Ma is an improvisational performance ensemble of dancers and musicians from Vermont and New York City. Performers include: Cathie Caraker, Julie Carr, Michelle Distel, K.J. Holmes, Kim Kaufman, Jay Knapp, Eva Lawrence, and Libby Witzel. They will perform works in progress. *Martha Hill Dance Workshop, 8 p.m.*

*THE DINING ROOM

Repeat of Friday night's production, *The Dining Room*. *Margo Tenney Theater, 8 p.m.*

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20

*ORIGINAL WORKS READINGS

Each Sunday an original works reading will take place. New student - written and -read material will be featured. For further information contact Maggie Halstead (Leigh 1, ext. 352) or Brian Rogers (Stokes 12, ext. 382). *Upstairs Café*, 8 p.m.

*BIG MA

Repeat of Saturday night's dance concert by Big Ma. *Martha Hill Dance Workshop*, 3 p.m.

*THE DINING ROOM

Repeat of Friday night's production, *The Dining Room*. *Margo Tenney Theater*, 7 p.m.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 21

*FREEMAN DYSON

As part of the College's Robert H. Woodworth lectureship series, noted physicist Freeman Dyson will present a seminar entitled "New Directions in Applied Science" and a lecture entitled "The Scientist as Rebel". Dyson is currently professor emeritus of the Institute for Advanced Study at Princeton University. One of the founders of quantum electrodynamics, Dyson helped design the first commercial nuclear reactor, was one of the chief designers of the Orion spaceship (which used atomic bombs for its propulsion), and is known for his speculations about the far future. He recently received the Fermi Medal, one of the country's highest scientific honors. Seminar - *Dickinson 148*, 2 p.m. Lecture - *Barn 1*, 8 p.m.

*MOSTLY MONDAYS

The fourth in a series of dance get-togethers with instruction will feature the *Charleston* and a *Charleston Line Dance* plus review of the *Lindy*, *Cha-Cha*, and Latin and ballroom dances from previous evenings. Instructions by Steve Hernandez, Danny Michaelson, and Charlene Stanlewicz with Tom Farrell at the piano and Jay Metz on percussion. Light refreshments. All faculty, staff, and students welcome. *Greenwall*, 7-9 p.m.

*WARRIOR MARKS

WISG will show *Warrior Marks*, a video about genital mutilation of girls and women in Africa. Co-produced by Alice Walker, author of two books dealing with genital mutilation. *Upstairs Café*, 8 p.m.

*MUSIC EXHIBITION

Bennington College's own musicians collaborating for weekly exhibition of their work. *Upstairs Café*, 10:30 p.m.

HAPPY THANKSGIVING!!!

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 28

*DR. JEAN KILBOURNE

On Monday, November 28, the Women's Issues Study Group will sponsor a lecture by Dr. Jean Kilbourne. Dr. Kilbourne developed *The Naked Trust: Advertising's Image of Women*, the slide presentation that she now presents internationally and will be showing this evening. The award-winning films based on this presentation, *Killing Us Softly: Advertising's Image of Women* and *Still Killing Us Softly*, are shown throughout the world. She has twice received the Lecturer of the Year award from the National Association for Campus Activities. *Tishman*, 8 p.m.

*FACULTY MUSIC CONCERT

Bennington College will present faculty member Semyon Fridman, cellist, and Doris Stevenson, pianist, in concert. Their program will include selected works of Mendelssohn, Schubert, De Fesch, and Popper. *Greenwall*, 8:15 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 30

*THE SILVER CHAIR

The last video to be shown in the Children, Books and Society Video Series will be *The Silver Chair*. *Barn 103*, 4 p.m.

*CHAOS AND REBIRTH

An evening of collaborative performances called *Chaos and Rebirth* will bring together Bennington College faculty members Milford Graves, Susan Sgorbati, Michael Giannitti, and Ruben Puentedura. Joining the members of the faculty and administration, who are respectively a percussionist, dancer, lighting designer, and physicist, are a group of Yara Martial Artists and musicians from New York City. *Martha Hill Dance Studio*, 8 p.m.

DINNER WITH ROBERT

Robert Waldman, Head Librarian, would like to talk to students about literally any concerns or suggestions they have. He will be available to have dinner on Wednesday nights. Take him up on it. *Dining Halls*, 5:30-6:30 p.m.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 1

*THE SILVER CHAIR

A second showing of the Children, Books and Society Video Series film, *The Silver Chair*. *Barn 103*, 7 p.m.

WISG

WISG invites all who are interested to a weekly reading discussion group during dinner. Work to be read is volunteered by a different individual each week and pertains in some way to a woman-related issue. Copies of each week's reading are available in the Student Life Office. For more information, contact Blair Orfall or Kate Stern through the Student Life Office, ext. 100. *New Dining Room*, 5:00 p.m.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 2

*VIDEO SHOWING

Video showing by Ahrin Mishan. *Barn 1*, 8 p.m.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3

*TOP GIRLS

Bennington College presents Caryl Churchill's *Top Girls*, a daring and audacious play in which seven actresses play sixteen roles. Churchill juggles time and place, zigzags between past and present, and blends realism and outrageous fantasy in a highly original and provocative manner. Directed by faculty member Derek Campbell; stage manager, Sheila Lewandowski; lighting designer, Aryn Chapman; set designer, Alex Dewez; sound, Tom Farrell with David Anthony and Nat Reichman; costumes, Doug Palardy; cast, Tarini Bedi, Sibyl Kempson, Wendy Lawrence, Jenn Nyman, Hilary Redmon, Rebecca Schaeffer, and Noé Venable. *Lester Martin Theater, 8 p.m.*

*MADRIGAL CONCERT

Open rehearsal. *Upstairs Café, 6 p.m.*

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 4

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Repeat of Saturday night's performance, *Top Girls*. *Lester Martin Theater, 8 p.m.*

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*MADRIGAL CONCERT

Madrigal Concert. *Upstairs Café, 6 p.m.*

UPCOMING EVENTS

*THE HOUSE OF BERNARDA ALBA

Garcia Lorca's play *The House of Bernarda Alba* will be presented on Saturday, Sunday and Monday, December 10, 11 and 12. Directed by Zuleikha Allana; set design, Ana Miljacki; light design, Tom Dunn; costume design, Lysa Rose; sound design, Nathaniel Reichman; composer, Todd Tarentino; cast, Joshua Morensy, Hester Kamin, Jessica Peck, Kate Cofrancesco, Sabine Storch, Rebecca Murphy, Autumn Campbell, Rachel Whitman, and Elizabeth Corlett. This production is partially funded by the Student Endowment of the Arts. *Lester Martin Theater, Saturday at 10 p.m. and Sunday and Monday at 8 p.m.*

OFF-CAMPUS EVENTS

MULTIMEDIA PRESENTATION

The Office of Information Technologies recommends Guillermo Gómez-Pena's performance *In a Word, with Technology Series*. Guillermo Gómez-Pena, a recipient of the prestigious MacArthur Fellowship, works collaboratively with the MFA grads to create a 90-minute interactive event via satellite with audience participation from across North America. Gómez-Pena has been exploring cross-cultural issues and US/Latino cultural relations with the use of performance, bilingual poetry, journalism, video, radio, and installation art. His performance work and critical writings have been instrumental in the evolution of the debates on multi-culturalism. Tuesday, November 22, 9 p.m. iEARS space, DCC 174 and DCC 337, RPI Campus. Call 518/276-4778 for further information.

JOBWIRE

The FWT/Career Center has listings for FWT, full-time, part-time and on-campus work. A sample of job opportunities follows; for a complete listing, go to the FWT/Career Center.

NEW FWT Listings:

EARN FWS MONEY OVER FWT - A few new paid opportunities have opened up for students that are FWS eligible:

Training, Inc., Newark, NJ. Work in a job training program with low income people, assisting in the transition from welfare to private sector jobs. \$5.25/hr (FWS ONLY) plus possible housing.

Middle Earth, Philadelphia. Work as a counselor, teacher, social service intern in an alternative school/day treatment program for adjudicated adolescents. \$5.25/hr (FWS ONLY).

H.O.M. E., Orland, ME. Construction worker to assist in building homes for the needy. \$5.25/hr; housing & lunch provided for nominal fee.

THE FINANCIAL AID OFFICE AND CAREER CENTER ARE WORKING ON DEVELOPING OTHER FWS OPPORTUNITIES DURING FWT. CHECK WITH US FOR UPDATES.

PORTUGAL MASSAGE WORKSHOP MEETING - Anyone interested in the Portugal Massage Workshop for this FWT should attend this meeting on **Monday, November 21, at 6 p.m.** in the new dining room.

MULTIMEDIA INTERN, Manchester Middle School, Manchester, VT. Work with 8th grade students on a multimedia/interactive technology project and with the school district on a production related to technology and community partnership. Room & Board plus negotiable stipend.

Studio Assistant for James Clark, Brooklyn, NY. Room & Board.

Sculpture Assistant for Anthony Cafritz, North Bennington. \$200/month.

Nanny, for Gillian Drake family, Rockville, MD. Room and board plus \$175/wk.

Production Assistant, Split Image Productions, NYC. Possible room and board, transportation stipend.

Limelight Editions, NYC. Administrative/Editorial Assistant, \$140/wk.

Research Assistant for Alice Christie, Tempe, AZ. Room & board.

Research Assistant for Kitsey Ellman, North Bennington. Possible room & board.

Voice News Inc., NYC. Photographic and editorial assistant, salary negotiable.

Charismedia Services for Comfortable Effective Speaking, NYC. Assistant to the President, \$8/hr.

L.A. Shares, Los Angeles. Program Assistant. \$2,250 for FWT.

Jennifer Levy Photography, NYC. Photo Assistant/Office Assistant, \$5/hr plus lunch.

SUMMER JOBS: EARLY DEADLINES

No, it's not too soon to start looking for summer jobs! We've put together a **Summer 1995 Job Book** which lists all the opportunities we know of so far for this coming summer. Although most of you are engrossed in finding your FWT job, don't let some of the great summer opportunities pass you by. Many have early deadlines occurring during FWT; the following have **DECEMBER DEADLINES**:

AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION, Student Research Program,
Burlingame, CA. \$2500 stipend.

NEWSWEEK, Summer Intern Program, NYC. \$425/wk.

Full-time Job Opportunities: ATTENTION SENIORS

THE ASSISTANT TEACHERS PROGRAM - THE BREARLEY SCHOOL in NYC has an apprenticeship program for people interested in lower school teaching. **NO TEACHING EXPERIENCE IS NECESSARY. \$21,000/yr.** including health benefits. **Application deadline is March 1, 1995.**

VT ANTI-HUNGER CORPS - Americorps program. One year commitment to work on variety of anti-hunger projects around Vermont. \$7660 living allowance, basic health insurance, plus \$4725 end of service award. **APPLY NOW!**

TEACH FOR AMERICA is a national teachers corps that recruits and trains applicants to teach in urban and rural under-resourced classrooms around the country. **To apply and have a guaranteed interview, applications must be received by January 15, 1995.** The FWT/Career Center has information on and applications for this program.

Interested in an international experience after graduation? The **Japan Exchange and Teaching Program (JET)** is designed for college graduates to assist in international exchange and foreign language education in local governments, boards of education, and schools in Japan for a period of one year beginning summer 1995. Qualifications are very broad; come to the Career Center for more information. **Application deadline DECEMBER 10, 1994.**

CAREERS '95 - Planning to spend FWT in NYC, Chicago, Boston or Connecticut? If so you may want to attend a CAREERS '95 job fair to be held in January or February. Organizations from computers/technology, government, healthcare, publishing/printing, retail, advertising, business, and science will be recruiting for entry-level jobs. **To attend you must send in a resume by November 22.** **PICK UP A CAREERS '95 BROCHURE IN THE FWT/CAREER CENTER.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

DINING HALLS AND SNACKBAR THANKSGIVING HOURS

Wednesday, November 23

Dinner - 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Snack Bar - Regular Schedule

Thursday, November 24

Coffee and snacks in Commons Lounge - 8:00 a.m.

Brunch - 11:00 a.m. to noon

Thanksgiving Dinner - 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

(Please sign up for reservations)

Snack Bar - closed

Friday, November 25

Snack Bar - 9:00 a.m. to 12 midnight

Free coffee and donuts - 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

Brunch - 11:00 a.m. to noon

Dinner - 5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Saturday, November 26

Snack Bar - 9:00 a.m. to midnight

Free coffee and donuts - 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

Brunch - 11:00 a.m. to noon

Dinner - 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Sunday, November 27

Snack Bar - 9:00 a.m. to midnight

Free coffee and donuts - 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

Brunch - 11:00 a.m. to noon

Dinner - 5:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

SCHOLARSHIP ESSAY CONTEST

Awards ranging from \$200 to \$1,000 are made on the basis of an essay of fewer than 550 words describing the applicant's academic or career goal. The applicant must have a permanent residence outside of the United States and be enrolled in an accredited American institution of post-secondary education for the 1995 fall/winter term. The general awards are unrestricted as to age, sex, gender, level of education, or financial need. Special awards are made for specific criteria. All requests for applications must include a self-addressed, stamped envelope and be postmarked no later than January 5, 1995. All completed applications submitted must be postmarked no later than January 31, 1995. See Henrietta Marshall in the Dean's Office for further information.

AMNESTY INTERNATIONAL

If anybody is interested in joining the Amnesty International group, please contact Liz Kates (Noyes 19, ext. 370) or Bryant York (Booth 7, ext. 281). Meetings are held every Tuesday in Noyes Living Room at 8 p.m.

LONDON PROGRAM

For anyone who missed the London Program meeting that took place Monday, October 31 and is interested in the program, please contact David Groupe or Ann Resch as soon as possible. Preference sheets must be completed no later than November 14.

WHIP

WHIP is Bennington's independent low frequency radio station. It may be heard anywhere from 88.3FM to 89.1FM Monday through Sunday after 7 p.m. If you don't get it in, find a friend who does, and check us out. The station's office is located on the 3rd floor of Commons. For additional information contact station manager Wendy Lawrence, 447-2653.

**SAVE PRICE CHOPPER
REGISTER TAPES!**

The Early Childhood Center is collecting Price Chopper pink register receipts. These receipts will be exchanged for free school equipment. For your convenience, collection envelopes are located in the Post Office in Commons, both floors of the Barn, and VAPA, as well as at the Early Childhood Center. Register tapes may also be left in the ECC mailbox in Commons. THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

LGBA

Every Tuesday a van will depart promptly at 9:15 p.m. to bring students to the Lesbian Gay Bisexual Alliance meeting at Williams College. The van will arrive back at Bennington around 11:30 p.m. If you are interested, please meet at the Security Booth before departure time.

**BENNINGTON RECREATION
CENTER**

Every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday a van has been scheduled to take students into the Recreation Center in Bennington. The van leaves the college at 6:40 a.m. from the Security Booth and returns to campus by 8:45 a.m. If you would like additional information, contact Petra Hofirkova, Welling 19.

RECORD SALE

News from YOUR Music Library: records and scores will continue to be on sale until the end of the semester. Prices are unbelievably reasonable!! New CDs: *Officium*; Pergolesi's *Stabat Mater / Salve Regina*; Mozart's *Le Nozze Di Figaro*; Strauss Lieder (Jessye Norman); plus 5 new electronic music recordings.

**PEER WRITING
WORKSHOP**

If you are interested in sharing your writing and getting feedback from your peers, contact either Katrina Santore or Melissa Hughes in order to help form a student-run peer writing workshop.

CAREER ASSISTANCE

Looking for a Field Work Term, full-time, part-time, or on-campus job? Need help writing or revising your resume? Looking for general career assistance? The FWT/Career Center can help! We have a comprehensive career library containing all types of job listings, general career information, graduate school directories, and financial aid/scholarship materials. Make an appointment to see a counselor or just drop by during **walk-in hours**: Monday, 12:30 - 2:30 and Wednesday, 3:45 - 5:45.

Hours:	Tuesday	9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m., 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.
	Wednesday	9:00 a.m. - 5:45 p.m.
	Thursday	9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
	Friday	9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
	Saturday	2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

APPLE COMPUTER SALES

Apple Computer Sales: Apple Macintosh computers are available at education discount prices: Barn 53 or ext. 337 for details.

**SEXUAL HARASSMENT
ADVISORS**

The following sexual harassment advisors are available for confidential consultations: Kerry Gilbertson, ext. 351; Doug Ryan, 442-5425; Kerry Woods, ext. 307, Dickinson 149; Marta Stringham, ext. 162, Barn 26, home, 442-2582; Laura Mills-Lewis, ext. 344, Barn 44, home, 442-7132; Liz Tingley, ext. 219, Dickinson 101.

PUBLIC FAX

There is now a public fax machine in the Post Office for use by the College community, available M-F 10 a.m.-3 p.m. & Sat. 10-12. The fax number is (802) 442-1509. If you have any questions, call Paul Renzi at ext. 252.

PEER ASSISTANTS

These students are available to talk with fellow students who have questions or concerns around 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, 447-0834, Sidra Ellison, 442-9058, Rachel Hallett, 447-7421, Joanne Lembo, 442-9920, Maureen Platt, Noyes 19, ext. 370, and Kate Stern, 447-8507. For more information regarding Peer Assistants, call Doreen Forney, Office of Student Life, ext. 100.

**REGULAR & CWS
TIMESHEETS**

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

Timesheets Due	Checks Issued
11/28	12/08
12/19	12/29

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.-10:00 p.m.
	Saturday	noon-10:00 p.m.
	Sunday	noon-midnight

1. All Crossett Library books are due December 16.
2. Interlibrary Loan books are due December 12.
3. Lost and Found in the Library is full. Please check for lost items.

CD ROMS

Revised list of Apple CD ROMS in the Library as of 10/94 are: *Orient Travel Encyclopedia*; *Compton's Encyclopedia*; *Random House Dictionary*; *New Grolier Encyclopedia*; *Time Almanac*; *U. S. History*; *All My Hummingbirds Have Alibis*; *Comic Book Confidential*; *The Complete Maus*; *The First Emperor of China*; *Ludwig van Beethoven Symphony no. 9*; *Microsoft Art Gallery*; *Poetry in Motion*; *The Society of Mind*; and *Who Built America?* Books on diskette added to the Library collection as of 10/94 are: *The Autobiography of Malcolm X*; *The Complete Hitchhickers Guide to the Galaxy*; *Invisible Man*; *Of Mice and Men*; *Cannery Row*; *The Red Pony*; and *The Pearl*.

COPY CARD

Come and get your copy card! There is a one-time 50¢ fee for your card (insert \$1 and get a card, plus 50¢ worth of copying credit). Put in additional dollars for as much copying credit as you want. No more hassles with change! Easy to make multiple copies! Copies with your card, still only 10¢, individual copies with coins are available, but at 15¢ per copy.

MUSIC LIBRARY

Hours:	Monday-Friday	9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
	Monday & Thursday	7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
	Saturday & Sunday	1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

**COLLEGE WEEK
SUBMISSIONS**

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*.

BLACK MUSIC LISTENING ROOM

Black Music Listening Room Jennings 218
Open to the College Community

Hours: Monday-Friday 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
 Saturday & Sunday 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

For additional information on the Record Catalog and sign-up requirements, please contact Suzanne Jones at ext. 211.

STEP AEROBICS

Step aerobics is held Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday of each week in Commons West Theatre from 4:30 - 6:00 p.m. Taught by a certified instructor. **In case of a change of time or a cancellation there will be a note posted on the WALL by the staircase leading up to the theatre.**

PSYCHOLOGICAL COUNSELING SERVICES

The Psychological Counseling Service is open Monday through Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 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.

VAN RIDES TO WILLIAMS COLLEGE

A van goes to Williams College four times a week: Tuesday departs Bennington promptly at 9 a.m., leaves Williamstown at 2:30 p.m.; Thursday departs Bennington promptly at 9 a.m., leaves Williamstown at 11:30 a.m.; Saturday & Sunday departs Bennington at 12:30 p.m., returns at 5:30 p.m.

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