

2019 **FGC Gathering**

A week of Quaker worship, workshops, and community for all ages.

June 30 to July 6, 2019

Grinnell College, Grinnell, Iowa



Today's Events

FLGBTQC and **AFSC**

12 pm, Spencer Grill, JRC. Join us to celebrate Joe Franko's life and learn about/support the internship AFSC and FLGBTQC established in his name. We'll eat when the line goes down.

Learn the Gathering Theme Song

1:30pm daily in the courtyard behind Spencer Grill. All are invited to learn and sing this year's Gathering theme song.

Healing Center Hours

Main dormitory 1:30-5 pm.

Amana Colonies History Lecture

1:30 pm, Noyce 1023. Dr. Jon Andelson will speak on "Pietism in the founding of the Amana Colonies." Dr. Andelson will also conduct the field trip to the Amana Colonies on Thursday.

Bolivian Quaker Education Fund

1:30 pm, HSSC N1114. Come meet Vanessa Maldonado and hear about her educational journey. Learn about the lives of some of the 30,000 indigenous Quakers in Bolivia.

Drum Circle

Friday's drum circle has been rescheduled for Tuesday at 1:30 pm outside in front of JRC.

Folkdance Band

1:30 pm, HSSC N1130. T, Th, F.

Emergency Number: 641-269-4600.

Peace Place Tuesday: US Gun Violence

How might we simultaneously hold victims of gun violence in the light, and help those for whom guns are a part of their identity, build internal discernment capacity?

"Your innermost sense of self, of who you are, is inseparable from stillness. It is the I AM that is deeper than name and form."-- Eckhart Tolle

See with the eye of your heart...

Living the Palestine Experience

1:30 pm, HSSC S2327. Just returned from six months at Ramallah Friends School, Meg Meyer and Arthur Boyd will describe life under military occupation.

Women's World Cup

1:30 pm, Spencer Grill JRC. Watch Women's World Cup semi-final: USA vs. France.

Alternatives to Violence Project (AVP)

3:15 pm, HSSC N1116. What is AVP all about? It is an international organization of volunteers leading conflict resolution workshops, mainly to people in federal, state, and local prisons.

National Trails System (next page)

Tuesday, July 2, 2019

3:15 pm, HSSC N1111. Join Steve Elkinton to learn about America's National Trails.

Documentary

4:30 pm, Noyes 1023. "Moon Bridge, Voices from the Transracially Adopted Asian Community." This documentary will be presented by the filmmaker, Liya Hughes.

12 Step Program Meetings

4:30pm Noyce 1245. Daily.

Star Gazing

Join the Grinnell Gale Observatory for Star Gazing at 9:15 behind Bear Athletic Center. Robert Cadmus, director of the observatory, will lead the free observation. Raindate: Wed. at 9:15pm. Access parking near the south end of the accessible path connecting the observatory to the drive on the north side of the Bear Recreation and Athletic Center. Audio/visual system for those who don't climb stairs.

Nightingales

9:15 pm, HSSC N1116. Join us for free-style harmony singing, Midwest style. Bring songbooks.

Lunch for Former Gathering Clerks

All former FGC Gathering Clerks are invited to join the 2020 co-clerks for lunch on Wednesday. Bring your tray upstairs to the Day Room.

Location, Location:

Morning Bible Half Hour

The 8:00 am Bible Half Hour has been moved to **Herrick Chapel**. Same spirit-led experience.

Kite Making

Kite Making will be in Cowles Lounge, 1:30 pm.

Film Showings

All films have been moved to HSSC N3118. Dates and times of showings are unchanged.

Quaker Voluntary Service

4:30 pm, HSSC N1114.

Announcements

Check Your Departure Shuttles

The shuttle schedule is in a binder at the Info Desk. Please double check!

Dining Hall Dirty Dishes

Please put dirty dishes on a tray before putting them on the conveyer belt in the dining hall. Loose dishes can break Grinnell's very expensive dish machines!

Grinnell Aquatics Center

(120 8th Ave. W, Grinnell, IA). Pick up a green aquatics center coupon at the Info Desk for a \$1 off admissions making it \$3.25.

Connect Apple Devices with Wifi

- 1. Open the browser,
- 2. Type captive.apple.com
- 3. Logins will pop up. Select GrinnelGuests (make sure to choose the plural).
- 4. Select: Accept.

Simple Meal

Right Sharing of World Resources is presenting a special lunch today featuring a lentil dahl and kitchen-garden salad. If you did not register for simple meal, a more traditional offering will be available in the Wok and Halal stations. Simple Meal is an opportunity to reflect on the abundance and choices we have.