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**Cornell Sports Watching**



**December Kickoff Recap:** We had a whopping 80 people turn out for the first Cornell hockey game watch party of the series in the midst of the holiday season. Join us next month when action on the ice continues to heat up, as Cornell men's hockey goes head to head with fellow upstater Colgate and long-time rival Harvard.

**Road Trip to Princeton, New Jersey**

**Hockey vs. Princeton, January 14, 2006, 7:00 pm**

Caravan to the game with other Big Red fans from Washington.

Interested in carpooling? Need a ride?

**Contact:** Josh Novikoff, [jbn6@cornell.edu](mailto:jbn6@cornell.edu), 202.566.0502.

**Hockey vs. Colgate, February 4, 2005, 7:00 pm**

*McFadden's, 2401 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20037*

Catch Cornell Men's Ice Hockey as it graces the airwaves twice in February. We'll be watching! Food and beverage specials for these events include \$2 drafts; \$4 rail drinks; half-price sandwiches and salads.

**Cornell Sports MegaEvent, February 18, 2005**

**Hockey vs. Harvard at 5:30 pm**

**Basketball vs. Penn at 8:30 pm**

*McFadden's, 2401 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20037*

A double bill. First, join Big Red fans in D.C. for the hockey game of the season. The Harvard Game, live from Lynah Rink! That game will be followed by a live broadcast of the Men's Basketball team matching up against Penn. Cornell Basketball finished 2nd place last year and is challenging Penn for this year's Ivy crown.

**Cost:** McFadden's game watching is free for CCW members, \$5 for non-members.

**Questions:** Josh Novikoff, [jbn6@cornell.edu](mailto:jbn6@cornell.edu), 202.566.0502.

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New email?  
New phone?*

Update your CCW  
contact information.

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# HAPPY NEW YEAR!



## Events at a Glance...

### January

- 8 Cornell University Glee Club and Hangovers, 8:00 pm  
*Questions:* Gil Keteltas, gs.keteltas@verizon.net, 202.383.7060.
- 8 MDDG: *Spoon River Anthology* Performance, 6:30 pm  
*Questions:* American Century Theater, www.americancentury.org
- 10 CCW Programming & Board Meeting, 6:30 pm & 7:30 pm  
*Questions:* Jonathan Simon, jxs@vnf.com.
- 10 MDDG: *Fat Pig* Discussion, 6:30 pm  
*Questions:* Mark Gruenberg, press\_associates@yahoo.com, 202.898.4825.
- 10 Hockey vs. Princeton, 7:00 pm  
*Questions:* Josh Novikoff, jbn6@cornell.edu, 202.566.0502.
- 27 ISSC: Annual Ivy Singles Social Club Kickoff, 6:30 pm  
*Questions:* Debby Prigal, dprigal@aol.com, 202.265.3145.
- 28 CAN: Night with the Wizards, 7:00 pm  
*Questions:* Lauren Hall, ccwprogramming@yahoo.com, 703.525.0130.
- 28 MDDG: *Fat Pig* Performance, 8:00 pm  
*Questions:* Joel Markowitz, jmarkowitheatrenut@yahoo.com, 703.447.8805.

### February

- 4 Community Service: Suited for Change Clothing Drive, 9:30 am  
*Questions:* Jane Terrell, jst18@cornell.edu, 202.316.4256.
- 4 Cornell Mosaic at New York, 12:15 pm  
*Questions:* Alumni House, 607.255.4173.
- 4 CAAA: Pan-Asian New Year Banquet  
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- 18 Cornell Mosaic at Philadelphia  
*Questions:* Alumni House, 607.255.4173.
- 24 ISSC: Happy Hour at Key Bridge Marriott, 6:30 pm  
*Questions:* Nancy Tate, flipnan@aol.com.

# Club Announcements...

## CCW Monthly Board and Programming Meetings

**Tuesday, January 10, 2006.** All CCW members are invited to attend and participate in our monthly CCW Board meetings at 7:30pm, and/or Programming Meetings at 6:30 pm, the second Tuesday of each month. Meetings take place at 1341 22nd Street NW, Washington, DC (downstairs from the Cornell Center). These meetings are a great way to get involved with the Club.!

**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.

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

## Call for Volunteers for New CCW Communication Committee

CCW is looking for volunteers for its new Communications Committee, which will be responsible for increasing the visibility and enhancing the image of the club, its members and its activities within and outside the organization, and for acknowledging, commending and publicizing the efforts and accomplishments of its volunteers.

The Committee's goals for the next six months include an audit of CCW communications channels, improving the effectiveness of internal communications among CCW members, developing and implementing a media relations program, and strengthening CCW messaging.

**Interested?** Email Kim Jones at [knj2@cornell.edu](mailto:knj2@cornell.edu).



CELEBRATING DIVERSITY AND ADVANCING INCLUSION

**Save the Date!** February 18, 2006

**Cornell Mosaic at Philadelphia**

Watch for details in upcoming issues of *CCW News*.

**Questions?** Alumni House, 607.2554173

## Cornell Mosaic at New York

*Saturday, February 4, 2006, 12:15 pm*

*Cornell Club New York*

*6 E. 44th Street*

*New York, NY 10017*

*212.9 86.0300*

**Cost:** \$30

**To attend:** Send check, payable to "Cornell University" to the Office of Minority Alumni Program/Alumni House, 626 Thurston Avenue, Ithaca, NY 14850.

On-line registration: <http://alumni.cornell.edu>.

**Questions?** Alumni House, 607.255.4173.

## Community Service

### Volunteer at Suited for Change Clothing Drive

*February 4, 2006, 9:30 am - 12:30 pm*

*Suited for Change*

*1712 I Street, NW Suite B100*

*Washington, DC 20006*

*[www.suitedforchange.org](http://www.suitedforchange.org)*

Spend a morning meeting fellow CCW members and helping the local community! Suited for Change depends on volunteers to greet donors and help review donated items at their monthly clothing drive for women's professional attire. Retailers, manufacturers, and local individuals will deliver clothing donations. Volunteers will help receive and review donated items.

Suited for Change is a Washington, DC based private non-profit organization providing professional clothing and ongoing career and life skills education to low-income women to increase their employment and job retention potential and contribute to their economic independence. Their services are provided at no charge to women who have completed job training/readiness programs and are seeking employment.

**To attend:** RSVP by 01/14/06 to

Jane Terrell, [jst18@cornell.edu](mailto:jst18@cornell.edu),

202.316.4256. Space is limited.

**Metro:** Farragut West (Blue/Orange Line.)

**Parking:** Available at 1150 17th Street.

*If you would like CCW to consider a community service event for a particular non-profit organization or have other ideas for events, we welcome your comments!*

**Contact:** Jane Terrell, [jst18@cornell.edu](mailto:jst18@cornell.edu),

202.316.4256.

## Milestone Life Membership

The CCW is happy to announce its 250th life member, Katherine Stifel '87.

The Club's life membership program, established in 1985, is an excellent way to maintain your membership in the Club, and at the same time significantly benefit the Club's scholarship efforts. Life membership fees are invested, and the resulting income is added to the Club's operating budget in lieu of annual dues. When a life member leaves the area, the initial fee is transferred to the Club's Scholarship Fund.

## Snowflake Social

Wednesday, January 18, 2006, 5:30 pm -  
7:30 pm  
Topaz Bar  
Topaz Hotel  
1733 N Street NW  
Washington, DC 20036  
202.393.3000 [www.topazhotel.com](http://www.topazhotel.com)

Going through post-holiday-party-season withdrawal? Mingle with Cornell Club of Washington members and guests at our first annual Snowflake Social at Topaz Bar. Food and beverage specials include the famous Blue Nirvana cocktail (\$4.50), Asahi (Asian beer, \$3), and Sultan of Wings (\$4.00).



**Cost:** Free.

**Contact:** Lauren Hall,  
[ccwprogramming@yahoo.com](mailto:ccwprogramming@yahoo.com).

## Capital Alumni Network Night with the Wizards

Saturday, January 28, 2006, 7:00 pm  
MCI Center  
601 F Street NW  
Washington, DC 20004  
202.628.3200 [www.mcicenter.com](http://www.mcicenter.com)

Join the Cornell Club of Washington and other D.C.-area alumni associations at the MCI Center as the Washington Wizards take on the Charlotte Bobcats. Our group will be seated together in one of these 400-level sections: 407-410, 424-427. Attendees are eligible to win an autographed basketball and seat upgrades.

*Pre-game Celebration, 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm,*  
*Regional Food & Drink (RFD's), 810 7th Street NW, Washington, DC 20001.*  
Pre-game specials include \$3 Miller Light and Yuengling drafts and a \$3.50 Beer of the Day.

**Cost:** \$20 for CCW members and guests, \$25 for non-members.

**To attend:** Send check, payable to "Cornell Club of Washington" by 1/16/06, to Lauren Hall, 1410 N. Scott St., Apt. 869, Arlington, VA 22209. Please be sure to include your email and phone number on your check.

**Metro:** Gallery Place-Chinatown (Red, Yellow and Green Lines).

**Questions:** Lauren Hall, [ccwprogramming@yahoo.com](mailto:ccwprogramming@yahoo.com) (preferred), 703.525.0130.

## Modern Drama Discussion Group

CCW co-sponsors the Modern Drama Discussion Group known as "Footlights." 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, Politics and Prose and Olsson's), meet at inexpensive restaurants near Washington-area Metro stations, and usually attend performances. Membership is free, although a \$5 donation is requested.

### Spoon River Anthology Performance

Sunday, January 8, 2006, 2:30 pm  
American Century Theater  
2700 South Lang Street, Arlington, VA 22206  
[www.americancentury.org](http://www.americancentury.org)

Call ahead to see if tickets can be purchased at the door. A post-performance discussion has been arranged.

### Fat Pig Discussion

Tuesday, January 10, 2006, 6:30 pm  
Thai Chef, 1712 Connecticut Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20009

Lead actress Kate Debelack will be our guest speaker for the discussion of Neil LaBute's play. The discussion will be moderated by Robin Larkin.

**Cost:** Dinner \$15 (tax & tip included). Spring roll, choice of entrée and iced tea.

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

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

### Fat Pig Performance

Saturday, January 28, 2006, 8:00 pm  
Studio Theater, 1501 14th Street NW, Washington, DC 20005

**Cost:** \$30 per person

**To attend:** Send check to The Ushers, c/o Joel Markowitz, 11710 Old Georgetown Rd., Unit 1209, North Bethesda, MD 20852. If you would like to join us for dinner after the show at Thai Tonic, please tell Joel Markowitz.

**Metro:** Dupont Circle (Red Line), U Street (Green Line), McPherson Square (Blue/Orange Line).

**Questions:** Joel Markowitz, [jmarkowitz@atrenut.com](mailto:jmarkowitz@atrenut.com), 703.447.8805.



## Spoon River Anthology & Fat Pig

**Ivy Singles Social Club**

**Seventh Annual Ivy Singles Social Club Kickoff**

**Hosted by the University of Chicago Club**

*Friday, January 27, 2006, 6:30 pm*

*The Washington Club*

*15 Dupont Circle NW*

*Washington, DC 2000*

*www.thewashingtonclub.com*

Seven years and still going strong! Keep your New Year's resolution to get out more and join us at our perennially successful event and meet 200 well-educated singles. Every year this is our best-attended event with people mingling well into the evening.

Drink, nosh and talk in the Grand Ballroom of the Patterson House. Enjoy the exquisite white marble mansion that Calvin Coolidge used as a temporary White House, complete with high ceilings, winding staircases and large windows. Catch up with old friends and meet new ones.

**Cost:** \$25 in advance, \$35 email or phone reservations, and walk-ins. Hors d'oeuvres and Cash Bar.

**To attend:** Send check by 01/23/06, payable to "The University of Chicago Club of Washington", to Debby Prigal, 1625 Q St. NW #207, Washington, DC 20009. Please note your school on the check.

**Contact:** Debby Prigal, dprigal@aol.com, 202.265.3145.

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



**Happy Hour at Key Bridge Marriott**

**Hosted by the Columbia University Club of Washington,**

**with support of The Washington Wellesley Club**

*Friday, February 24, 2006, 6:30 pm*

*JW's View Steakhouse, Key Bridge Marriott*

*1401 Lee Highway*

*Arlington, VA 22209*

*703.524.6400j*

Come join us at this unique venue, with one of the most spectacular views of Washington! Enjoy good company, sumptuous appetizers, cash bar, and stunning vistas of the city and its monuments illuminated against the night sky. We will have our own private space within this elegant establishment. Business or business casual attire is appropriate.

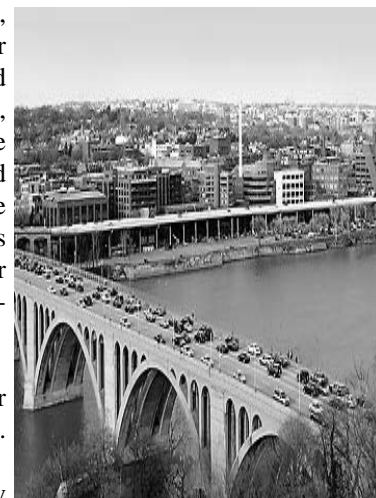
**Cost:** \$25 in advance, \$30 email or phone reservations, and walk-ins. Hors d'oeuvres and Cash Bar.

**To attend:** Send check by 02/20/06, payable to "The Washington Wellesley Club", to Nancy Tate, 901 N. Monroe St. NW #705, Arlington, VA 22201. Please note your school on the check.

**Contact:** Nancy Tate, flipnan@aol.com.

**Metro:** Rosslyn (Orange/ Blue Line)

**Parking:** Free parking available at hotel with ticket validation.



*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.*

**Cornell Asian Alumni Association (CAAA) Pan-Asian New Year Banquet  
Lunar Year of the Dog 4704**

*Saturday, February 4, 2006, 6:00 pm*

*Peking Park Restaurant*

*100 Park Avenue*

*New York, NY 10017*

*212.725.5570*

Honoree Jane Hyun '90 is a nationally recognized career consultant and author of "Breaking the Bamboo Ceiling," a unique look at Asians in corporate America. Since 1990, CAAA's Pan-Asian Banquet has raised \$300,000 for scholarships benefiting outstanding students of Asian descent. To date, CAAA has helped over 28 students with their college education. Dinner will feature traditional 10 course Chinese banquet and entertainment. Festive attire welcome

**Cost:** Sponsor Level \$2,500 (10 tickets, 1 table), Benefactor \$1,000 (4 tickets), Patron \$500 (2 tickets), Supporter \$150 (1 ticket), Friend \$90 (1 ticket). Any amount above \$70 is tax deductible.

**To attend:** Send check by 1/14/06, payable to "Cornell University", to Cornell University Metro New York Regional Office, 708 Third Avenue, 17th Floor, New York, NY 10017.

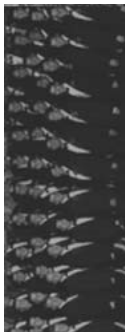
**Questions:** Cornell University Metro New York Regional Office, <http://www.alumni.cornell.edu/orgs/int/CAAA/events.htm>, 212.986.7202.



## Cornell University Glee Club and Hangovers

Saturday, January 7, 2006, 8:00 pm  
Embassy of France, La Maison Française  
4101 Reservoir Road  
Washington, DC 20007  
[www.la-maison-francaise.org](http://www.la-maison-francaise.org) 202.944.6090

The Cornell University Glee Club is recognized as one of the premiere collegiate ensembles in the United States. As Michael Slon, '92, explained in his book *Songs From the Hill - A History of the Cornell Glee Club*: "Since the first days of the Orpheus Glee Club more than one hundred and twenty-five years ago, the Glee Club of Cornell has become a home to thousands of young men who have traveled in all walks of life, from music and medicine, to agriculture and astronomy. The group has performed songs of Bernstein on Malaysian television and songs of Shostakovich in the Moscow conservatory, sung in more than a dozen languages and logged hundreds of thousands of miles, brought music to millions of people as near and far as the students of Cornell and rural school children in Taipei."



**Cost:** \$20 per person.

**To attend:** Send reservation form and payment to CUGC in DC, c/o Gil Keteltas, 8624 Fenway Drive, Bethesda, MD 20817. Tickets will be held at the door. Orders will be confirmed by email or phone.

**Parking:** Free covered parking available at the Embassy.

**Contact** Gil Keteltas,  
[gs.keteltas@verizon.net](mailto:gs.keteltas@verizon.net), 202.383.7060.



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