



# CCW NEWS

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## 2005 International Spirit of Zinck's

Thursday, October 20, 2005, 6:00 pm  
Ireland's Four Provinces (The 4Ps)  
3412 Connecticut Ave. NW, Washington, DC 20008  
[www.irelandsfourprovinces.com](http://www.irelandsfourprovinces.com) 202.244.0860

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Theodore Zinck was a saloonkeeper in Ithaca and his pub, the Hotel Brunswick, was a popular gathering place for Cornellians in the 1890s. After his death in 1903, several bars using his name continued to provide a haven for students. When the last "Zinck's" closed in the mid-60s, celebrating the spirit of Zinck's became a favorite Thursday night Collegetown tradition of undergraduates. Come join us to see Cornell friends of all classes and make some new ones at the International Spirit of Zinck's night in the nation's Capital! Please join the Cornell Club of Washington for this annual event. There will be beer specials, food, raffles and maybe a surprise or two.

**Cost:** \$10 members, 15 non-members. You can become a member at Zinck's.  
**Metro:** Cleveland Park (Red Line)  
**Questions:** Lauren Myers-Marion, LM32@cornell.edu, 301.977.1783.

## Cornell in Town

This October, two Cornell teams will play in the Washington area. Take advantage of this chance to cheer for the Big Red in your own backyard. Throw on your favorite Cornell shirt and meet other sports enthusiasts, alumni and members of the Cornell community.

**Sprint Football vs. Navy**, Friday, October 7, 2005, 7:00 pm  
*Rip Miller Field, Annapolis, MD (Navy Campus)*

**Field Hockey vs. Georgetown**, Sunday, October 30, 2005, 12:00 pm  
*Kehoe Field, Washington, DC (Georgetown Campus)*

Both events are FREE! No tickets needed.  
Join the official Cornell cheering section for pre-game gathering, carpooling!  
**Details:** Josh Novikoff, [joshua.novikoff@gmail.com](mailto:joshua.novikoff@gmail.com), 202.441.8863.

### Time to Renew!

If the mailing label on your Newsletter says "PLEASE RENEW," be sure to send to CCW your dues and Membership Form for the 2005-2006 membership year. Failure to do so may cause delivery interruption of your copy of the November CCW News.

If your renewal and this issue of CCW News have crossed in the mail, please disregard the mailing label.

If your address, phone, or email has changed, please email any changes to our Database Manager, Eli Savadada, [elias.savada@cornell.edu](mailto:elias.savada@cornell.edu).

## Support Solar Power - Host a Decathlon Student!

The Solar Decathlon Team students are currently looking for alumni volunteers to house them during their Washington stay.

Can you host students during these dates?

September 21 - September 27	October 17 - 19
September 28 - October 1	October 20 - 25

**Contact:** Philip Ballard '00, [philipballard22@hotmail.com](mailto:philipballard22@hotmail.com).

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## Raptor Center Dedication in Honor of Esther and Daniel Bondareff

Cornell is building a Raptor Center for birds of prey to honor Esther and the late Daniel Bondareff. It will be dedicated in Ithaca during the Trustee/Council Weekend, Thursday, October 20, 2005 in honor of Esther's 90th birthday this year.

Esther and Dan were the two most responsible members for raising the Cornell Club of Washington to its status of outstanding club, which it has held since the 1970s. The Club gives its most highly prized Bondareff Award annually to a member who has worked for it over a long period.

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## Events at a Glance...

### October

- 1 Big Apple Circus, Dulles Town Center, 12:30 pm  
*Questions:* Lauren Hall, ccwprogramming@yahoo.com, 703.525.0130.
- 5 MDDG: Kanin's *Born Yesterday*, Alfio's, 6:30 pm Discussion  
*Questions:* Helen Schwartz, hjschwartz@earthlink.net, 301.907.3238.
- 7 Cornell Sprint Football vs. Navy, Rip Miller Field (Navy Campus), 7:00 pm  
*Questions:* Josh Novikoff, joshua.novikoff@gmail.com, 202.441.8863.
- 8 Solar Decathlon 2005 on the National Mall, 4:00 pm Tour, 6:00pm Reception  
*Questions:* Carolyn De Wilde Casswell, cdd22@cornell.edu.
- 9 Mount Vernon Wine Festival and Sunset Tour, Mount Vernon Estate, 6:00 pm  
*Questions:* Steve Piekarec, spiekare@cs.com, 703.281.431.
- 10 Cornell Club of Washington, 6:30 pm Programming Meeting, 7:30 Board Meeting  
*Questions:* Jonathan Simon, jxs@vnf.com.
- 13 CAAA: China National Peking Opera Company, The Kennedy Center, 8:00 pm  
*Questions:* Tomoko Morinaga, tm58@cornell.edu, 301.907.0806.
- 15 Pumpkin Picking, Butler's Orchard, 10:00 am  
*Questions:* Lauren Myers-Marion, lm32@cornell.edu, 301.977.1783.
- 18 Wuerttemberg Chamber Orchestra Heilbronn, Library of Congress, 8:00 pm  
*Questions:* Bob Day, dayhaven@starpower.net, 202.438.7755.
- 20 Zinck's Night, Ireland's Four Provinces, 6:00 pm  
*Questions:* Lauren Myers-Marion, lm32@cornell.edu, 301.977.1783.
- 24 CEN: Bill Nye '77 The Science Guy, Hyatt Crystal City, 6:30 pm  
*Questions:* Visit <http://cen.cornell.edu>.
- 25 Résumé Strategy and Networking Reception, The Electronic Industries Alliance, 6:30 pm  
*Questions:* Lauren Hall, ccwprogramming@yahoo.com, 703.525.0130.
- 28 ISSC: Happy Hour, Woman's National Democratic Club, 6:30 pm  
*Questions:* Steve Piekarec, spiekare@cs.com, 703.281.431.
- 30 Field Hockey vs. Georgetown, Kehoe Field (Georgetown Campus), 12:00 pm  
*Questions:* Josh Novikoff, joshua.novikoff@gmail.com, 202.441.8863.

### November

- 3 CEN: Jeff Weiss '79, Sterne, Kessler, Goldstein & Fox P.L.L.C, 12:00 pm  
*Questions:* Visit <http://cen.cornell.edu>.
- 3 CEN: Len Kennedy '74, JD '77, The Madison Hotel, 6:30 pm  
*Questions:* Visit <http://cen.cornell.edu>.
- 6 Sousa's 151st Birthday Celebration, 9:00 am Concert, 11:00 am Brunch  
*Questions:* Bob Day, dayhaven@starpower.net, 301.438.7755.
- 9 Cornell Annual Phonathon, The Buccini/Pollin Group, Inc 6:30-9:30 pm  
*Questions:* Nancy Whalen, new2@cornell.edu.
- 14 Cornell Club of Washington, 6:30 pm Programming Meeting, 7:30 Board Meeting  
*Questions:* Jonathan Simon, jxs@vnf.com.
- 16 Urbanauts: Cluss and Napoleon Exhibit & National Geographic Society Lunch, 10:15 am  
*Questions:* Bob Day, dayhaven@starpower.net, 301.438.7755.
- 17 ISSC: Happy Hour, Kolumbia Restaurant, 6:30 pm  
*Questions:* Robert Cole, rcole@aol.com, 202.244.4546.
- 17 Book Lecture: Profesor Nick Salvatore, Woman's National Democratic Club, 6:30 pm  
*Questions:* Roberta Greenfield, roberta74@comcast.net.
- 19 Harry Potter, Union Station, 9:00 am  
*Questions:* Lauren Myers-Marion, lm32@cornell.edu, 301.977.1783.

# Club Announcements...

## CCW Club Meetings

**Tuesday, October 11, 2005** Members are invited to attend the monthly Board Meeting at 7:30 p.m. The Programming Meeting is at 6:30 pm at the Club headquarters, 1341 22nd Street NW, Washington, DC 20037 Pizza for all attending. A good way to get involved!  
**Metro:** Dupont Circle (Red Line).

**Questions:** Jonathan Simon, [jxs@vnf.com](mailto:jxs@vnf.com).

## Advertise in the 2006 CCW Membership Directory

The 2006 Membership Directory will be published in the spring and will go out to all 900+ members of the Cornell Club of Washington. Full, half and business card-sized ads are available. Deadline for ads will be 12/31/05, but preferred placement will be on a first come, first serve basis.

**Contact:** Nicole DelToro, [ndeltoro@andrewscole.com](mailto:ndeltoro@andrewscole.com) (preferred), 240.497.2970 ext. 104.

## Community Service: Tutoring High School Students

Tutoring at Jefferson Junior High School will be resuming Saturday, October 1, 2005. Along with the Dartmouth Club, we tutor Saturday mornings during the school year from 10:00 am to 11:30 am. We work with 7th, 8th and 9th graders in all subjects: algebra, spanish, english, history, etc.

**Contact:** Daniel Lavanga, [dlavanga@hotmail.com](mailto:dlavanga@hotmail.com), 703.548.8349.

## Volunteers Needed

CCW is the largest all-volunteer club and new volunteers are essential to continue growth of the club and service to our members. We need volunteers for a variety of things: running a large event, staffing events hosted by other organizations affiliated with CCW, and ongoing jobs.

**Cornell Entrepreneur Network:** Volunteers needed for the October 24th and November 3rd events (see back cover), to check people into the event.

**Contact:** Justine Schaffner, [js536@cornell.edu](mailto:js536@cornell.edu)

**CAAN Silver Spring Representative:** Help the Cornell's Alumni Admissions Ambassador Network, a group of nearly 6,900 alumni volunteers who assist the Cornell admissions community in recruiting superior undergraduate applicants.

**Contact:** Debbie Rutenberg, [debbie@adsolution.com](mailto:debbie@adsolution.com).

**CCW Historian:** Help CCW organize historical documents and keep track of its history.

**Contact:** Gladys Stifel, [gl23@cornell.edu](mailto:gl23@cornell.edu).

**CCW Office Administrator:** Help CCW opening mail, depositing checks, and other administrative tasks that keep the Club running smoothly.

**Contact:** Bob McKinless, [bikerbob8@mac.com](mailto:bikerbob8@mac.com)

## Roving Reporters:

**Bob McKinless '48 & Clint Brass '90**

## Potomac Paddle XVIII

POTOMAC RIVER, September 3, 2005 — Fabulous weather greeted 13 alumni and friends and 26 Cornell-in-Washington students when we undertook our annual fall pilgrimage out of Jack's Boats. We went upstream for an hour, then back down the river to Roosevelt Island for lunch. This was the largest Potomac Paddle yet, with 18 canoes. Alums: keep your eyes peeled for this event next September and join us.

## Old Rag XL

OLD RAG MOUNTAIN, September 10, 2005 — It was a little foggy at the beginning of CCW's 40th semiannual hike up Old Rag Mountain near Sperryville, VA. However, this did not deter the large group of 9 Cornell-in-Washington students and 33 alumni and friends, including Director of Cornell Outdoor Education, Todd Miner and his two children, who trekked up the mountain wearing their new Old Rag XL t-shirts. Only 45 minutes into the hike, Old Rag stalwart Bob McKinless commemorated his 38th hike with the Club by losing his sole - not the spiritual kind, but the one from his left hiking boot. We're happy to report that thanks to some duct tape, a couple of shoe strings, and a cigarette lighter (provided by the Miner-Berkowitz repair team) and plenty of good humor, Bob managed to complete the hike and retire his boots. Many thanks to those who drove the students and other alums: Ted Serbinski '04; Craig Lowenthal '03; Chris Tupino '00; Ying Ma '97; Jim Papa '96; Alice Anne English '93; Ed Berkowitz '56 and your reporters. Another item of note: among the alumni were seven former Cornell-in-Washington students.

## Mount Vernon Wine Festival and Sunset Tour

*Sunday, October 9, 2005, 6:00 pm- 9:00 pm*

*Mount Vernon Estate & Gardens*

*3200 Mount Vernon Memorial Highway, Mount Vernon, VA 22121*

*<http://www.mountvernon.org> 703.780.2000*

Join us for an extraordinary event of wine and entertainment at Mount Vernon, featuring 16 Virginia Wineries, blues music, and a candlelight Mansion tours. Includes the rarely visited Mansion cellars. Bring a blanket to picnic on the lawn. Only on-site food is allowed.

**Cost:** \$27 members, \$30 nonmembers.

**To attend:** Send check by 10/01/05, payable to "The Cornell Club of Washington", to Steve Piekarec, 2535 West Meredith Drive, Vienna, VA 22181, [spiekare@cs.com](mailto:spiekare@cs.com), 703.281.4311.

**Kanin's Washington Satire  
Born Yesterday**

Each month, 35-50 Footlights members meet over dinner with playwrights, directors, and scholars to discuss modern drama. Participants read the plays on their own (available at Backstage Books—Eastern Market Metro), meet at inexpensive restaurants near Washington-area Metro stations, and usually attend performances. Membership is free, although a \$5 donation is requested.

**Discussion: Born Yesterday**

Wednesday, October 5, 2005, 6:30 pm

Alfio's La Cucina D'Italia

4515 Willard Ave., Chevy Chase, MD, 20815

[www.alfios.com](http://www.alfios.com) 301.657.9133

The play, a satire set in World War II Washington, shows the transformation of a former chorus girl into a politically influential doyenne of Washington Society. A panel discussion features Ann Hoffman, retired lobbyist for the ILGWU (Garment Workers Union) and journalist, Mark Gruenberg. The restaurant is in the Willoughby Apartments, two blocks from the Red line's Friendship Heights stop. Street parking limited; Alfio's provides complimentary valet parking.

**Cost:** \$12 for fixed price meal, includes tip and tax.

**To attend:** RSVP to Mark Gruenberg, [press\\_associates@yahoo.com](mailto:press_associates@yahoo.com), 202.898.4825.

**Performance: Born Yesterday**

Tuesday, November 1, 2005, 7:30 pm

Arena Stage

1101 Sixth St. SW, Washington, DC 20024

[www.arenastage.org](http://www.arenastage.org) 202.488.3300

**Cost:** \$36 (discounted price). Followed by a cast discussion

**To attend:** Send check, payable to "Footlights", to Robin Larkin, 5403 Nibud Ct., Rockville MD 20852, [robinlarkin@comcast.net](mailto:robinlarkin@comcast.net), 301.897.9314.

Watch for discussion of Sartre's *No Exit* on a date to be decided, with guest speaker Robert McNamara, Artistic Director of Scena Theatre, which will present *No Exit*.

**A Night at the Opera: Female Generals of the Yang Family**

Thursday, October 13, 2005, 8:00 pm

The Kennedy Center

2700 F Street NW, Washington, DC 20566

[www.kennedy-center.org](http://www.kennedy-center.org) 202.467.4600

CAAA invites CCW members to the China National Peking Opera Company Performance. In 1980, the Kennedy Center was among the first to present the China National Peking Opera Company to American audiences. For the first time in 25 years, the company returns to the Center to present its acclaimed production: *Female Generals of the Yang Family*.

**Cost:** \$48

**Details:** Tomoko Morinaga '89 MPS, [tm58@cornell.edu](mailto:tm58@cornell.edu), 301.907.0806.

**Save the Date! Thursday, December 8, 2005**

**All Ivy Event - BSO at Strathmore, Handel's Messiah**

**Questions:** Bonni Dutcher, [Bsducther@aol.com](mailto:Bsducther@aol.com), 240.355.5231.

Look for details in the November issue of *CCWNews*.

**Résumé Strategy and Networking Reception**

**Rescheduled**

Wednesday, October 25, 2005

6:30 pm: Reception

7:00 pm: Presentation

The Electronic Industries Alliance

2500 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22201

How do you write a résumé, or a marketing document, that will market you in a highly visible and customized way? A résumé needs to relate your unique professional story. A résumé should:

- > Showcase your relevant work background
- > Demonstrate your specific qualifications
- > Illustrated your ability to benefit the organization

Vast and diverse professional experience makes it difficult to summarize your background and present yourself in a focused and prioritized approach.

Discussion will center on:

- > "Bundling" information for different targeted audiences
- > Creating your individualized professional niche
- > Selection, prioritization, and formation of your pertinent information

Join us for activities that will start you off on creating a résumé that projects your professional image.

Annabelle Reitman, Ed.D., is a career management consultant. She has over 30 years' experience in career coaching/counseling, specializing in resume development targeting clients' professional stories, and short-term coaching for clients in career and professional transitions. She is an established writer for online and print publications and an author of three books, including *High-Level Resumes* (Career Press 2005). Her doctorate and master degrees (Higher Education Administration) are from Teachers College, Columbia University.

**Cost:** Payable at the door. \$5 members, \$10 non-members.

**To attend:** RSVP by 10/18/05 to Lauren Hall, [ccwprogramming@yahoo.com](mailto:ccwprogramming@yahoo.com), 703.525.0130.

Special thanks to Michael Lippman '95 and his colleagues at Blue Raster LLC for sharing their event space with the Cornell Club of Washington.

# MEMBERSHIP FORM

# Cornell Club of Washington – 2005-2006

- I am a NEW member of the CCW.
- I am RENEWING my CCW membership.

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Name 1 \_\_\_\_\_

Name 2 \_\_\_\_\_

School/Year \_\_\_\_\_ School/Year \_\_\_\_\_

School/Year \_\_\_\_\_ School/Year \_\_\_\_\_

School/Year \_\_\_\_\_ C.U.I.D. \_\_\_\_\_  
(see mailing label)

School/Year \_\_\_\_\_ C.U.I.D. \_\_\_\_\_  
(see mailing label)

Maiden Name \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden Name \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Address \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Home Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Work Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Work Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Profession \_\_\_\_\_

Profession \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

- Add me to the CCW Member email listserv.
- I would like to read the newsletter **ONLY** as an Adobe Acrobat file via **emailed hyperlink (i.e., no hard copy mailed to my address)**.
- Please **DO NOT** list my name in a membership directory.
- I am interested in advertising the next issue of the club directory.

## Membership Dues

Enclosed is my check for annual membership dues, payable to the Cornell Club of Washington, for:

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Class of 2005 — \$10  | <input type="checkbox"/> Class of 1945 and earlier — Free                                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Recent Graduate ('02-'04) — \$20  | <input type="checkbox"/> Life Member(s): Single/ <b>Couple</b> — \$350/ <b>\$400</b>            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cornell Single — \$35   | <input type="checkbox"/> Associate Member (Parent/Friend of Cornellian, Non-Cornellians) — \$25 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cornell Couple — \$40   |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Joint membership with the Cornell Black Alumni Association (CBAA) — \$50        |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Joint couple membership with the Cornell Black Alumni Association (CBAA) — \$60 |   |

Total Membership Dues \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## Scholarship

My check includes an additional contribution as a gift in support of the Cornell Club of Washington Scholarship fund for local Cornell undergraduates.

Scholarship Contribution \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
**Total Amount Enclosed\*\*** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*CCW is a 501(c)3 organization. Membership dues and Scholarship Fund donations are tax deductible to the extent permitted by law.

## Activities

I wish to participate in the following activities with the Cornell Club of Washington:

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Membership                                | <input type="checkbox"/> CCW Job Bank                             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Scholarship                               | <input type="checkbox"/> Sports Leagues                           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fundraising/Phonathon                     | <input type="checkbox"/> CBAA — Cornell Black Alumni Association  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Program/Event Planning                    | <input type="checkbox"/> CAAA — Cornell Asian Alumni Association  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Community Service                         | <input type="checkbox"/> CLAA — Cornell Latino Alumni Association |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Housing for International Student Visit   | <input type="checkbox"/> CUGALA — Cornell Gay and Lesbian Alumni  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Meeting with Prospective Students (CAAAN) | <input type="checkbox"/> Financial/Investment Planning            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Newsletter/Publicity/Web                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____                             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CCW Career Networking                     |   |

Please return to: Cornell Club of Washington, 2148 O St., NW, Washington DC 20037-1095 – **Thank you!**

## ***Ivy Social Singles Club***

**An Evening at the  
Woman's National Democratic Club  
Hosted by the Cornell Club of Washington**

*Friday, October 28, 2005, 6:30 pm  
Woman's National Democratic Club  
1526 New Hampshire Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20036  
[www.democraticwoman.org](http://www.democraticwoman.org) 202.232.7363*

Join us for an evening of exceptional non-partisan company and conversation in the Adlai Stevenson Ballroom of the Woman's National Democratic Club. Light hors d'oeuvres and cash bar available.

The Woman's National Democratic Club is located near Dupont Circle in the Whittemore House, one of Washington's most elegant, historic mansions with ten function rooms and a garden. In addition to its permanent collection, the museum features special exhibits like its 2002 exhibit, The Kennedys: A Legacy of Style and Substance.

**Cost:** \$25 in advance, \$30 walk-ins, email, phone reservations.

**To attend:** Send check, by 10/24/05, payable to "Cornell Club of Washington", to Steve Piekarec, 2535 West Meredith Drive, Vienna, VA 22181, [Spiekare@cs.com](mailto:Spiekare@cs.com), 703.281.4311. Please note your school on the check.

**Metro:** Dupont Circle (Red Line)

**Parking:** Garage and limited street parking available after 6:30 pm.

*The Ivy Singles Social Club (ISSC) is a coalition of Ivy League, Seven Sister and other prestigious alumni associations that sponsor social activities. Our events are open to all single alumni of member schools and their guests.*

## **Sousa 151st Birthday Celebration: Concert & Brunch**

*Sunday, November 6, 2005*

*9:00 am, U.S. Marine Band Traditional Tribute  
Historic Congressional Cemetery  
1801 E Street SE, Washington, DC  
[www.congressionalcemetery.org](http://www.congressionalcemetery.org) 202.543.0539*

*11:00 am, CCW Brunch  
Finn MacCool's Cork Publick  
713 Eighth Street SE, Washington, DC  
202.547.7100*

Come join us as we celebrate John Philip Sousa's 151st Birthday with a Sunday Brunch, immediately following the U.S. Marine Band's traditional tribute to the great composer of marches, waltzes and lots of other music. The brief concert takes place every year, rain or shine. Assemble at the Sousa Family's Gravesite to see the band march in and hear seldom performed selections and old favorites.

This year will be special because the Marine Band, known as "The President's Own" since Thomas Jefferson's time, will be unveiling a life-size bronze statue of the March King. Full details of the unveiling will be released closer to the event. Reserve now and we'll forward details as they are released.

CCW has reserved the upstairs salon and bar at Finn MacCool's Cork Publick House for Big Red Band Alumni and all other Cornellians, including their friends and families, for brunch at 11:00 am. Drink specials will be available, including a Stars and Stripes cocktail and other Sunday Brunch favorites.

**Cost:** Brunch \$14 members and spouses, \$17 non-members, \$7 children under twelve.

**Reservations & Questions:** RSVP to Bob Day, [dayhaven@starpower.net](mailto:dayhaven@starpower.net), 202.438.7755.

**Metro:** Cemetery, Potomac Avenue (Orange & Blue Lines); Brunch, Eastern Market (Orange & Blue Lines)



## **Ivy Singles Social Club Happy Hour Hosted by the Yale Club of Washington**

*Thursday, November 17, 2005, 6:30 pm  
Restaurant Kolumbia  
1801 K Street NW Washington, DC 20006  
202.331.5551*

Join us for good company, a fine selection of hors d'oeuvres and dishes (Modern American cuisine), and a cash bar amid the subdued décor of this distinguished, 'Twenty to Watch' restaurant from the Washingtonian Magazine 100 Very Best Restaurants in the bustling 18th and K Street area of Washington, DC.

The Restaurant Kolumbia will accommodate us in its romantic long bar and elegant dining area during the evening. Pre-paid reservations are strongly recommended

**Cost:** \$25 in advance, \$30 walk-ins.

**To attend:** Send check, by 11/12/05, payable to "Yale Club of Washington", to Robert Cole, 3003 Van Ness St NW #W814, Washington, DC 20008, [rbcole@aol.com](mailto:rbcole@aol.com), 202.244.4546.

**Metro:** Farragut North (Red Line), Farragut West (Orange/Blue)

**Parking:** PMI Parking, 1899 L Street NW, \$5 after 5:00 pm. Limited street parking.

### **CCW Job Bank**

Looking for a job? Got a job to fill? The Job Bank is a clearinghouse for job leads. The Cornell name unites alumni to build a regional Job Bank. Employment areas include: management consulting, government, non-profit, public relation firms, engineering and Capitol Hill positions.

#### **Details:**

<http://ccw.alumni.cornell.edu/career/career.html>

### **Welcome New CCW Life Members!**

No. 239 - Jonathan Simon '92  
No. 240 - Diana Simon '94  
No. 241 - Bruce Orcutt '59  
No. 242 - Michael Hanson GD '02  
No. 243 - Susan Hanson GD '02  
No. 244 - Walter Price '71  
No. 245 - Gil Keteltas '86  
No. 246 - Jamil Sopher '65'66  
No. 247 - Leslie Simon Knibb '85

## Family Fun: Pumpkin Picking

Saturday, October 15, 2005, 10:00 am  
Butler's Orchard  
22200 Davis Mill Road, Germantown, MD 20876  
[www.butlersorchard.com](http://www.butlersorchard.com) 301.972.3299

Go pick pumpkins, take hayrides, and enjoy some good fall fun. Price will be determined based on the activities you would like to participate in.

**To attend:** RSVP by 10/12/05 to Lauren Myers-Marion, [lm32@cornell.edu](mailto:lm32@cornell.edu), 301.977.1783.  
**Driving Directions:** Beltway 495 to north on Interstate 270 North towards Frederick, Exit 16 - Father Hurley Boulevard. Bear right off of exit onto Rt. 27, Continue on Rt. 27 for approximately 1.3 miles, Right onto Brink Road. Approximately 1/2 mile to: Left onto Wildcat Road. Approximately 1 mile to: Left at stop sign onto Davis Mill Road. Orchard will be on your left.

## Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire Private Screening

Saturday, November 19, 2005, 9:00 am  
AMC Union Station 9  
50 Massachusetts Ave NE, Washington, DC 20002  
202.842.3757

Bring the kids, bring the grandkids, bring yourself, bring your friends to a special screening of Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire, one day after it opens. Tickets are on a first come, first serve basis.

**Cost:** \$7

**To attend:** RSVP at <http://www.acteva.com/go/ccw>

**Questions:** Lauren Myers-Marion, [LM32@cornell.edu](mailto:LM32@cornell.edu), 301.977.1783.

## Book Lecture

### Singing in a Strange Land:

### C.L. Franklin, the Black Church, and the Transformation of America

Thursday, November 17, 2005  
6:30 pm: Reception  
7:00 pm: Dinner  
7:30 pm: Program  
Woman's National Democratic Club  
1526 New Hampshire Ave. NW, Washington, DC  
[www.democraticwoman.org](http://www.democraticwoman.org) 202.232.7363

Professor Nick Salvatore, Maurice and Hinda Neufeld Professor of Industrial and Labor Relations and Professor of American Studies, will speak about his recently published book, Singing in a Strange Land: C.L. Franklin, the Black Church, and the Transformation of America. Professor Salvatore is the recipient of the Bancroft Prize in History and the John H. Dunning Prize for his book, Eugene V. Debs: Citizen and Socialist.

**Cost:** Dinner \$30 (wine at table), cash bar during reception.

**Metro:** Dupont Circle (Red Line)

**Parking:** Garages (1) Jury's Hotel, (use Q street entrance), (2) New Hampshire Ave., across the WNDC, (3) 18th Street near Mass. Ave.

**To attend:** RSVP to Ms. Pat Fitzgerald, [pfitzgerald@democraticwoman.org](mailto:pfitzgerald@democraticwoman.org), 202.232.7363.

**Questions:** Roberta Greenfield, [roberta74@comcast.net](mailto:roberta74@comcast.net).

*Urbanauts , Save the Date!*  
**Wednesday, November 16, 2005**

## Cluss and Napoleon Exhibit & National Geographic Society Lunch

**Questions:** Bob Day, 301.438.7755,  
[dayhaven@starpower.net](mailto:dayhaven@starpower.net).

Watch for details in the  
November issue of *CCWNews*.

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## The Cornell University Solar Decathlon (CUSD) Team

Saturday, October 8, 2005  
4:00-6:00 pm Take the Tour  
National Mall  
6:30-9:30 pm Hear How It Was Done  
The Ronald Reagan Building, Rotunda Rm  
1300 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW,  
Washington, DC 20004  
[www.itcdc.com](http://www.itcdc.com) 202.312.1300

**What is the Solar Decathlon?** After 2 1/2 years of hard work, the student-run Cornell Solar Decathlon Team is proud to be competing in the 2005 Solar Decathlon in Washington DC. Over 70 students from 7 different colleges have been on the CUSD Team. The CUSD Team will be competing in ten areas ranging from architecture, livability, and comfort to how well the solar home provide energy for space heating, lighting, and appliances.

The purpose of the competition is to give students real-world experience in energy-efficient design and solar power technologies - important issues as we look toward our energy future. Seventeen teams from across the U.S., Canada, Puerto Rico and Spain will join Cornell in the competition starting on October 6-16.

Wear your Cornell Shirt, red & white!  
For the latest information visit:  
[CUSD.cornell.edu](http://CUSD.cornell.edu)

**Cost:** Evening reception: \$25 for adults, \$12 for current Cornell University Students.  
**RVSP:** At [www.alumni.cornell.edu](http://www.alumni.cornell.edu)  
**Contact:** Cornell University Middle Atlantic Regional Office, 610.458.1846

## ***Cornell Entrepreneur Network***

### **Bill Nye '77, The Science Guy**

*Monday, October 24, 2005, 6:30 pm  
Hyatt Regency Crystal City  
2799 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA 22202  
703.418.1234*

Bill Nye is most widely known as the zany host of 'Bill Nye the Science Guy', a show geared towards exposing young viewers to all different forms of science, graduated from Cornell University's Sibley School of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering in 1977 with a bachelor of science degree in mechanical engineering. At Cornell, he studied under Carl Sagan.

**Cost:** \$30 includes light buffet, dessert, coffee or tea.

**To attend:** Visit <https://cen.cornell.edu>

### **Jeff Weiss '79, Founder of ASAP Ventures**

*Thursday, November 3, 2005, 12:00 pm  
Sterne, Kessler, Goldstein & Fox P.L.L.C.  
1100 New York Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20005  
[www.skgf.com](http://www.skgf.com) 202.371.2600*

Jeff Weiss '79 founded ASAP Ventures to help high-potential, growth-stage companies get to market faster and smarter. Jeff has broad understanding of how young companies grow, how to create and communicate business and marketing plans, in managing operations, as well as in evaluating partners and closing capital transactions. Join Jeff as he speaks about "How High-Potential Companies Can Get to Market Faster and Smarter – What VC's Look For."

**Cost:** \$20 includes lunch.

**To attend:** Visit <https://cen.cornell.edu>

### **Len Kennedy '74, JD '77, Nextel Communications, Inc**

*Thursday, November 3, 2005, 6:30 pm  
The Madison Hotel  
1177 15th Street NW, Washington, DC 20005  
[www.themadisondc.com](http://www.themadisondc.com) 202.862.1600*

Len Kennedy '74, JD '77 is general counsel of Sprint Nextel . He previously served as the senior vice president and general counsel of Nextel Communications Inc. Prior to joining Nextel in January 2001, Mr. Kennedy was partner at Dow, Lohnes & Albertson, P.L.L.C. Mr. Kennedy received a Juris Doctorate in 1977 and a Bachelor of Arts in economics in 1974 from Cornell University.

**Cost:** \$30 includes light buffet, coffee or tea.

**To attend:** Visit <https://cen.cornell.edu>

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