

Dartmouth Club of the Upper Valley

Enriching Your College and Yourself



Our board hard at work at its monthly meeting in the Boss Center to discuss and organize our forthcoming activities.
(President Cannon on left) (photo by Griffiths)

Hello DCUV Members and Alumni,

This year we are focused on three objectives: 1) Bringing events to you that leverage the experience of our local alumni as well as the resources at the college, 2) introducing more "off campus" opportunities in our Behind the Scenes events, and 3) increasing our participating

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membership. We have provided the full calendar for our winter/spring annual events below and are looking to our membership for new ideas that could become annual events. Our Behind the Scenes locations for late winter and early spring are in the works so look for those dates noted in future e-mails and at our Tuesday receptions. If you are not already a member, we hope that you will join us and begin to enjoy the programming that we have put together.

As always, please contact me with any suggestions or comments at ccannon110@gmail.com

Sincerely, Caroline Cannon
President - DCUV

Future DCUV Events

1) December 14th, 5:30, DOC House: Holiday Party - free for members!

Join your friends and the DCUV at our annual Holiday Party. Toast the holidays, eat good food and chat with friends, neighbors and new alumni to the area. This year the party will be at the DOC House because Thayer will still be under construction. We promise to have the fires going to complete the ambiance for good cheer.

2) January 7th, 5:30, Moulton Lounge in the Boss Tennis Center: DCUV potluck before the Dartmouth/Yale Hockey Game

Join the DCUV for a potluck dinner and good conversation before Dartmouth plays Yale. Please RSVP to Lynne Gaudet at Lynne. A. Gaudet@dartmouth.edu and let her know what you will bring.

3) January 18th, 5:30, Top of the Hop: Making Sense of the Midterm Madness by Professor Linda L. Fowler

Linda Fowler will discuss trends, issues, and outcomes in the 2010 United States midterm elections. Professor Fowler is a nationally recognized expert on legislative politics and is the author of two books on congressional elections and numerous articles on American politics. Her commentary appears frequently in the national news media. She has testified before the House of Representatives on term limits and held positions on Capitol Hill and at the Environmental Protection Agency. Fowler served

as director of Dartmouth's Nelson A. Rockefeller Center from 1995-2004 and teaches American politics courses in Dartmouth's Government Department. She holds the Frank Reagan '09 Professor of Policy Studies. Prior to coming to Dartmouth, she was a faculty member in the Maxwell School of Public Affairs and Citizenship at Syracuse University from 1975 to 1995, where she was twice honored for outstanding undergraduate teaching.

4) February 5th, 9:00-1:00, Filene Auditorium: Annual Seminar - What is Wrong with Public Education and What to Do about It

Join the DCUV for a lively conversation about the state of the public school system and hear from experts in the field about the various perspectives on education reform. A more detailed description of the discussion and speakers will be sent to members along with the registration packet.

5) February 15th, 5:30, Top of the Hop: Dartmouth's Indian History by Professor Colin Calloway

Colin Calloway will discuss his recent book *The Indian History of an American Institution: Native Americans and Dartmouth* (2010). He is the John Kimball Jr. 1943 Professor of History and Professor of Native American Studies at Dartmouth, and has served four consecutive three-year terms as chair of the Native American Studies Program. Professor Calloway received his BA and PhD from the University of Leeds in England. He has taught at the College of Ripon and York St. John in England, at Springfield High School in Vermont, and at the University of Wyoming. He has also served as editor/assistant director of the D'Arcy McNickle Center for the History of the American Indian at the Newberry Library in Chicago. He is the author of nine books and has received awards from the Missisquoi Nation of Abenakis and Native American Students at Dartmouth. In 2007-2008, he was president of the American Society for Ethnohistory.

6) March 13th, 2:00-4:00 in the Chivers Room: Apres Ski at the Skiway

The DCUV will host an Apres Ski on Sunday at the Skiway. The NCAA championships are in Stowe this same week and we want to continue the celebration at the Skiway. Visiting Dartmouth ski team alumni will be invited so come off the slopes for some snacks and conversation.

7) March 15th, 5:30, Top of the Hop: How to successfully plan, design and plant a garden in the Upper Valley by Henry Homeyer '68

Henry Homeyer is a renowned Upper Valley organic gardener, known as "The Gardening Guy," who is also an author of gardening books, a garden designer, and a consultant, as well as Editor for NH and VT of *People, Places and Plants* magazine. Henry lives in Cornish Flat, NH, and writes a weekly gardening column for the *Valley News* and other newspapers throughout the New England region.

8) April 19th, 5:30, Top of the Hop: The Vision for Dartmouth Athletics by Harry Sheehy

Newly appointed Athletic Director Harry Sheehy will talk about the current state of Dartmouth athletics and his vision for the future.

9) Book Awards: May 10th, 5:30, Top of the Hop

The DCUV will honor local high school students, nominated by their schools, for all around excellence. This annual ceremony recognizes Upper Valley students' scholastic excellence as well as non-academic achievement. The guidelines for choosing a recipient from each participating school include being an outstanding member of the junior class who is: a.) in the top 10% of his/her class academically; b.) a scholastic and extra-curricular leader with demonstrated positive impact on the school and community; and c.) a candidate for admission to a college of the highest academic standards.

10) Annual Dinner: May 17th, 5:30 cocktails / 6:30 dinner, Top of the Hop and Alumni Hall

11) Summer Picnic July 17, 2011 at the DOC House

Special note on our Directory

This year the DCUV Directory will be distributed as a PDF. This is being done to reduce our costs and direct more funds towards programming and away from printing costs. We will have available a limited number of printed copies for those members who would prefer to have a physical copy. Please let the DCUV know if you would like the printed copy by calling Caroline Cannon at 617.699.2941 and we will mail one to you.