Pillsbury Free Library News | April 8, 2021, Warner, N.H.



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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 <u>warner.lib.nh.us/library-news</u> 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



Happy National Library Week!

Town committees... When/What?
Calendar https://warner.nh.us/calendar & details and links at warner.nh.us/agenda

Mink Hills Recreation Study Committee: Monday April 12, 7:00 pm via Zoom .Details and link at https://warner.nh.us/agenda/?show=mhr

Town Meeting business discussion session is scheduled for Saturday, May 1, 2021 at 9 AM See Warrant Location: Town Hall, inside and on lawn.

2020 TOWN REPORT is available online

Hydrant flushing will take place in the village over the course of 3 weeks: April 8 thru April 30, 2021. In buildings within the Warner Village Water District you may notice a decrease in water pressure or slight discoloration in your water at times during this period. Flushing of the hydrants is done two times a year, in April and November.

Keep your voter registration active!
Voter Checklist Verification - Saturday
April 10, 9 - 9:30 AM Warner Town Hall.
Any person on the checklist who has not
voted in the past four years must reregister to remain on the checklist. This
session is for re-registering voters who
have not voted since April 1, 2017, and
also new voter registration, correction of
the Checklist, and/or change of political
party affiliation.

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: 23 active cases, with a total of 165 cases so far, an increase of 22 from last week's newsletter. (read on...)

Eric Buck, Professor & Interim President of Magdalen College asked us on Monday to share this: "in the last several days the college has had an outbreak of coronavirus. We have had to close the campus to all outsiders and are requiring students to stay on campus. Daily Mass has been cancelled this week."

WMUR reported the DHHS Covid alert: www.wmur.com/article/community-exposure-alert-after-covid-19-outbreak-atmagdalen-college-in-warner/36039872 and the Union Leader reported further

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

SPRING Youth SOCCER Registration is OPEN! Spring soccer will be every Tuesday from May 4 - May 25 (4 weeks). for 4 weeks. \$40 per player, ages 4-14 (pre-k/and grade school).

Held at Simonds Elementary School right after school, this program is organized by WYSA and coached by NEC's Soccer coach and team.

Registration **deadline** is **APRIL 13**. https://go.teamsnap.com/forms/263331

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.

details April 6 and April 7.

How effective are the COVID-19 vaccines? Should you bother getting vaccinated? A good overview with helpful FAQs is provided by Dartmouth Hichcock at https://www.dartmouth-hitchcock.org/covid19/vaccine-effectiveness

CDC interim public health guidelines for fully vaccinated people: <u>HERE</u>

Kearsarge Regional School District
News at https://www.kearsarge.org/
includes a letter about in-person vs remote learning at KRSD in response to Governor Sununu's Emergency order #89.
Reminder: Independent student work day Friday April 16 to accommodate the second-dose vaccination event for District personnel.

Warner People

Condolences to the family of **John E Marsh** who passed away <u>March 24, 2021.</u> **Services** will be **Saturday April 10**, 2021 at 10 o'clock at the United Church of Warner.

Some of you know the talented **Jonmichael Tarleton**, son of Angela and Kevin Tarleton **See his Musical Theater Reel** on YouTube www.youtube.com/watch?v=yZAhvkxEsCQ

In a list of special books on Bookpage for this month, **Earthday suggestions**: the first is a new book by Charles Ghigna & Warner's **Matt Forrest Esenwine**: https://bookpage.com/features/26139-make-every-day-earth-day-childrens

See the recommendations section below for **David Elliott's** talk at Gibson's Bookstore.

We recently updated our page of <u>Warner writers and illustrators</u> to include **Dr. Anthony Esolen**, resident of Warner since 2017. He is a writer, social commentator, translator of classical poetry, including Dante and Lucretius, and Writer-in-Residence at <u>Magdalen College of the Liberal Arts.</u>

Warner Wildlife

Do Possums Socially Distance?

Nancy Ladd was surprised to catch a Possum on her critter cam several nights last week, but even more surprised to discover it coordinating with a porcupine in the wee hours one night... (no masks required since they were outdoors and properly socially distancing).

Send us your photos to share!



Earth Day Projects

Volunteer Opportunities - Earth Day Cleanup projects

- Warner Parks and Recreation Department: Thursday April 15, Meeting at Bagley
 Park for a 10am start to pickup trash for the Adopt-A-Highway Program in Warner,
 We have vests and gloves, you can bring your own as well. Please spread the
 word, any help is appreciated. It is usually done with 1-1/2 hours. Rain or Shine
 event.
- A new Facebook group called <u>Warner Cares</u> has been set up by Jody Sloane as " a community group focused on organizing local-based actions with a global impact." Anyone can ask to be added to the group. The first event posted is an **Earth Day Cleanup Event on April 24th and 25th**. Meet up is at 10 a.m. at the Park and Ride on either day. There you will receive bags and gloves, and trash claws for anyone who struggles with mobility. Pick your area to work on, but focus is Main Street (103) from Exit 9 south to Exit 8. At noon they will check-in at the Jim Mitchell Park to lend a hand with their cleanup if necessary. Do only what you are comfortable doing. Please observe all COVID-19 precautions.
- 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. (editor's NOTE: May 1 is Town Meeting day)



Looking Back: Wednesdays-To-Go with the Library

30 people attended <u>Jennie Powers: The Woman Who</u> <u>Dares.</u> **Many other excellent presentations** are listed at <u>nhhumanities.org/programs/upcoming</u>

"SHOP LOCAL, Shop Safely: Support local business"

How does the American Rescue Plan Act affect employers? https://www.shrm.org/ResourcesAnd Tools

Now Hiring, locally:

Warner McDonald's is hiring for all shifts! Full or part time, competitive pay, flexible schedules, tuition assistance, 401k and much more! Visit and grab an application or Apply Online HERE or Call 603-456-2805 and ask Elizabeth Bushaw for more details.



Bagley Pond Perennials is looking for part time greenhouse help. Hours and days are flexible. Please contact Denise on Messenger or email at Natives@bagleypondperennials.com Website: bagleypondperennials.com/

<u>Cafe One East</u> is looking for a parttime Barista. Contact Shawn Coe.

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.

Museum news:

April is National Poetry Month Roger Robbins

The power of a poem was wonderfully demonstrated when Amanda Gorman delivered her inauguration poem The Hill We Climb, now available as a book. Her words electrified a national audience, riveting their attention and their feelings - things a good poem should do!

Enjoy fine poetry from Pillsbury Free

The Currier Museum of Art reopened 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 nowclosed Weather Discovery Center
include the "shaking shack"!
Library Pass users may use the

MFA- Boston: Advance timed-entry Ticket information. use our promocode "pass" - call us 603-456-2289.

"member ticket" price.

Mt Kearsarge Indian Museum will open for the season on May 1. Hours Monday through Saturday, 10 am to 4 pm, Sundays, noon to 4 pm. Reservations encouraged but not required.

Colby-Sawyer Lunch and Learn - Dine' Navajo Culture, Tradition, and Spirituality, via Zoom.
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 14 at Noon Speaker: The Rev. Cornelia Eaton Canon to the Ordinary for Ministry & Program Director of Hozhó Wellness Center for Women, The Episcopal Church in Navajoland.
Find Link info at IndianMuseum.org

Tick-Safe Strategies for Outdoor Activities: Learn how to teach others to prevent tick bites and avoid illness. <u>Tickfreenh</u> workshop for ticksafe strategies via a train-the-trainer format. **Friday May 7**, 8:30 to 11:30 AM. Register <u>HERE</u> Library.
Sample an anthology of New
Hampshire poetry or read one of
these outstanding poets with New
Hampshire ties (there are many
more!): starred names are connected
to Warner!
Deborah Brown*
Alice Fogel
Donald Hall
Jane Kenyon
Maxine Kumin*
Roy Morrison*
Sharon Olds

Interested in learning more about poetry in the Granite State? Visit the Poetry Society of New Hampshire

Charles Simic

PFL Books for National Poetry Month

Newest adult books for <u>March</u> and <u>APRIL</u> 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/upc
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Did you miss the program on Indigenous Peoples of Warner on March 31? You can watch the recording on the Warner Historical Society's youtube channel

Did you miss **David Elliott's** talk at Gibson's Bookstore about his book the Seventh Raven? It is on Gibson's Youtube at https://www.youtube.com/watch? v=T2h6aL blpU

For **other area events**, search online listings at nhants/.org



April is Poetry Month! Friday, April 9, watch and listen to Poetry readings by contest winners on the theme Native American Beauty is Diversity: https://centerfortheartsnh.org/first-fridays

Other Online Event listings: Things to do or view

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

Miss Sue's News (for Kids)



These cute ladybugs are the next craft that Miss Sue will be sending home in your book bags. Enjoy!! Something fun, easy, and bright for spring!

April is Poetry month! There is a wide variety of <u>poetry</u> books in the children's room. The poetry book is now on the story walk for the month.

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

Simonds School Newsletters

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.



Great Stone Face voting system this year is on a Google form ballot that can accept a single vote at a time. This is for all 4th, 5th, and 6th graders so they can vote on their own. You can access the ballot here: https://forms.gle/8LyrAm3i3SNpQxFa

Miss Sue will have a **"Great Stone Face Party"** on Zoom if there are kids in grades 4-6 who would like to participate. We will be voting then, rather than doing it on your own, and we always play a fun game related to the books. Contact Miss Sue if you are interested- proposed date- April 22nd at 5:30 PM.

Great Stone Face award list 2021 Gr. 4-6

Following Bills in the NH Legislature

<u>Senate Calendar</u> (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. **on the Senate Youtube channel** live, or later!

Find the latest House business at gencourt.state.nh.us/house/caljourns/default.aspx To see all the bills being discussed, click here. House Calendar

Warner's NH Legislator contact pages: Senator <u>Rebecca Whitley</u> (District 15). Bills that Becky has <u>sponsored or cosponsored</u>.

Representatives: <u>Margaret Kennedy</u> (Dist. 7) and <u>Natalie Wells</u> (Dist. 25). Committees, bill sponsorship and <u>voting records</u> are available on their pages or <u>search by year</u>

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.

You can subscribe to the <u>NH Municipal Association</u> legislative bulletins: <u>recent bulletins</u>.

TEEN TALK with Linda

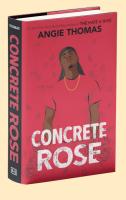
Concrete Rose
by Angie Thomas

If there's one thing seventeen-year-old Maverick Carter knows, it's that a real man takes care of his family. As the son of a former gang legend, Mav does



The Quantum
Weirdness of the
Almost Kiss
by Amy Noelle Parks

Seventeen-year-old Evie Beckham has always been too occupied with her love of math and frequent battles with anxiety to



that the only way he knows how: dealing for the King Lords. With this money he can help his mom, who works two jobs while his dad's in prison.Life's not perfect, but Read more...

Borrow from the library

Watch the Trailer
Read the ebook or listen to audio book

want to date. Besides, she's always found the idea of kissing to be kind of weird. But by senior year, thanks to therapy and her friends, she's feeling braver than before. Maybe even brave enough to enter a national math and physics competition or flirt Read more...

Borrow from the library

READ THE <u>Isinglass Nominees</u> (Gr. 7-8) and <u>Flume nominees</u> (Gr.9-12) Vote by April 30, 2021 for your favorite 2021 titles Here: <u>Isinglass</u> and <u>Flume</u>

Events in Brief

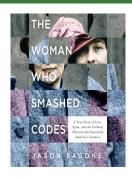
Every Week

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

Coming Soon

- 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) <u>The</u> <u>Woman who smashed Codes</u> 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, at Warner Town Hall, inside and outside seating.
- Plant sale at Mt Kearsarge Indian Museum, Sat. June 5, 10 to 4 pm.

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







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..

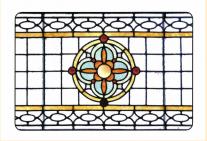
Zoom links to Trustee meetings are published 24-48 hours in advance on the <u>Warner Events Calendar</u>. Approved minutes are published on the <u>Trustee Meetings page</u>.

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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





