CAMPUS CONNECTIONS

A Newsletter for Burman University

Thursday, 27 February 2025



IMPORTANT ACADEMIC DATES

Feb.4 - Mar.4 50% Tuition Refund for full term courses in effect
February 27 Last day to add any second 1/2 term course

March 3 Last day to drop any second 1/2 term course without entry on permanent

record

Applications accepted for 2025/26 graduation **starting January 20.** Are you planning to graduate December 2025, April 2026 or August 2026? Apply now before the **\$25 late fee** i is in effect on **April 1, 2025**.

See Academic Dates for further information.

Week at a Glance

Sunset: 6:13 pm

Friday, February 28 @ 7:30 PM

CAYA

UBUNTU Concert

Unsung

College Church

SABBATH

ADULT SABBATH SCHOOL 9:15 AM Singspiration

Veronica Chang, Oksana Manilich, Aimi Ogawa

Superintendent:

Ken Wiebe

J.W. Bruins, Eric Ollila, Henrique Silva

Live Stream Class:

Stephane Beaulieu, Jonathan Higgins, Jose Zapata

UNIVERSITY SABBATH SCHOOL

9:45 AM **Social Eyez**

CHURCH SERVICE 11:00 AM

Speaker: Pastor Orlando Pule,

Immeasurably More

Coming up....

March 1

BUSA Banquet

Tuesday, March 4 @ 11 AM

PowerUp

Admin Chapel

March 8 & 9
Drama Society Presents:

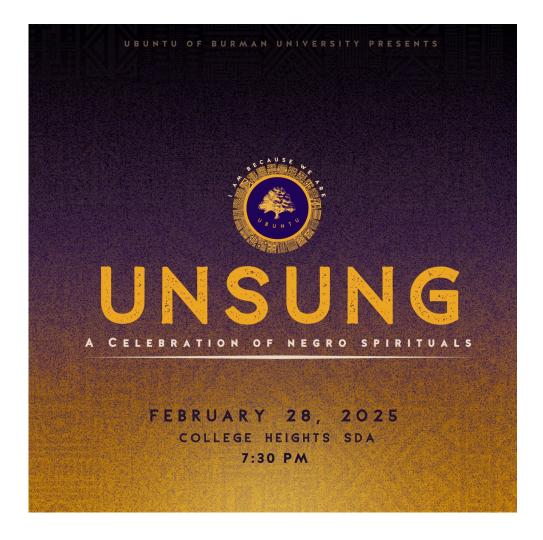
Did Someone Say Murder?

7:30 pm (doors open at 7:00) Admin Chapel

March 9

Sunday @ 4

VIÐARNEISTÍ DUO: CLARINET & MARIMBA College Church



SABBATE SCHOOL

MARK 8

@SOCIAL EYEZ

TIME | 9:45 AM - 10:45 AM

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DID SOMEONE SAY A LIPE P



A DRAMEDY IN TWO ACTS BY DAVID J. LEMASTER



General \$15
Student \$10
Tickets avaialble online
and at the door

Saturday, March 8 | Sunday, March 9 7:30 pm Administration Building Chapel

PERFORMED BY THE BURMAN UNIVERSITY DRAMA SOCIETY

GUESS WHO'S COMING TO LUNCH?

BURMAN STUDENTS - YOU ARE INVITED TO A MYSTERY HOME FOR LUNCH
ON SATURDAY, MARCH 29 - AFTER CHURCH

IF YOU NEED TRANSPORTATION, MEET IN THE CHURCH LOBBY FOR YOUR RIDE RIGHT AFTER THE CHURCH SERVICE ENDS



OUR CHURCH WANTS YOU TO FIND A PLACE AT THE TABLE



Register by March 24: use the QR code or see Chap C

Burman University student partners and kids are welcome Transportation will be provided if needed



SPONSORED BY THE COLLEGE HEIGHTS
CHURCH SOCIAL COMMITTEE







SUNDAY, MARCH 9 @ 4PM
COLLEGE HEIGHTS SDA CHURCH (BURMAN UNIVERSITY)

VIĐARNEISTÍ DUO: CLARINET & MARIMBA

Catherine Wood, Clarinet I Victoria Spark, Marimba

SCAN THE QR CODE FOR CONCERT TICKETS

FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT WWW.BURMANU.CA/SUNDAYAT4







FEEDBACK FORM - CAYA

- 1 / Fave part(s) about CAYA, what are we doing well?
- 2 / What do you want to see more of? YOUR ideas matter to us!
- 3 / Questions you want to ask the speakers! Can be funny, random, Biblical, etc.









CAYA



PR MARK TAMALEAA

"Climbing Out of the Pit of Darkness"

FRIDAY | MARCH 07 | 7:30 PM | College Heights SDA

HOPE RESTORED TOUR

with Pr Mark Tamaleaa

March 5-6, 2025
MAMAWI ATOSKETAN
NATIVE SCHOOL
11 AM Jr & Sr High
2 PM Elementary

March 7, 2025 BURMAN UNIVERSITY CAYA @College Heights Church 7:30 PM

> March 8, 2025 COMMUNITY WORSHIP @College Heights Church 11:00AM

Suicide Awareness in partnership with MAMAWI ATOSKETA NATIVE SCHOOL, BURMAN UNIVERSITY & COLLEGE HEIGHTS CHURCH

MARCH is MUSIC THERAPY AWARENESS MONTH!

By John Lawrence MMT, MTA, Certified Music Therapist Instructor, Burman University



Never heard of Music Therapy? I'm not surprised. Many people do not know about music therapy even though it has been a profession for over 50 years in Canada.

So what is music therapy? The short answer is: A certified music therapist uses music and the elements of music, such as rhythm, tonality and lyrics, to improve, heal, or maintain non-musical aspects of a person's life. It could be physical, psychological, emotional, spiritual, mental or a combination of those areas. For example, we use music to promote relaxation and decrease stress, as evidenced by decreased levels of cortisol, a neurochemical indicating stress in the brain and a higher body temperature.

That last sentence is important. Music therapy is NOT entertainment. It is based on clinical evidence that can be quantified. It is also not teaching someone to play an instrument (music teacher) or creating music (composer), although both may occur as a part of the therapeutic process to achieve a client's therapeutic goal.

Clients range in age from literally in utero to end-of-life, whenever that occurs. It is practiced in settings range from educational and healthcare settings, to a person's home or a private clinic, hospitals, or a specialized treatment facility. The client(s) does not need to have any musical experience to participate, and the goal of the music therapy treatment is jointly determined by the client and the music therapist. If appropriate, there are times when family members, spouses, and acquaintances are included in the treatment process.

Occurring worldwide, music therapy training takes place at the Bachelor, Master's and Doctorate levels of education. In Canada, all three of these options are available at educational programs approved by the Canadian Association of Music Therapists (CAMT). There are also provincial associations which represent and promote music therapy in most of the provinces. Here in Alberta, we have the Music Therapy Association for Alberta (MTAA). Government regulation of Music Therapy is pending further UCP government action, similar to other healthcare professions such as Doctors, Nurses, Pharmacists, Social Workers, Chiropractors, etc. At minimum, individuals seeking to become a music therapist take four years of post-secondary level training, followed by a 1000 hr. internship and successful completion of a Board Certification exam. During training, we are exposed to different areas of practice through fieldwork experiences and coursework. We are also required to participate in ongoing continuing education and adhere to Codes of Ethics and Standards of Practice in order to maintain our certification status.

Recently, Burman has opened a music therapy track in their Bachelor of Music program. Students will take music and non-musical courses designed to increase their understanding of persons with special needs and medical concerns such as cerebral palsy and various psychiatric and emotional disorders such as depression. Note: While it will serve as an Introduction to Music therapy, students will not become Certified as a music therapist, upon completion of their degree.

To find out more about music therapy, I encourage you to look at the websites listed earlier in the article. You may also contact me directly through my Burman e-mail: johnlawrence@burmanu.ca.

HAPPY MUSIC THERAPY AWARENESS MONTH!



UNI IS ALREADY STRESSFUL ENOUGH

-DON'T LET MONEY ADD TO IT!





APPOINTMENTS
AVAILABLE

TUE

4:00-8:00 PM

THU

5:00-8:00 PM

Book now at https://appt.link/Writing-Centre/WritingCentre

For inquiries or virtual meetings email wcdirector@burmanu.ca

When you're taking a test and everyone starts using a ruler but you thought the answer was Abraham Lincoln





