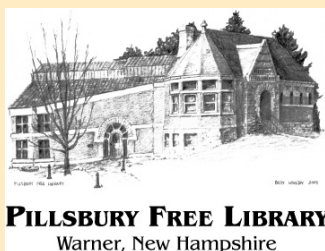


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Staff Contact Hours

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



*The library plans to reopen to walk-ins by the end of June 2021. Meanwhile, **you can borrow books**, by phone 603-456-2289, email, or from the website catalog at warner.lib.nh.us*

Community News From Your Library

Emailed weekly on Thursdays - Welcome to more new Subscribers!

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.

Library News



The wooden floors in the Historic section of the library will be getting refinished next week, so **we will not have access to the fiction section all week**, except for the newest books and anything returned that week. DVDs and Audios are boxed up. Many thanks to the Circle of Friends fundraising efforts and all the donors last year who made this project possible. We hope to put everything back in place the week of June 21, **to be ready to open for walk-in visitors by June 28.**

InterLibrary Loan in New Hampshire will be a little faster now that the State Librarian has ended the 3-day quarantine rules at each end of the transfer, due to low Covid numbers and high vaccination levels.

Along the same lines, anyone borrowing items from the library **can now pick up as soon as they wish** after the items are ready: it is now up to you to decide how soon to pick up or open your bundle after staff have packed it. **More next week about protocols for coming walk-in visits**, and safety procedures we will be following.

In and Around Warner

News from the Tues. June 8 **Board of Selectmen Meeting:**

Town Hall will be reopening for walk-in business on June 21. Group events will be considered at a later date. Mask wearing is requested for non-vaccinated visitors..

Steve Reddy was given permission for for music events in relation to a liquor license in the location known as "The Local" so he can proceed with plans to open a new restaurant by Sept.2021. More details in business section below.

The next Red Cross Blood Drive at United Church of Warner is Friday June 11, 1 pm - 6 pm. at United Church of Warner. Call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or RedCrossBlood.org and enter **WARNER** to schedule an appointment.

Warner Connects NH Food Pantry Stuff-a-Cruiser was a great success. Donations filled the SUV and almost 200 bags of food were collected! They thank the [Warner Police Department](http://WarnerPoliceDepartment), Market

Town committees... When/What?

Monday June 14 at 7 pm **Mink Hills Recreation Activity Committee**

Tuesday June 15 at 7 pm **Selectboard work session** : Agricultural Commission applicants.

Library Trustees 6:30 pm (New Time) - in-person, with Zoom option for public.

Wed. June 16, 6 pm **Economic Development committee**

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

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

Basket and the wonderful volunteers ! A shout out to the community for your continued support.

Miss the **Stuff-a Cruiser** event? Drop off items any weekday at the tent behind the Warner Community Center, 46 W. Main Street.

The Spring Book Sale at Pillsbury Free Library Sat. June 5 made **\$680!**

School District news [Keepers.org](https://www.keepers.org)
NEW! District reopening plan 2.0

Class of 2021 Commencement
Saturday, June 12, 1 pm (rain date: 6/13)

Last Day of School (Projected)
Tuesday, Jun 15, 2021.

Simonds School calendar:
May 27: 5th Gr. Environmental Camp
June 14: Davis Awards.

Warner People

Condolences to the family of **Larry Pletcher**, owner of The Vegetable Ranch, who passed away May 12. **A potluck and celebration of life will be held Sat. June 12** at 2 pm at The Vegetable Ranch. [Obituary](#) An article was published in the [Concord Monitor Wednesday June 9](#) about the continued operation of the Farm.

Fire Department Officer changes: From [Warner Fire Rescue Facebook](#) June 4: Yesterday our own WFD Fire Chief **Sean Toomey** proudly accepted the nomination of **NH State Fire Marshal**. The department is more than proud and we are confident he will do well in his new endeavor.

Marshal Toomey's duties unfortunately do not allow him to continue his service on our local department as Chief and Advanced EMT. He will be greatly missed as he is one of our largest call responders. We would like to thank him and his family for 12 years of dedicated service to our community and we wish him well.

Please join us in congratulating the following promotions:

Chief: Jonathan France

1st Deputy: Edward Raymond

2nd Deputy: Brian Monaghan

Captain: [Paul Raymond](#)

Lieutenant: Peter Ladd

Garden Visitors



This Snapping Turtle was spotted on June 8 as it laid its eggs in a sandy "lawn" in Warner. Gestation of the eggs averages 90 days, ranging from 80 to 120 days. Laying occurs any time between late April

and late June, and will often happen in freshly tilled gardens, and on sandy slopes. Predators of the ping-pong ball style eggs include raccoons.

Beware of getting too close, if you see one



More "nests" were found later in the veggie

COVID updates and vaccine info

Current cases of Covid-19 in Warner: 1-4 [active cases](#), with a **total of 203 cases so far**, an increase of **one** from last week's newsletter. Keep up the good work!

New Hampshire's state of emergency that has been in effect since March 2020 will come to an **end midnight Friday** [June 11], Gov. Chris Sununu announced Thursday June 10. Although the state of emergency is expiring, the state epidemiologist, Dr. Benjamin Chan, noted that the pandemic isn't over. The virus is still surging in much of the world, and there are currently 345 known cases in New Hampshire. (source: [WMUR](#))

NH COVID vaccination Information vaccines.nh.gov or call 211.

Governor Sununu's Covid-19 [Universal Best Practices](#) became effective May 7, 2021

We Recommend

To Do

NH State Parks are using the same [reservation system](#) as last year. Save \$\$ using a [library pass](#),

For NH Museum links and info about library passes, visit warner.lib.nh.us/museum-passes/

The Currier Museum of Art
currier.org.

NH Telephone Museum
<https://www.nhtelephonemuseum.org>

McAuliffe-Shepard Discovery Center
starhop.com

MFA- Boston: no masks required for visitors and staff,. **To use our promo-code** "pass", call us 603-456-2289.

Mt Kearsarge Indian Museum
Mon. through Sat., 10 am to 4 pm,
Sundays, noon to 4 pm.

The **Nature Discovery Museum** in Warner (next to the Indian Museum) is open! <https://ndcnh.org>
Friday and Sunday: Noon – 4:00 PM
Saturdays - 10:30 AM – 4:00 PM

From Our Collections:

A Book and a Show! (everything but the popcorn) by Roger Robbins

See a show, then read the book; or, read the book, then watch the show. It's great fun to compare the two and to enjoy a great story all over again.

[All Creatures Great and small](#)
[The Art of Racing in the Rain](#)
[Best Exotic Marigold Hotel](#)
[The Cider House Rules](#)
[Cloud Atlas](#)
[The Girl on the Train](#)
[House of Sand and Fog](#)
[Me Before You](#)
[Olive Kitteridge](#)
[Sarah's Key](#)
and more!

Find our Newest adult books
for [March](#) [APRIL](#) and [MAY](#)

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

Watch

NH Audubon's exploring connections series on Zoom
Becoming a MOTH-er June 15, 7pm
by Jerry Skinner, Naturalist

[Preview of Tory Hill Author Series](#) by
Lynn Clark of the Warner Hist. Soc.

Business News

Steve Reddy, owner/manager of **The Flannel Tavern in Chichester** plans to open a new restaurant in the location of The Local.

MainStreet BookEnds **reopens to the public on June 15!**

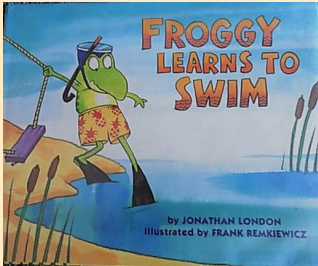
Mike Stockbridge of Plugged In

"Reed's Tavern" will be open Weds. thru Sunday for "Elevated American Cuisine" similar to the [Flannel Tavern's menu](#), draft beers, and live music on Sunday afternoons. He hopes to open by Sept. 1, 2021 and include some outdoor table spaces. facebook.com/FlannelTavern/

Music Lesson Studio in Warner is holding monthly contests giving away one month of lessons along with a \$25 gift card from MainStreet BookEnds of Warner. To enter this month tell him your top 5 favorite albums (by June 16). Submit on [his Facebook page](#)

FREE! Online books, magazines and more! Check our Website.

Miss Sue's News (for Kids)



"Froggy Learns to Swim" by Jonathan London is the next book for the **Rail Trail Story Walk**. It will be installed Tues., June

15th, in the afternoon.

Sign up now for the **FREE Children's summer program** - contact Miss Sue for more info. or go to: warner.lib.nh.us/kids/summer-programs/ Pick which day(s) you can come, or come to all of them! Please register so Miss Sue knows how many to expect.



Preschool Story Time Join Sue Matott ("Miss Sue") for **Thursday Story Times at 10:30 am.**

Outdoors, in-person story time!

The small grassy area at MainStreet BookEnds by the patio is where Miss Sue will be. Bring a "picnic blanket" or seats and meet there at 10:30 am. Questions? Call 603-456-2289 or email Miss Sue.

Our New Children's Items

[April 2021](#) [May 2021](#) [June 2021](#)

"Theatre in the Field 2021"

Abigail Bower will be holding auditions June 21 and 22, 5:30-7:30 pm for **"In Defense of Dandelions"** - **exploring shifting energies of our time**, a workshop/performance opportunity on Kearsarge Gore Farm through the months of July and August, with some final performances for the public in September. This will be a workshopped/improv event in which participants, led by the director, will build a number of performance pieces from scratch, with the goal of a final collaborative performance. For more info visit www.abigailbower.com/theatreinthefield

TEEN TALK with Linda

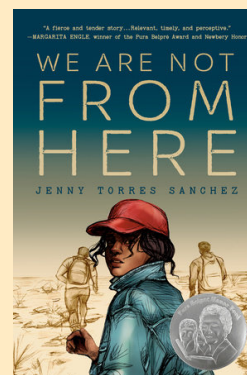


Running

By **Natalia Sylvester**
An Isinglass (Gr. 6-8)
nominee

When fifteen-year-old Cuban American Mariana Ruiz's father runs for president, Mari starts to see him with new

eyes. A novel about waking up and standing up, and what happens when you stop seeing your dad as your hero—while



We Are Not From Here

by **Jenny Torres Sanchez**
A Flume (Gr. 9-12)
nominee

Pulga has his dreams. Chico has his grief. Pequeña has her pride. And these three

teens have one another. But none of them have illusions about the town they've grown

the whole country is watching. [Read more](#)

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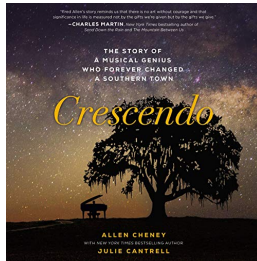
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Crescendo
by Allen
Cheney, Julie
Cantrell

This affecting
novel is based
on the life of
the author's

grandfather, Fred Allen, a musical prodigy who suffered unspeakable neglect in a Georgia mill town before escaping to New... [Read More/Download](#)



**Extinction
Earphones
Award Winner**
by Hannie
Rayson

With bright-
sounding
innocence,

Sarah Drew portrays an American zoologist working in Australia who makes the discovery of a lifetime... [Read More/Download](#)

Events in Brief

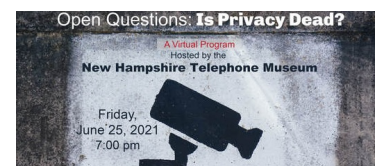
Every Week

- [Warner Area Farmer's Market](#) **Saturdays**, 9 am - 1 pm at Warner Town Hall lawn.
- **Warner Historical Soc.** "[barnsale](#)" outdoors, Saturdays 9 am -12 pm
- **Library Story Time** Thursdays 10:30 am

Coming Soon

- [Navajo Weaving Workshop](#) at MKIM Saturday, June 12, 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM
- **NH Telephone Museum** virtual program "OPEN QUESTIONS: IS PRIVACY DEAD?" June 25 at 7 pm. [REGISTER](#)
- **Warner Democrats** meeting Sun. June 27 at 3 pm in Jim Mitchell Community Park.
- Public reading of historic [speech by Frederick Douglass](#) Sat. July 3 at Noon, Town Hall lawn.
- **Tory Hill Author Series:** [Ty Gagne](#), author of [Last Traverse](#), Sat. July 10 at 7 pm via Zoom.

Check the [Warner Events Calendar](#) for events links



Other 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/,

Library Trustees' Meetings

Library Trustee committees meetings include the **Monthly Board Meeting on the third Tuesday of each month (at 6:30 pm in person this month!)**, 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](#).

On Tuesday May 18, the Library Board of Trustees voted to aim for **reopening the library to brief in-person browsing around June 28, 2021**. The decision is based on low levels of local Covid-19 cases, increasing vaccination levels, and waiting for completion of a **floor refinishing project which is scheduled for Mid June**. The floor project will require moving furniture and shelves.

Your donations keep Library services strong!



Houseplants for sale. Call 456-2289 to arrange a time to select your plant.
New! **Oregano plants.**



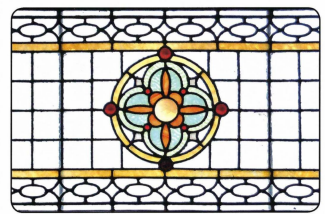
Colorful cotton corner **bookmarks** crafted and donated by Marcia Moyer are the gentle way to mark your place in a book.



Many thanks to those who helped with the book sale and/or purchased items on Saturday June 5: we received an astonishing \$640 in donations in 3 hours!

Stained glass theme **"Thank You" cards** (3 for \$5), or other non-specific library stained glass cards (5 for \$10), pictured here.

Call 603-456-2289 to arrange for pickup.



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.

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

