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*Dear
friends*

Happy spring! With cool temperatures persisting, the beautiful beginning of spring at Camp Caravan is longer than usual, and as fresh and lovely as ever. We took a week off from meetings for the Easter/Passover holidays and resume our gatherings this coming Saturday for a WORK DAY. The energy is building as we prepare for the 2009 Practicum, and we invite you to join us.

We are very pleased to announce the next concert in a series of performances of Gurdjieff/deHartmann music with pianist Elan Sicroff on Sunday, May 17 at 4 p.m. at the Warwick Town Hall in Warwick, Massachusetts. Please note that this replaces the formerly announced May 10 date. We hope to see you there.

All are invited to the WORK DAY this Saturday, April 18. Whether you are attending for the first time, or are an "old-timer" with lots of Work experience, this is a good event to get a taste of the Work at Camp Caravan. The day begins at 7:30 a.m. with a morning sitting, continues through lunch, and finishes in the mid-afternoon.

The Millers River Educational Cooperative would like to host our first "BARNRAISING" event to work on the next portion of construction on the Girls' Dorm. Stay tuned for the announcement of a date likely to be announced in May (possibly May 9). This will be a great opportunity to meet the local community,

make new friends, and help create the future.

The next Morris Dance practice takes place on Tuesday at 6:00 p.m. at Camp Caravan in the Movements Hall. Sunday, April 26 there is a Morris practice at 2 p.m. at the Richardson Farm
NOTE: The weekly Work meetings of the MREC generally take place on the second Saturday of each month, and Sundays on all other weeks, beginning 7:30 a.m. usually ending around 1 p.m.



April/early May Schedule

- Sat, Apr 18 WORK DAY joined by the M.I.T. and Warwick groups-newcomers welcome
- Tues Apr 21 Morris Dance practice, Movements Building, Camp Caravan
- Wed Apr 22 M.I.T. group meeting
- Thurs Apr 23 Warwick group meeting
- Sun Apr 26, Weekly work meeting at Camp Caravan
- Sun Apr 26 Morris dance practice at Richardson Farm
- Tues Apr 28 Morris Dance practice
- Wed Apr 29 M.I.T. group meeting
- Thurs, Apr 30 Warwick group meeting
- Fri May 1 Village School May Day Maypole celebration 9:00 a.m. All are invited. Millers River Morris Men welcome spring
- Sat, May 2 Village School Open House 10-12. Weather permitting, Morris Men will appear
- Tues May 5 MONTHLY MEETING 7:30 p.m. Camp Caravan Campaign Office
- Wed May 6 M.I.T. group meeting
- Thurs May 7 Warwick group meeting
- Sat, May 9 Possible Barnraising (in lieu of weekly work meeting, TBD)
- Sun May 10 Weekly work meeting (TBD. Will not be held if barnraising takes place)

Preparations for the 2009 residential practicum, a collaboration of group leaders and participants from locations around the world, are in full swing, and applications continue to arrive. Thank you for all your support. If you have ideas of where we should advertise/reach out to attract those who may not yet be affiliated with a group, please let us know.

The work of the Village School-our children's school founded on the principles of J.G. Bennett is thriving. Come see for yourselves at our May Day celebration on Friday, May 1, beginning at 9:00 a. m., or at the May 2 Open House, beginning at 10 a.m. Work on the new school building at the Camp Caravan property continues. To learn how you can help, visit us at info@campcaravan.org.

Thanks for your messages and good will. If you know others who would be interested in our news, please share this email with them, or send their postal address to us at info@campcaravan.org.

With love and best wishes,

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And the folks at Millers River Educational Cooperative