



WEEKS 1 & 2

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WEEK 1

March 29th-April 4th

- On Monday, March 29, spring term commenced with the first day of classes!
- On Thursday, April 1, Bhante Sathi, a highly respected Buddhist monk from Sri Lanka, led a meditation session. Michael Berler '23 felt renewed by Mr. Sathi's meditation techniques!
- On Friday, April 2, disabilities scholar Ralph James Savarese dispelled misguided notions about autism in the first convocation of spring term.
- On Friday, April 2, the OCS office hosted an information session for the program: Globalization & Local Responses in India.
- On Saturday, April 3, Queer in Faith hosted their first meeting of spring term. This group explores the intersection of queerness and spirituality through discussion, community, and the occasional guest speaker.

WEEK 2

April 5th-April 11th

- On Sunday, April 4, intramural sports kicked off this term with a socially distanced kickball game.
- On Monday, April 5, the Carleton chapel hosted speaker and writer Professor Fred Amran, a child survivor of the Holocaust, to speak about his experiences as a Jew in Nazi Germany, reflecting on racism as it found expression in both Nazi and American contexts.
- On Thursday, April 8, the BIPOC Spring Wellness Event welcomed all BIPOC students for a series of activities to support well-being and build connections.
- On Friday, April 9, the Office of Intercultural Life hosted the Black Faculty-Student Event, aimed at increasing interaction between Carleton's black students and faculty.
- On Friday, April 9, journalist May Dusenbery '08 delivered the second convocation: "Doing Harm: How Gender Bias in Medicine Leaves Women Dismissed, Misdiagnosed, and Sick." Dusenbery examined a medical system rife with inequities in its diagnosis and treatment of women versus men.

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