

Commencement Weekend (June 2 & 3, 2023)

*= final times to be confirmed; we should allow 15 mins flex minimum

Afternoon:

In years past, Music and Dance Concerts have been held at this time. Details to be confirmed and forthcoming shortly.

Commencement Eve:

Friday, June 2, 2023

Note: Students and faculty will be playing music throughout subject to musical arrangements by Joe Alpar.

*5:30 - 6:15 pm **Red Carpet & Photo Booths** | Walk the red carpet and strike a pose in either or both (!) of the photo booths.

*6:15 - 7:00 pm **Formal Senior Commencement Dinner** | This dinner is for our seniors only, with faculty, board of trustees, leadership, senior speaker, and working staff.
Dress is formal—Bennington Best! Boas will be provided!
Commons Lawn, under the tent

*7:00 - 7:30 pm **Addresses**
Senior speaker address, faculty toast to class
Commons Lawn, under the tent
Live streamed

*7:30 - 8:30 pm **Dessert Reception with Seniors & Families**
Student Center | With families, faculty and staff.

*8:30 pm ++ **Night Garden**
Opens at dusk, closes at dawn | Follow the luminarias.

Commencement Morning:

Saturday, June 3, 2023

10:00 am **Conferring of Degrees Ceremony | 10:00 am Sharp!**
Light reception to follow: a moment of celebration, last pics and fond farewells.
End of the World