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Dear Faculty, Students, and Staff,

From funding from the Student Senate and the Maine Humanities Council, the Humanities and Social Science Department is sponsoring a Celebration of Wabanaki Arts and Culture. Barry Dana (member of the Penobscot Nation) will be coming to KVTC on Wednesday, March 29 . He will address our Humanities class from 11 until 12:20 and then continue with his presentation for the entire student body from 12:30 until 1:30. This will take place in the Campus Center in King Hall.

Barry Dana is the director of the Preservation Center for Wabanaki Arts and Culture. To convey aspects of the Wabanaki Culture, Barry demonstrates basketry, shelter making, moose calling, bow and drill firemaking, rope making, medicinal and edible plants and Penobscot music. Barry will also bring as part of his demonstration a full size birchbark wigwam, a birchbark canoe, and hand drum made of moose hide, and many other cultural items.

Please bring your lunch and enjoy this celebration on March 26, 2000.

Humanities and Social Science Department

Any questions, contact Jan Tarbuck