

May, 2013

Camp Caravan News



Millers River Educational Cooperative

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Camp Caravan Calendar

Tues and Thurs groups continue in Somerville and Warwick, MA.

[Contact us](#) for information on groups near you.

Gurdjieff/Bennett 2013 Events

View the [Calendar](#) for international event updates.

All events at Camp Caravan unless otherwise noted.

May

May 11, 25 Weekly meeting, 7:30 a.m.

May 15-19 Residential

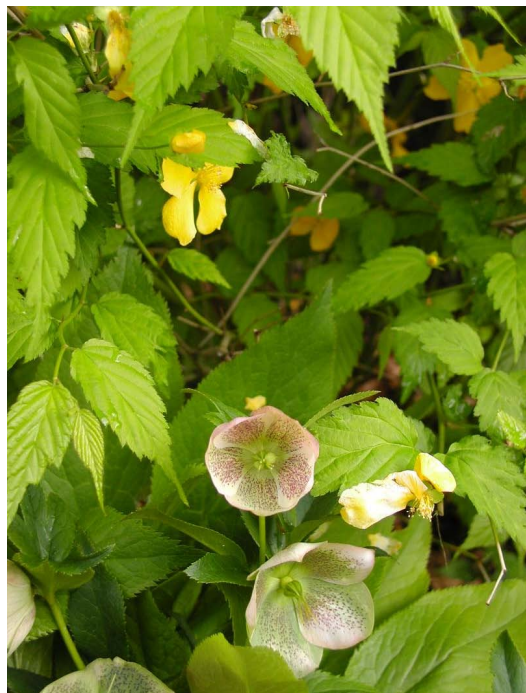
Dear Friend,

Here in New England, the May air is full of promise. We've finally had a drenching rain and there is abundant buzzing and blooming.

We invite you to explore Work opportunities near and far. Read about a host of Camp Caravan events, pilgrimage travel, and more.

Come to the Movements Residential Weekend beginning on May 15. Those who can only come in the evenings, or only one evening, may join in Wed, Thurs, or Friday at 7:30 p.m.

View more below and at the [website](#).



May 15-19 Residential Movements Seminar with Margit

Movements Seminar with Margit

May 15, 16, 17 Movements classes for all, 7:30 p.m.

Summer Seminar

Jun 22- 30 *Camp Caravan*
[Summer Seminar](#)

Movements Events with Margit [Details](#)

May 15-18 Preparation for Eighth Fire gathering, residential

May 18 Movements at Eighth Fire gathering.
[Details](#)

May 31-Jun 5 Women's Movements Seminar, residential

Jun 15-22 Movements Seminar, residential

Other locations

May 10-12 Systematics Gathering XIV
Claymont Ct., Charles Town, WV
[Email Anthony Blake](#) for details

May 18 Movements at Eighth Fire Gathering, Gardner, MA. [Details](#).

May 24-26 Orchestra of Crafty Guitarists Tour
[Details](#)

2013 Pilgrimage Travel

Sep 12-27 Bennett Pilgrimages Tour to Eastern Turkey with theme of "Meetings with Remarkable Men"
[Details](#)

Sep 21-29 Gurdjieff Movements Pilgrimage to Western Turkey with Margit and Journeys to the East.
[Details](#).



Wed, May 15 at 5 p.m. through Sunday, May 19 at noon

Continue the work on Movements we started during the winter 2013 classes. We will present our work at the Eighth Fire Gathering in Gardner, Massachusetts. All may participate, whether or not you attended previous classes.

Because some cannot take off from work during the scheduled seminar, evening classes on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday beginning at 7:30 p.m. are open to you on a per-class basis.

Cost: \$200 per person or \$350 couple/family. Individual classes by contribution.

Contact [Patrizia or Stefan](#) to reserve your place. [View details](#).

Sept 21-29, 2013 - A Pilgrimage/Movements Seminar



Western Turkey, Istanbul, Konya, Ephesus
Movements led by Margit Martinu

Pilgrimage to Western Turkey

Read more at the [Camp Caravan website](#).

A visit to sacred places connects us to and reinforces our inner search as related particularly to the energy of Sacred Dance and Movements of Gurdjieff.

As we travel and visit holy places we will practice the Great Prayer, a selection of Women's Movements and other Movements. For a view of the itinerary and leadership, please visit www.journeytotheeast.com,

Price per person (with a minimum 20 participants) double occupancy: \$1,390 US plus flight.

[Reserve by May 25.](#)

"Prepare the Future"

Village School

2013 Events

View more at the [Village School Page](#)

Village School Original Play

Fri, May 17 at 10 and 7 p.m.

Revenge of the Goddess

[Royalston Town Hall](#)



June 1, Sat. 7:30-10:30 a.m. Pancake Breakfast Auction
Morris Dancing
Royalston Town Hall

Jul 8, Mon. Summer Programs for children begin. Contact [Jocelyn](#)

Movements Seminar in Baltimore, MD

The Work Starts with the Body

Jun 13-15

Walter Goodwin
Jerry Toporovsky

Contact [the registrar](#) for information

Movement slippers

Are you looking for dance slippers for Movements?



For women's sizes, some of our group members recommend [these sites](#).

In residence at Camp Caravan June 22-30

Joined by special guests from the Gurdjieff Dominican group, Jose Reyes and Katuska Ortega, teachers of Movements and Zikr



Summer Seminar 2013

Early in G.I. Gurdjieff's book, *Beelzebub's Tales to his Grandson*, Hassen, the grandson, suddenly becomes aware that everything that exists in the present moment was prepared for him by people in the past:

And all of this they did, either consciously or unconsciously, just for us, that is to say, for beings unknown and quite indifferent to them.

So it is for us. Just as our present moment was prepared by those who came before, it falls to us to prepare the future—that is to say, the present moment of those who will come after us.

How is this to be done? Although we must do so, it is clearly not enough to simply prepare the future by building, preserving, and improving the material world. Something more is required of us, but how are we to see this? How are we to accomplish this?

We can work to replace all negative attitudes towards the existing world by a feeling of confidence and love towards the new world which is being born, towards the still unborn child that is the future mankind.

J.G. Bennett

This year, we invite all to come and work with the ideas and methods of J.G. Bennett and G.I. Gurdjieff as we prepare the future. [Read full details at the website.](#)

Sept 12-27, 2013 Bennett Pilgrimages Tour of Eastern Anatolia, Turkey

For men's sizes, you may wish to explore the [Capezio](#) site.

Witness

J.G. Bennett
on Vimeo.

<https://vimeo.com/52679805>



The tour begins in Nevsehir, Turkey - Central Anatolia - and ends in Istanbul, Turkey.

View [the website](#) for details.

The theme of the tour is Gurdjieff's Second Series "Meetings with Remarkable Men", and our itinerary takes us to a number of locations and cities referred to in the text.

We conduct the tour as a "traveling seminar," engaging in inner work tasks and practice, daily meetings to discuss observations and study. In this way we hope to strengthen our commitment and understanding of the Work and broaden our horizons.

Sponsored by the J.G. Bennett Foundation. For more information visit

[Bennett Pilgrimages](#) or email [Ben Bennett](#).



Hajji Bektash Veli

Robert Fripp and the Orchestra of Crafty Guitarists

The group is on an east-coast tour including Cambridge and Northampton in Massachusetts and New York City. View [Facebook](#) or view details at the [website](#).

with gratitude for the journey,

Debra Strick, and your friends at
Camp Caravan