# College Week

BENNINGTONWORKS, is a day-long celebration of student and faculty works in progress. Studio and lab tours, open rehearsals, new music and dance, readings of all kinds—our students and faculty put current projects on display for the extended Bennington community and admitted students who are considering joining us in the fall.

# SATURDAY, APRIL 11

7:00 pm | Fairy Tale Margot Tenney Theater To reserve tickets, email tickets@bennington.edu.

9:00 pm | Time Bombs (note: adult content)
Margot Tenney Theater
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### SUNDAY, APRIL 12

9:30 am | African Music Ensemble Newman Court 10:40 am | Seeing Is Believing: Visual Arts Studio Tour Tour begins in the lobby outside Usdan Gallery

10:40 am | In Their Element: Scientists at Work Tour begins in Dickinson Lounge

10:40 am | Literature Out Loud: Short Story Readings Franklin Living Room

10:40 am | In Motion, In Progress: Dance Works VAPA Dance Studio E303

2:40 pm | Seeing Is Believing: Visual Arts Studio Tour Tour begins in the lobby outside Usdan Gallery

2:40 pm | Don Juan Meets Don Giovanni: Open Rehearsal of "The Don Juan Project" Lester Martin Theater

2:40 pm | New Music Greenwall Auditorium 2:40 pm | Spoken Word: Podcasts and Poetry Franklin Living Room

2:40 pm | Research and Action: Local, Regional, National, International CAPA, Design Lab 2

4:00 pm | Teacher Practitioners: A Showcase of Faculty Work
Martha Hill Dance Theater

6:00 pm | Animated: Viewings of Student Animations Student Center

7:00 pm | Songwriters' Circle DownCafe

7:00 pm | Open Meeting of the Bennington Sustainable Food Program Down Commons

8:30 pm | Constellation Prize: Night Sky Viewing at the Stickney Observatory (weather permitting) Rebecca Stickney Observatory

### ABBY'S WELLNESS FACT O'THE WEEK

There's a sober wellness peer and a sober member of the hosting house at each house party! We'll be attempting to publicize those people prior to parties, but when looking for these people, look for a light blue BEWELL shirt!

# Cooper's Corner

Got questions? Ask Tina (tinacooper@bennington.edu)

Are you interested in becoming a student leader? Come pick up an application to be a House Chair or Pre-Orientation Leader in the Office of Student Life or get an Orientation Leader application in Academic Services. House Chair and Pre-O Leader applications are due by 5:00 pm on Monday, April 13 and Orientation Leader applications are due by 5:00 pm Tuesday, April 14. If you have any questions feel free to stop by the barn and talk with staff.

From my corner to yours,

Please email all College Week submissions to collegeweek@bennington.edu by Thursday at noon for inclusion the following week.

# 24 HOURS • EVERYDAY • BENNINGTON

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# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- @ Come **DISCUSS MOVIES** with Brooke Allen and Alex Mihailovic! Monday, April 6 at 6:00 pm, in the Purple Dining Room they will discuss Wes Anderson's, *Grand Budapest Hotel*.
- BENNINGTON TRANSLATES. Eduardo Berinstein, founder of EBtranslations, was instrumental in developing the first Standards of Practice for Medical Interpreters for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, which were later adopted nationwide. Monday, April 6, at 7:00 pm in the CAPA Symposium
- As part of INTERFAITH AT BENNINGTON's speaker series, a representative from the Poverty Initiative at Union Theological Seminary will be speaking on social change. Tuesday, April 7. at 7:00 pm in the EAC
- Eminent writer, art critic, cultural historian, curator, and activist, Lucy Lippard will be speaking as a part of the ADAMS-TILLIM AND RUTH D. EWING `37 SOCIAL SCIENCE LECTURE. Tuesday, April 7, at 7:30 pm in Tishman.
- The Office of Student Life and Wellness Peers invite you to take a **STUDY BREAK!** Come enjoy the camaraderie, pick up some wellness tips and tokens, and enjoy a slice of pizza. Tuesday, April 7, at 9:00 pm in Down Commons.
- LITERATURE EVENING: The Afterlife of John Updike, Wednesday, April 8, at 7:00 pm in the CAPA Syposium.
- Systems Thinking for the Design of Sustainable Regional Economies" is presented by Marti Ceroni as part of the **FUTURE STUDIOS SERIES** "Climate, Capitalism, Creativity." Ceroni is the Executive Director of the Donella Meadows Institute where her work focuses on fostering systems thinking for the design of sustainable regional economies. Wednesday, April 8, at 7:30 pm in Tishman.
- CAPA, "CONFRONTING OUR PRESENT," SERIES: Corporate Science with Stuart Kirsch. Professor Kirsch will examine how corporations produce and deploy science. Building on critiques of tobacco industry-sponsored science and the research practices of the pharmaceutical industry, it draws on long-term ethnography of the mining industry to argue that the problems of corporate science are intrinsic to contemporary capitalism. Co-sponsored by Environmental Studies. Thursday, April 9, 7:00 pm in the CAPA Symposium
- FOREIGN LANGUAGE SERIES welcomes Sonia Pérez Villanueva from Lesley University who will discuss, "The Beauty of Suffering: Representations of Violence Against Women in Spain (17th-21st Century)." Thursday, April 9, at 7:00 pm in EAC 1,
- MOBILIZING FOR PROGRESSIVE CHANGE. Dylan Kitts, Green Corps Field Organizer and Humanity in Action Fellow, will discuss his experiences in environmental and human rights activism. Friday, April 10, at 1:00 pm in EAC 1.
- Following the alumni online class, "Learning Japanese Culture and Aesthetics through Ikebana," faculty member Ikuko Yoshida and local IKEBANA artist Katsuko Lord will host an all day workshop and a small exhibition on campus on April 11 for members of the class and other interested students, alumni, and community members! If you're interested in participating please email alumnirelations@bennington.edu
- 16MM FILMS BY SCOTT STARK. Award-winning experimental filmmaker and programmer Scott Stark visits from Austin, TX, with a program of his 16mm films. Saturday, April 11, at 8:00 pm in VAPA Kinoteka.
- Join **DEMOCRACY MATTERS** for a series of events bringing to light the issue of corporate money and its influence over our own government on Thursday, April 9 in the Student Center at 8:30 pm for, "This Machine Kills Kochs: A Night of Protest Songs," bringing together music and social action. On Saturday, April 11, in the CAPA Syposium at 4:00 pm we will be screening the one hour documentary, "Koch Brothers: Exposed," followed by a major real-talk about money in politics.
- The ADMISSIONS OFFICE is hiring new interns for the summer and for the next academic year. We are looking for students who are interested in honestly sharing their Bennington experience. Applications are available at the front desk in the Admissions Office and are due Monday, April 13. If you have questions about the application or would like to speak more about the position, please email Liam Dailey (liamdailey@bennington.edu).

APRIL 6 THROUGH APRIL 12

# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

denotes events open to the public student organizations are noted in blue

On Tuesday, April 7, at noon there'll be a Make your own AROMATHERAPY table in Down Commons.

INCARCERATION IN AMERICA. Higher education in prison improves the ability of those released to find employment, and greatly reduces the likelihood of recidivism. Since the 1994 Omnibus Crime Bill, the responsibility of such education in prisons has fallen to colleges and universities, usually partly underwritten by the private sector. Several professionals working in the field will participate in this think tank to consider the ways in which liberal arts colleges can further contribute to higher education in prisons. Throughout the day on Saturday, April 11, in the CAPA Symposium.

Submit poems for **THE ACADEMY OF AMERICAN POETS PRIZE!** Open to all Bennington College students. Submit three poems (each on separate sheet, paper-clipped, your name on each page) to the Literature Office, Barn 247, by Monday, April 13 at 5:00 pm. The 2015 Judge is Cathy Park Hong, professor at Sarah Lawrence College, author of three books of poetry, and Poetry Editor of *The New Republic*. The best poem will receive \$100 and official recognition from The Academy of American Poets.

On Saturday, April 11, Music Faculty KERRY RYER-PARKE AND HER BAND, THE PRESCRIPTION, will close out the the Vermont Arts Exchange Basement Music Series in North Bennington. Bring your dancing shoes and your friends. Tickets: \$18 in advance, \$22 at the door, \$12 for college students with a valid student ID, plus processing fee Available online at http://www.vtartxchange.org. Doors open at 7:00 pm, show at 8:00 pm.

## MINDFULNESS, MEDITATION, MOVEMENT, AND FOOD.

Dr. Randy and Lisa Citarella of Psych Services will be leading a weekly class called **MIND**, **BODY**, **FOOD** for students interested in gaining mindfulness skills and improving their eating habits. The class incorporates meditation and yoga/movement exercises. When: Fridays at 5:15 pm. Where: Psych Services (April's Office). Cost: \$25 (can be billed to insurance!) or a sliding scale (as low as \$5 a session!). Contact Dr. Randy (ranselmo@bennington.edu) or Lisa Citarella (lisacitarella@bennington.edu) for more info.

# **Open Office Hours**

PRESIDENT'S OFFICE (BARN 125)
MARIKO SILVER, President of the College:
Fri, 1:00-2:00pm OUT 4/24

**DEAN'S OFFICE (BARN 123)** 

ISABEL ROCHE, Dean of the College:
Mon, noon-1:00 pm
DUNCAN DOBBLEMANN, Associate Dean of the

College: Fri, 12:30-1:30 pm **LAURIE KOBIK,** Assistant Dean for Academic
Services: Mon & Wed, 12:30-1:30 pm

ACADEMIC SERVICES (BARN 120)

KATE CHILD, Assistant Director for Academic Services: Tues & Thurs, 1:00-2:00 pm NOELLE EVERETT MURPHY, Assistant Director for Academic Services: Mon & Tues, 12:30-2:00 pm FWT AND CDO OFFICE (BARN 113)

HOLLY MCCORMACK, Dean of Field Work Term:

ACADEMIC SERVICES CONT'D (BARN 120)

Academic Services: Mon & Wed, 1:00 - 2:00 pm

KENDRA ERICSON, Assistant Director for

HOUSING (BARN 113)

Weds, noon-1:00 pm

**JENNA GOLDSTEIN**, Assistant Director for Student Life Thurs, 1:00-4:00 pm

ALUMNI RELATIONS OFFICE (BARN 106) Walk-ins | Wednesday, 12:30 – 1:30 pm

6:00pm Grand Budapest Hotel Discussion, Dining Hall Purple Room 6:30pm Vinyasa Flow Yoga, MRB 7:00pm Bennington Translates | Eduardo Berinstein, CAPA Symposium 7:00pm Basketball, NBGS (carpool at flagpole) 7:00pm Alcoholics Anonymous, Dickinson 209 Kalopsia Meeting, Upcafe 7:00pm 7:30pm Fitness@Bennington, MRB **TUESDAY, APRIL 7** 7:00pm Interfaith at Bennington | Poverty Initiative at Union Theological Seminary, EAC 7:30pm Adams-Tillim and Ruth D. Ewing '37 Social Science Lecture | Lucy Lippard, Tishman 8:00pm Wiffleball, Greenwall 9:00pm Study Break, Down Commons WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8 2:30pm Healing Through Music | Collaboration of SVHC and Bennington College, Deane Carriage Barn Substance Use: Myths and Misinformation, Student Center 5:00pm 7:00pm Literature Evening | The Afterlife of John Updike, CAPA Symposium Climate, Capitalism, Creativity Series | Marti Ceroni, Tishman 7:30pm 9:00pm Dodgeball, Greenwall THURSDAY, APRIL 9 4:10pm Dance at Bennington | Vicky Shick Dialogue & Demo, Martha Hill Dance at Bennington | Vicky Schick Performance, Martha Hill 7:00pm 7:00pm Foreign Language Series | Sonia Pérez Villanueva, EAC 1 7:00pm Confronting Our Present | Corporate Science with Stuart Kirsch, CAPA Symposium 7:30pm Fitness@Bennington, MRB This Machine Kills Kochs: A Night of Protest Songs, Student Center 8:30pm 10:00pm PAC Presents | Karaoke Night, Down Cafe FRIDAY, APRIL 10 1:00pm Mobilizing for Progressive Change | Dylan Kitts, EAC 1 3:00pm Senior Class Gift Meeting, Barn 124 5:15pm Mind, Body, Food, Commons 24 7:00pm BenningtonWorks | "Fairy Tale," a student production, Margot Tenney 9:00pm BenningtonWorks | "Time Bombs," a student production, Margot Tenney SATURDAY, APRIL 11 (SEE BENNINGTON WORKS SCHEDULE FOR MORE EVENTS) All Day Incarceration in America | Think-Tank: Higher Education in Prisons, CAPA Symposium 🔒 9:30am Workshop and Exhibition | Understanding Japanese Culture and Aesthetics Through Ikebana 4:00pm Screening: "Koch Brothers: Exposed", CAPA Symposium Kerry Ryer-Parke and The Prescription, Vermont Arts Exchange 7:00pm

Film Showings | 16mm Films by Scott Stark, VAPA Kinoteka 🔁

MONDAY, APRIL 6

8:00pm

Looking for more information on the events listed here?

Try the online calendar at www.bennington.edu