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• Annual Employee Golf Tournament
  Wednesday, August 24, 2005
  9 Hole Captain and Crew (4 person scramble)
  Check in time – 4:00pm
  Tee Time – 4:30pm
  Shotgun start

Gather together your team of four college employees and sign up today!
To register for this event, contact Cathy Vincent at x5624.

• Limited to the first 30 teams
• $10 per person
• Each team must supply own golf clubs, 1 cart per team will be provided
• Soft spikes or sneakers only
• Golf course etiquette and dress appreciated

Join us for a BBQ and prize give-a-way immediately following the tournament.

Language School Commencement

The Middlebury College Language Schools will hold commencement for the 91st summer session in Mead Chapel on Friday, August 12, at 5:00 p.m. In honor of graduation, Alexander Solovov, a member of the Russian folk music ensemble Zolotoi Plios, currently in residence at the Russian School, will perform a carillon recital prior to the ceremony at 4 p.m. in Mead Chapel. President Ronald D. Liebowitz and Dean of the Language Schools and Schools Abroad Michael Geisler will award degrees to about 150 master of arts candidates in French, German, Italian, Russian and Spanish. Three candidates will receive a doctorate in modern languages. Awards for distinguished study will also be given to select students in the schools of Arabic, Chinese, Japanese and Portuguese. Egyptian actor Nour El-Sherif will deliver the commencement address. El-Sherif has played more than 200 roles in film, television and theater. A producer and director as well as an actor, he is one of Arab cinema’s best known figures of the past 50 years. Mead Chapel is on Hepburn Road off College Street (Route 125). The event is free and open to the public.

This event is made possible with the support of the Ralph Myhre Golf Course and Human Resources.
Help Us Name the Store

This fall, a new Central Campus Box Office will open in the lobby area of The Grille. This Box Office will handle tickets for Arts events, CCAL and MCAB events, and some athletics events, and will offer general information about events and activities on campus. Renovations have already begun—watch as the project progresses!

Next door to the Central Campus Box Office, a new College Store annex will open in the former coat room. This shop will carry Middlebury “spirit” items, such as t-shirts, sweatshirts, caps, mugs, and postcards—and some promotional merchandise related to upcoming events and performances. But we need your help! This new shop needs a name.

Send your suggestions to Liza Sacheli at sacheli@middlebury.edu. The person who comes up with the winning name will win a $25 gift certificate to the College Store, and a pair of tickets to any event at the Center for the Arts.

Prefer the CFA Box Office location? Don’t worry, it’s not closing! This fall, we hope to have both locations up and running, for double the convenience.

Bread Loaf Writers’ Conference Begins

Middlebury College’s Bread Loaf Writers’ Conference, the oldest writers’ conference in the country, will meet Wednesday, August 17 through Saturday, August 27. Held every summer since 1926 on the college’s Bread Loaf campus in Ripton, the conference remains one of America’s most respected literary institutions. Two weeks of workshops, lectures, classes and readings present writers with rigorous practical and theoretical approaches to their craft, and offer a model of literary instruction. A dynamic setting, the mountain campus has attracted many renowned literary figures such as Robert Frost, Carson McCullers, John Irving, Terry Tempest Williams, and Ted Conover.

“Bread Loaf is not a retreat—not a place to work in solitude. Instead, it provides a voluble congress of diverse voices in which we test our own assumptions regarding literature and seek advice about our progress as writers,” said Michael Collier, author of four books of poems and director of the conference.

This year, 270 writers, students, faculty, literary agents and editors will gather at the 80th session of the conference. The gene Little Theatre to talk about writing or to read from their works. Events are subject to change; please call to confirm days and times: 802-443-5286, until August 14; 802-443-2700, after August 14.
News from Staff Council

Staff Committee Lists for 2005-2006

Community Judicial Board – Terms run for the academic year
1 staff member and 1 alternate recommended by Staff Council
Jennifer Herrera  Institutional Diversity  2005-2006 (regular)
Derek Doucet  CCAL  2005-2006 (alternate)

Community Council – Terms run for the academic year
Vice President of Staff Council
Susan Levine  College Advancement  2005-06 (ex-officio)
1 member recommended by Staff Council
2 administrative staff members appointed by the President
Dave Donahue  Library & Info Services  2004-2005 & 2005-2006
Hieu Nguyen  College Advancement  2005-2006 & 2007 (alternate)

Wage and Salary Review Committee – terms expire on September 30
3 Members Recommended by Human Resources
Lisa Ayers  ESIO  September 30, 2006
Doug Adams  CCAL  September 30, 2006
Joseph Watson  LIS  September 30, 2006
3 Members Recommended by Staff Council
Patti McCaffrey  Dining Services  September 30, 2006
Mike Wakefield  Facilities Services  September 30, 2006
Kelly Giard  Dining Services  September 30, 2006

Staff Appeals Council – Terms expire on October 31
8 Members Elected by Staff Council in early October
Franci Farnsworth  LIS  To Fall 2005
Darby Crum  Catering  To Fall 2005
Edmond Mayer  Reprographics  To Fall 2005
Doug Adams  C-CAL  To Fall 2006
Judy Dow  Dining Services  To Fall 2006
Matt Jennings  Publications  To Fall 2006
Cindy Wemette  Controller’s Office  To Fall 2007
Lisa Terrier  LIS  To Fall 2007
7 Members Appointed by President
Liane Barrera  LIS  To Fall 2006
Mike Moser  Facilities Services  To Fall 2006
Martha Baldwin  CFIA  To Fall 2007
Adrienne Tucker  Public Affairs  To Fall 2007
Derek Hammel  Controller’s Office  To Fall 2007
Charlene Barrett  Religion/Soc.&Anthropology  To Fall 2008
Ed Mayer  Reprographics  To Fall 2008

Employees

Brett Wilhelm
Programmer Analyst
Library and Information Services

Kenneth Pierce
Pastry Chef
Dining Services

Cathy Walsh
Production Coordinator
Publications
Real Estate

For Sale: Spacious country home on 5.5 acres, 6 miles from Middlebury. Built 1989. Great room with woodstove and high windows; hardwood floors & many other wood touches; very large study lined with bookshelves; 1st floor laundry; attached garage; detached garage/workshop. 3 BR, 2-1/2 baths. $335,000. Keenan, 802-334-1470.

For Sale: 1860's colonial home in Orwell village on approx. 3/4 acre (20 miles from Middlebury). Detached 2-car garage, 4 BR, 1 bath, kitchen, dining room, living room, foyer. Perennials and fruit trees. Recently upgraded windows and furnace as well as professional exterior paint job. Why rent when you could own at only $140,000? Contact tumminia@middlebury.edu or x3133.

For Rent: Spacious and bright 2-bedroom apartment, adjacent to campus and walk to downtown. Quiet neighborhood on dead end street. Off street parking. Large rooms, hardwood floors. Storage and laundry on site. No dogs, no smoking. $965 per month. 388-8350 or 545-2149.


Lake Dunmore Rental: Cottage located on the water with 4 BR (1722 Lake Dunmore Road); $750/week; max occupancy of 7 people; no pets; no indoor smoking. Available August 13 - 20 and August 27 - September 3. Call: Liane Barrera at X 5659 or John Barrera at 388-6371 or 388-7421.

For Rent: Bright, cheerful 2nd floor, partially furnished 1 BR apt with living room, kitchen, and bath. Located in Middlebury, 1 mile from Shaws, next to woods and trails. Parking in barn. Free Adelphia cable TV, hot water and oil heat. No pets. No smoking. $850/month + electricity. References required. One year lease and security deposit. Available Sept. 1. Call 382-9467 or email jtiewi@aol.com

For Sale: 1990 Pinegrove Mobile Home 14' X70'. Excellent condition. Oak Kitchen with lots of counter space. 2 BR 1 Bath. $11,000. Must move. Call for more details 388-1407.

Auto

For Sale: Highly reliable 1996 Ford Escort LX4 Hatchback with 105,600 miles. Asking $600 (well below blue book) or best offer. Please contact Bob @ x5110 or 388-2343

For Sale: 2000 Pontiac Grand Prix GT, 81,000 miles in excellent condition. Power windows and door locks, power driver's seat, AC, cruise, AM/FM/CD player, $6,500 or best offer. Call x5880 or 623-6051.

For Sale: 1998 Ford Taurus SE, 92,000 miles, scrupulously maintained, perfectly clean throughout, no rust. Rebuilt title from Countryside Motors, purchased in 1999 at 18,000 miles. Excellent, reliable car always. All records since purchase. $3,800. 388-3605 or uskubiko@middlebury.edu

I will pay you $50 per month to store my car in a garage or garage-like locale (with roof) during my sabbatical leave, or $80 per month to store two vehicles. One is a VW Passat; the other is a Subaru Forester. Storage starts August 27 and ends February 6. Call 388-0664 or 443-5321.

For Sale: 1992 Silver Toyota Camry LE Wagon. 135,110 miles, well maintained (all records), automatic, ABS brakes, A/C, cruise control, driver's airbag; Auto Mate security system alarm & keyless entry; Power steering, A/C, Cruise Control; Anti-lock ABS brake system; relatively new tires; driver's side airbag. Asking $2800. Email Kathy at: kmorse@middlebury.edu.

Other

Wanted: 5 cubic foot freezer in good condition. call x5468 or 948-2091 after 6 pm.

For Sale: 4 Red Sox tickets, standing room, August 27 against the Detroit Tigers. $90 for all 4. Ext. 5570

For Sale: Kenmore sewing machine-includes foot pedal & attachments good working condition. $15; High quality, 100% wool, interesting & beautiful. Many colors. Perfect for scarves. 10 skeins for $10; Set of Aiwa speakers in good working order. $10. Contact Kate at 388-6258

For Sale: Cozy wing chair, sturdy, well-built - very good condition. Ottoman included. $400 o/b/o 462-2191 or x5064

For Sale: 1927 Kranich & Bach baby grand piano - moving must sell! Have appraisal, family history & pictures. Ivory & sound board in good condition, needs tuning & minor work. $850 Call Carol x3113, email peddie@middlebury.edu.

FREE: Three brown, one black, and two white ceiling fans. Call Andrea @ x3322 or 462-3265.