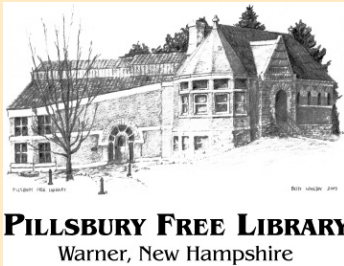


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Staff Contact Hours

Mon. & Wed. 10 am - 5 pm
Tues. & Thurs. 9 am - 6 pm
Saturday 9 am - 2 pm



*Although the library is closed to the public, staff are here to assist you and **you can borrow books**, etc by phone 603-456-2289, email, or from the website catalog at warner.lib.nh.us*

Community News From Your Library

Published weekly on Thursdays - Tell your Friends and Neighbors!

If you missed some newsletters, find them or subscribe at warner.lib.nh.us/library-news. Check your "social" or "promotions" email folders. If you are subscribed, it helps to add the newsletter@warner.lib.nh.us address to your contacts for reliable delivery.

In and Around Warner



March winds..

Winds brought down many trees early this week, like this one on *Kearsarge Mountain Road* (photo by Ed Bender), and others on North Road, and Route 103 in both directions. Warner's DPW was prompt in clearing up everything they could to maintain access and safe travel.

April Showers: (actually, it was March 28)
Spring Peepers have already been heard! Learn about and listen to them here: wildlife.state.nh.us/wildlife/profiles/peeper-frog.html

Spring Celebrations

April 2 Good Friday,
April 4 Easter Sunday.
April 12 Ramadan begins

United Church of Warner Easter Service
10 am Sunday April 4 can be watched at ucwarner.org. Music and message is also available [on youtube](#).

At **Magdalen College** in Warner, **Holy**

Keep your voter registration active!

Voter Checklist Verification - 04/10/21

9:00 - 9:30 AM Warner Town Hall

New Hampshire law requires that the Supervisors of the Checklist **verify the checklist every ten years**. Any person on the checklist **who has not voted in the past four years** must re-register to remain on the checklist. The Supervisors are sending notice letters to those voters at the address the voter provided when registering. They will hold a session for **re-registering voters who have not voted since April 1, 2017**, new voter registration, correction of the Checklist, and/or change of political party affiliation on: **Saturday, April 10, 2021, 9-9:30 a.m.**

Voters may check party affiliation on-line: app.sos.nh.gov/Public/PartyInfo.aspx

NH COVID vaccination Information

vaccines.nh.gov or call 211. Summary at <https://www.nhpr.org/post/your-guide-coronavirus-vaccines-new-hampshire>

Current cases of Covid-19 in Warner: 6 active cases. with a **total of 143 cases so far**, an increase of **4** from last week's newsletter.

CDC interim public health guidelines for fully vaccinated people: [HERE](#)

Kearsarge Regional School District

News at <https://www.kearsarge.org/>.
Reminder: the Independent student work day was shifted from April 1 to Friday April 16 to accommodate the second-dose

Week activities [schedule here.](#)

The college welcomes visitors to all of its liturgies. Masks are required and seating is in a designated area. (603) 456-2656.

Warner Transfer and Recycling Station will be CLOSED **Easter Sunday, April 4.**

Warner Fall Foliage Festival Board will meet by Zoom on **Monday, April 5** at 7 pm link is on the [Warner Events Calendar](#). Get involved in planning!

Town committees... When/What?

Calendar <https://warner.nh.us/calendar> & details and links at warner.nh.us/agenda

Selectboard will meet Tues. April 6 at 7 pm with election officials via zoom to discuss the location of the **Town Meeting business discussion** session that is scheduled for **Saturday, May 1, 2021 at 9 AM** **Warrant TENTATIVE ideas include:** Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum (outdoors) or Town Hall inside and also on the lawn.

2020 TOWN REPORT is now [available online](#) and has been mailed. Limited copies will be at Warner Town Hall.

To receive **Town notices or emergency alerts**, sign up at <https://warner.nh.us/keep-in-touch/>

vaccination event for district personnel.

2020 IRS tax filing deadline has been extended from April 15 to **May 17, 2021**. The Library has Tax forms and copy service, computer use by appointment.

For free Tax help (AARP): nhtaxhelp.org or call 211.

As of April 1, 2021, **Concord Regional VNA** and **Central NH VNA & Hospice** combined into one agency known as **Granite VNA**. www.granitevna.org. They continue to provide online health-related programs via Zoom, such as one on April 16 at 10 am for [National Healthcare Decisions day. online program](#) see their [calendar](#) for others

New Hampshire Telephone Museum has announced in a news email that **Paul Violette**, president and curator of the museum, Chairman of the board and "overall go-to guy", is packing up and moving to Florida with his wife, Lisa. Paul's active involvement and knowledge base have been an anchor of the museum, as well as the [American Legion Post 39](#), so he will be greatly missed, but the Museum assures us all the good work will continue uninterrupted!

Warner Authors, and Literacy Day

Happy National Library Week (starting April 4)!

David Elliott's new book in verse, [The Seventh Raven](#), is now available [at the library](#) and [at MainStreet BookEnds](#). Accessible for teens and adults, beautifully written in the voices of each character, to flesh out the Grimm short story about the seven ravens.

Local Author interview: Former Warner resident **Rebecca Carroll** was interviewed March 17, 2021 about her memoir, [Surviving the White Gaze](#). on **Trevor Noah's Daily Social Distancing Show**, www.youtube.com/watch?v=V7n5KEZZzql

MainStreet Warner Inc. and **Simonds Elementary School** are thrilled to announce that this year's **Literacy Day** author will be Warner's own **Matt Forrest Esenwine**, who will visit all the students to discuss writing and the creative process on May 17. **The MainStreet Warner Annual Literacy Day** is a collaboration started in 2005, along with **MainStreet BookEnds**, to bring well-known New England authors and illustrators to the school for children to meet. Through this collaboration each student in their grade receives one of the author's autographed books.

MainStreet Warner is seeking donations to assist in the purchase of these books. Please send checks to MSW, Inc. PO Box 130 in Warner, or contribute [on line right here](#). Please be sure to designate that your contribution is to go towards the MainStreet Warner Literacy Project.

More Sources of Area News

Newspapers/ Print

Sunday Concord Monitor community news column in Contoocook Valley section: Elibet Chase will be starting in April. EMAIL your news to: towncrier@gmail.com
InterTown Record weekly newspaper (Tuesdays) Warner News column: Kathy Carson newswarner@gmail.com.

Kearsarge shopper: (mailed free) includes notices about Kearsarge School District (usually monthly) and the weekly YCN cable TV (channel 13) local program schedule. **The Messenger**, and **The Stonebridge Post** (available free at the store) also cover Warner.

Online Event listings: Things to do or view

warner.lib.nh.us/warner-events-calendar, nh365.org, visithn.gov, kearsargecalendar.com
nhhumanities.org/programs/upcoming, centerfortheartsnh.org Arts calendar
facebook.com/NHMusicCollective/

Volunteering and Jobs Available

Volunteer Opportunities

- **Jim Mitchell Park Spring Cleanup**, also to include **The Lodge at 17 Church Street**. Pick up sticks, Clip dead plant material, rake, sweep. Bring clippers, rake, gloves, bucket and tarp if you have one. **Saturday, April 24 9:30 - 11:30 am**, and Saturday May 1 (if needed)
- **The John Hay Estate at the Fells** in Newbury needs Main House volunteers this summer as Docents, Greeters, and Shop Assistant Managers. TheFells.org.

Now Hiring:

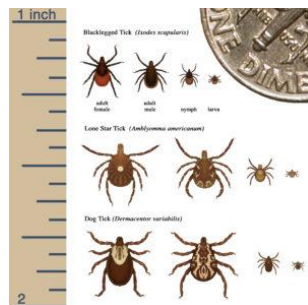
- **Kearsarge Regional School District** Full time groundskeeper and 4th Grade long term Substitute needed <http://bit.ly/2IPpk07>
- **The Local** Restaurant is looking for Full or Part Time Cooks! Currently open Tuesday - Saturday 12-7. Talk to Bill 456-6066
- **Pellettier Associates Inc Landscaping** www.pellettieriassoc.com/employment
- **Meals on Wheels Drivers** - Mountain View Senior Center, Bradford. 938-2104



Looking Back: Wednesdays-To-Go with the Library

REGISTER NOW! Wed. Apr. 7 at 6:30 pm [Jennie Powers: The Woman Who Dares](#). Presenter: Jennifer Carroll.
Cosponsor: Warner Historical Society. [Register HERE](#)
This and many other excellent presentations are listed at nhhumanities.org/programs/upcoming

"SHOP LOCAL, Shop Safely: Support local business"



Ticks are active! Be especially careful where mice have been hanging out such as leaf piles. Due to Lyme Disease and other tick-borne diseases, it is important to learn how to identify the types of tick and how to prevent bites. This and much more at



Sadly, the owners of the [Schoolhouse Cafe](#) have announced that Saturday April 3rd 2021 will be their last day of business. "We have come to the end of our 10 year lease and our lives are going in a different direction."

Caleen Fisher and Kathy Shifrin will still be offering catering from **Mink**

<https://tickfreenh.org/>

The Warner Pharmacy sells **tick removers** that I can attest will work even on the tiny Nymph tick stage, and some "natural" repellents.

Hills Catering, 603-545-5517.

The Local's open hours are now Noon to 7 pm Tues. thru Saturday.
facebook.com/TheLocalWarner/

We Recommend

To Do

Be safe: stay home and phone, Zoom, Skype or Facetime family and friends, or learn something new...

Ask the library to set up a Zoom meeting link for you! Training is also available by phone or Zoom, or we can send you instructions.

"First" Thursday Hike at [The Fells](#) NOW Thurs. **April 8**, 11 am to Noon
<https://thefells.org/view-by-date/2021/4/1/first-thursday-hike-at-the-fells> Members Free, others pay fee.

Museum news:

The Currier Museum of Art will [reopen to the public](#) on Thursday, April 1. currier.org

NH Telephone Museum is open Tuesdays AND Saturdays in **April** – 10 am to 4 pm. Call 603-456-2234
<https://www.nhtelephonemuseum.org>

[McAuliffe-Shepard Discovery Center](#)
Reserve timed tickets from 10:30 AM - 1:00 PM or from 1:30 PM - 4:00 PM online at starhop.com

New exhibit items from the now-closed [Weather Discovery Center](#) include the "shaking shack"!

Library Pass users may use the "member ticket" price.

MFA- Boston: Advance timed-entry [Ticket information](#). use our promo-code "pass" - call us 603-456-2289.

The Magic of Sherlock Holmes Roger Robbins

Sherlock Holmes is forever! Readers can't get enough of him. They argue over [which actor best portrays their hero](#).

The Sherlockian address - [221B Baker Street](#) - is a mythical mecca which diehard fans seek to reproduce.

[Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's Sherlock Holmes stories](#) form the core of this great canon, but [Holmesiana](#) has spread to television and film,

while [other writers try to capture the Conan Doyle magic with Sherlock Holmes tales of their own invention](#).

And don't forget [Sherlock Holmes downloadables - ebooks and audiobooks](#).

Yes, Watson, the game is afoot! At the Pillsbury Free Library.

[Books for National Poetry Month](#)

Newest adult books for [March](#)
Find previous lists [at our catalog](#).

Remember, **we can borrow** titles not in our collection. [Just ask!](#)

Watch

NH Humanities programs online
www.nhhumanities.org/programs/upcoming

For **area events**, search online listings by zip code at nh365.org - or search by topic. Many virtual events.

April is Poetry Month! Friday, April 9, 5:30 pm **NH Center for the Arts** is hosting an evening of **poetry readings** with 2021 poetry competition winners and special guest and judge, Marie Harris, past NH Poet Laureate. This year's theme is **Native American Beauty is Diversity**. There will be a Q & A after the readings.

This poetry event is planned in collaboration with the **Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum** in Warner, and **will be signed in ASL**. <https://zoom.us/j/92742652437>

To learn more contact Dianalee Velie, dianaleevelie@aol.com or visit <https://centerfortheartsnh.org/first-fridays>

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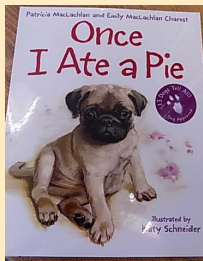
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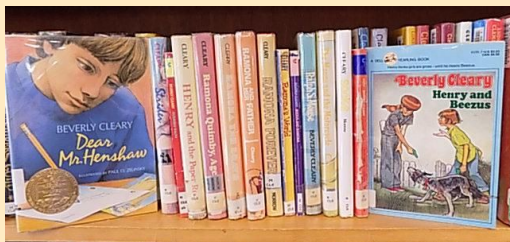
Miss Sue's News (for Kids)



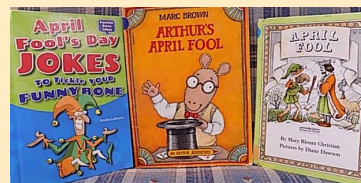
"Once I Ate a Pie" by Patricia MacLachlan is the next book for the Story Walk. Proposed date to be up is next Tuesday, April 6th. Enjoy this poetry book of dogs from the dogs' view!

April is Poetry month! There is a wide variety of [poetry](#) books in the children's room.

Sad news to hear of [Beverly Cleary's](#) passing. She was 104 years old! Her books are wonderful!



Preschool Story Time
Join Sue Matott ("Miss Sue") for [Thursday Story Times at 10:30 am](#). See the [Warner Events calendar](#) for the Zoom sign-in link. **No story time next Thursday, April 8th.**



Happy April Fools Day!
Enjoy some fun jokes or safe pranks! Laughter

and fun are in high demand these days!! These three books are great for any day: "[April Fool's Day Jokes to Tickle Your Funny Bone](#)", "[Arthur's April Fool](#)", and "[April Fool](#)".

[Great Stone Face award list 2021](#) Gr. 4-6

Our New Children's Items
[February 2021](#) (50) [March 2021](#) (so far)

[Simonds School Newsletters](#)

Following Bills in the NH Legislature

Bills and committee hearings of interest

SB 66 Restaurants - alcohol takeout after COVID - in House Committee now.

Watch the [Senate Youtube channel](#) to see committee hearings live, or later! [Senate Calendar](#) (use arrows to move to other dates). **Click on a calendar item** to see details, find a link to join on Zoom (to comment), or watch the YouTube live stream. [House Calendar](#): Committees are meeting at this time, **Next House Session: April 7 to April 9, 2021** in the NH Sportsplex facility at 68 Technology Drive in Bedford, NH.

Find the latest House business at gencourt.state.nh.us/house/caljournals/default.aspx
To see all the bills being discussed, click [here](#).

Warner's NH Legislator contact pages: Senator [Rebecca Whitley](#) (District 15). Bills that Becky has [sponsored or cosponsored](#). Representatives: [Margaret Kennedy](#) (Dist. 7) and [Natalie Wells](#) (Dist. 25). Committees, bill sponsorship and [voting records](#) are available on their pages or [search by year](#)

To speak at a committee hearing, or to register a position without speaking, go to

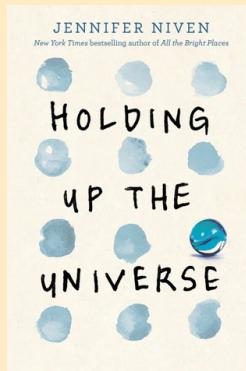
the [House testimony instructions](#) or [Senate testimony instructions](#) (links are on the right side of the [General Court home page](#)).

To find specific Bills, go to gencourt.state.nh.us.

Tracking **NH Legislation**? Let us know what Bills you think people should watch!

You can subscribe to the [NH Municipal Association](#) legislative bulletins: [recent bulletins](#).

TEEN TALK with Linda



Holding Up The Universe by [Jennifer Niven](#)

Because sometimes when you meet someone, it changes the world, theirs and yours. Everyone thinks they know Libby Strout, the girl once dubbed

"America's Fattest Teen." But no one's taken the time to look past her weight to get to know who she really is. Following her mom's death, she's been picking up the pieces in the privacy of her home, dealing with her heartbroken father and her own grief. [Read more...](#)

[Borrow from the library](#)
[Listen to a sample](#)



Altered by [Jennifer Rush](#)

They were made to forget. But they'll never forgive. Everything about Anna's life is a secret. Her father works for the Branch, at the helm of its latest

project: monitoring and administering treatments to the four genetically altered boys in the lab below their farmhouse. There's Nick, solemn and brooding; Cas, light-hearted and playful; Trev, smart and caring; and Sam . . . who's stolen Anna's heart. [Read more...](#)

[Borrow from the library](#)
[Listen to audio book or listen to a sample](#)

Registration has begun for the [2021 North Country Young Writers' Festival!](#)

READ THE [Isinglass Nominees](#) (Gr. 7-8) and [Flume nominees](#) (Gr.9-12)

Vote by April 30, 2021 for your favorite 2021 titles Here: [Isinglass](#) and [Flume](#)

Teen Docent Program for John Hay Estate At The Fells

Is your teen a history lover? Do they need community service hours? This summer The John Hay Estate at The Fells in Newbury will initiate a [Teen Docent Program](#). This is an opportunity for students to become involved in one of our most important historic sites in the community. The schedule is flexible beginning in June and ending Columbus Day weekend.

Events in Brief

Every Week

- **Monday Morning Zentangle** 9 -10:30 am via Zoom. Free. [Contact Terry Hathaway](#). Certified Zentangle Teacher to get the link.
- Pick up a **free seasonal craft** kit at the Library (call ahead, 603-456-2289)

Coming Soon

- [BookEnds BookGroup](#) reads [Telephone Tales](#) by Gianni Rodari. Sun, April 4, 4 pm
- **Jennie Powers, the Woman who Dares** Wed. April 7 at 6:30 pm. Register for Zoom link at nhhumanities.org/programs/315
- **Poetry from NHCFA competition winners**, April 9, 5:30 pm zoom.us/j/92742652437
- **Library Book Group** Wed. April 14, 1:30 pm



via Zoom (link on events calendar) [The Woman who smashed Codes](#) by Fagone. Call the library for a copy.

- **Social History of the Mink Hills** presented by Rebecca Courser, Wed. April 28, 7pm, online [Register Here](#)
- **TOWN MEETING!** Sat. May 1, at 9 am.
- **Plant sale** at Mt Kearsarge Indian Museum, Sat. June 5, 10 to 4 pm

Check the [Warner Events Calendar](#) for events links
For other events, see <https://nh365.org>,
<https://www.kearsargecalendar.com/>
and <https://www.centerfortheartsnh.org/>

Social History of the Mink Hills

April 28, 7pm
With Rebecca Courser



J. Frank Emerson Farm - East Joppy



Library Trustees' Meetings

Library Trustee committees meetings by Zoom include the **Monthly Board Meeting on the third Tuesday of each month at 6:15 pm**, and various Committee meetings, some that meet monthly, are usually at 6 pm..

Zoom links to Trustee meetings are published 24-48 hours in advance on the [Warner Events Calendar](#). Approved minutes are published on the [Trustee Meetings page](#).

Your donations keep Library services strong!



New item! Colorful cotton corner **bookmarks** lovingly crafted and donated by Marcia Moyer are the gentle way to mark your place in a book. when you have to pause your reading. Available by donation. Stop by to select your personal favorite.

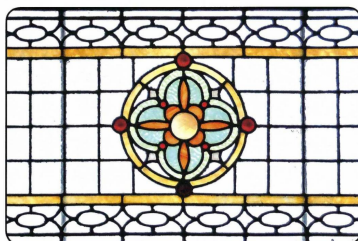
You can also donate to buy a **perennial houseplant**. **Spider plants, Hoya, and Christmas cacti** available. Call 456-2289 to arrange a time to pick up your plant.



The **Circle of Friends "buy it now" sale** of items has a few items available. Items photos can be found in [an album on Facebook](#). Our sincere thanks to donors and buyers!

Contributions to the library may be [donated online](#), mailed to P. O. Box 299, Warner NH 03278 or put in the bookdrop! [Contact us](#) if you have any questions.

Stained glass theme **"Thank You" cards** (3 for \$5), or other non-specific stained glass cards (5 for \$10), pictured here. Call 456-2289 to arrange for pickup.



Photos of DVDs for sale have been added to our **ONLINE BOOK SALE from Facebook photo album** (no FB account needed to view or buy: click "not now" to view). Just [call or email us](#) if you see something in the photos you want to purchase. Price = you choose your donation. **All books for sale have been isolated for many weeks.**

Purchase plants, cards or Simply Donate [HERE](#)

