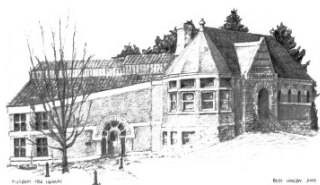


Pillsbury Free Library News August 25, 2021, Warner, N.H.



PILLSBURY FREE LIBRARY
Warner, New Hampshire

Hours (for now)

Mon. & Wed. 10 am - 5 pm
Tues. & Thurs. 9 am - 6 pm
CLOSED for lunch 12-1.
Saturday 9 am - 2 pm



The library reopened to

walk-ins for short visits on
June 28, 2021. **You can**
also 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 - We now have 771 Subscribers!

You may need to click "view entire message" at the bottom to see ALL the news!

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

Town committees... are now meeting In-person at Town Hall (no Zoom, yet):

Warner Board of Selectmen Tues. Aug 31 at 7 pm.

Warner Conservation Commission
Wed. Sept 1 at 7 pm.

Masks are Required in Town Buildings for walk-in business and meetings. All meetings are in person.

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/>

Water quality at public beaches: with the rains and the heat, some public beaches have been failing water quality tests. To find out which ones are advising no swimming, visit
www4.des.state.nh.us/WaterShed_BeachMaps

Free Community Yoga class on Fridays at 9:30 am led by Jen Jackson. Outside when suitable, inside barn when wet (barn space is limited: please register).
www.facebook.com/events/274363477469891.
Paid classes are available at other times.

School District news: Kearsarge.org

Welcome to the 5 new teachers at Simonds School in Warner: April Lakevicious, Tracy Renaud, Zoe Gatzogiannis, Shelly Gordon, and Emily Hill.

<https://www.facebook.com/KearsargeSAU65/> has a list and photos of all the new KRSD faculty members.

MASKS at school: A district letter from August 13 gives the newest updates to the reopening plan, specifically that Masks will be required indoors for ALL staff and students, except it will be optional for PreK-1 grade students. The **Updated Reopening plan 2.0** gives details about other protocols and exceptions to masking for certain circumstances.

KRSD Bus schedules are [available on the District page](#): All students will be required to wear District approved facial coverings when traveling on the bus.

KRSD First day of School: Tues. Aug. 31

Warner PTO at Simonds School has a Facebook page:
<https://www.facebook.com/simondsppto/>
Watch for info about monthly meeting format, and other activities.



Something FUN is coming to Warner!!! Keep your eyes open for a special treat on Main Street.

Library book sale during Fall Foliage Festival. Sat. and Sun. Oct. 9 & 10, from 9 am to 4 pm. All sales are by donation. Volunteers will be needed. Please contact the library staff if you can spare an hour or two before, during or after that weekend!. Please hold off on book donations until early October.

SMALL boxes are needed for all donated items (10-15 books per box is best). Empty boxes can be dropped off any time we are open. Thanks!

Warner people

Walter Brunner Jr., of Warner, NH died on June 30, 2021 in Keller, Texas at the age of 79. [Obituary](#). A graveside funeral and burial is scheduled for September 11, 2021 at 11 am at Pine Grove Cemetery Annex in Warner (cemetery located at the corner of Mill St. and Depot St., across from Warner Power). All are welcome to attend and celebrate Walter's life. (Walter's parents were the creators of the strawberry/blueberry farm on Waldron Hill.)

Jesse McNeil's book **On the Hoof** is now available at MainStreet BookEnds. Description at <https://www.mainstreetbookends.com/book/9781570769771>

Warner resident Peter St. James, WNTK 99.7 radio host and outdoors reporter (see his column in the weekly InterTown Record), will give a talk about the History of Radio in-person at the **NH Telephone Museum**, Friday, August 27 at 7 pm! [Details HERE](#)

Observing Nature

Jevie Jesseman reported in [Let's Talk About Warner](#) on Facebook "There was a **double crested black cormorant** on Pleasant Pond today! ...I'm wondering if he got caught in the hurricane and storms we had and got lost... very rare to see..."

Volunteers Wanted - The UNH Cooperative Extension seeks volunteers to gather **nature observations on town-owned lands** across New Hampshire during the month of September. Volunteers of all ages are needed to report sightings of living things including trees, flowers, mushrooms, birds and mammals. No experience is necessary, and online trainings are available for interested volunteers. To learn more and get involved, visit extension.unh.edu/nhbioblitz or read the [press release](#).

Pet Poses

Pet Poses Photo submissions

Thank you to all who submitted images of their pets featured as a book character or posed any way that relates to a book!

Due to Nancy Ladd's vacation this week, the FB album will not be posted until next week: sorry for the delay. We are still happy to receive more, so send yours to be added! Details at

<https://www.facebook.com/events/147396037531292>

Gift bags of items donated by area merchants will be given to all participants. Many thanks to our prize suppliers 3 Biddys Pet Treats, Apple Tree Animal Hospital, Woodlawn Pet Resort, 5 Acres Garden Supply,



COVID News to Use

All N.H. counties are now considered "HIGH level of transmission" areas for Covid due to the Delta variant. View risk ratings and vaccine levels by county at <https://covid.cdc.gov/covid-data-tracker/#county-view>.

Market Basket is "strongly recommending" masks for customers, and all employees are required to wear them.

Warner and surrounding towns are seeing new cases again.(3 more in Warner this week: total 208) www.wmur.com/article/covid-19-cases-nh-town/37155089#. Note that ONLY unvaccinated cases are being reported in NH statistics.

Symptoms in vaccinated people can resemble colds: see the new top reported symptoms covid.joinzoe.com/post/new-top-5-covid-symptoms, with detailed descriptions like this: "Having a **headache (usually lasting more than a day)** is a very common symptom of COVID-19 for all age groups. On average, around seven in ten adults who are ill with COVID-19 will have a headache. It's slightly less common in children, affecting around six in ten children. Around 15% of people who were ill with COVID-19 reported a headache as their ONLY symptom."

Town by Town vaccination data: Warner: 62.80% with at least 1 dose; 59.30% fully vaccinated. www.wmur.com/article/covid-19-vaccine-nh-town/37373063. Remember that about 20% are under 12 and therefore ineligible: NY Times vaccination maps for Merrimack County show 98% of people over 65 have been fully vaccinated, 70% of those over 18 yrs old, and 68% over age 12.

To get a COVID -19 vaccine: vaccines.nh.gov or call 211. Vaccinations for Covid-19 are FREE, and available for ages 12 and up.

The CDC [recommends pregnant people](https://www.cdc.gov/media/releases/2021/s0818-covid-19-pregnant.html) to get vaccinated against Covid-19. The Delta variant is now known to cause severe danger to mother and baby.

<https://www.nbcnews.com/health/health-news/covid-19-doctors-see-surge-critically-ill-pregnant-women-n1277524>

NH's mobile vaccination van will be at NHTI, Concord's Community College from 2 - 8 PM on August 27th. **The van is available** upon request for any size group across the State of New Hampshire at no cost. All three types of vaccine are available.

www.covid19.nh.gov/request-mobile-vaccination-van

Please consider wearing masks indoors in public to protect the 21% of our population who are under 12 years old who cannot be vaccinated yet, and others.

We Recommend

For NH Museum links and info about library passes, visit

The **Nature Discovery Center** (next to the Indian Museum) is open!

<https://ndcnh.org>

Find our Newest adult books

warner.lib.nh.us/museum-passes/

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

The Currier Museum of Art in Manchester. currier.org.

NH Telephone Museum
<https://www.nhtelephonemuseum.org>
Cappie award winner (2nd place)!

McAuliffe-Shepard Discovery Center
starhop.com Outdoor movies: limited number of admissions.

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

MFA- Boston: To use our promo-code "pass", call 456-2289.

for [JUNE JULY](#) and [AUGUST](#)

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

Online movies:
Stream from your free account at Warnernh.kanopy.com. Contact us for information.

Local events:
N.H. Telephone museum
Warner's **Peter St. James** will present a program on the **History of Radio**, in-person Friday, Aug. 27 at 7 pm at the **NH Telephone Museum**.

United Church of Warner will hold a special worship service **August 29** at 10 am at [Warner Historical Society's Lower Meeting House](#) on Main Street, followed by bring-your-own picnic lunch, and open house.

Business and Farm News

A new **Sunapee Region arts map** is available at Cafe One East, identifying 113 arts and cultural destinations across Sullivan and Merrimack Counties. The brochure, also at Contoocook Depot, is the first phase of a regional project dubbed the [Sunapee Region Arts Atlas](#), to showcase its communities - including Warner.

Warner Area Farmer's Market
Would you like to sell but aren't able to be there on a Saturday morning? The market will be adding a shared community table starting this week. Items for sale can be dropped off at the beginning of the market. A 10% fee will go to the market to be used towards market musicians and advertising. Items must be locally produced. Especially looking for: Eggs, Home Baked Goods, Fruit, Art

Find area **farm stands** and **U-pick locations** in the 2021 Merrimack County **Local Food Guide**, now available online, or in print at the Library! <https://merrimackccd.org/>



[The Kitchen Warner](#) **OPENING DAY...Friday, September 10th!**
11:00 - 8:00. Reservations for dinner not needed.
Parts or all of the restaurant will also be available for private parties. Special occasion / special menus can be arranged with the chef as well as private coursed tasting menus. Michael, Stephanie & Team. Check out menus and more:
www.feedmeatthekitchen.com
www.facebook.com/thekitchenwarner

For more area business news, follow Facebook.com/KearsargeChamber/

FREE! Online books, magazines and more! Check our [Website](#).

Miss Sue's News (for Kids)



Sharon Rask-Huntington (author and photographer from Webster) came to story time and read her book "Mirabelle's Metamorphosis"! It was a fun story time, she even brought three chrysalis! Her book is soon to be out at the library to borrow, and there are some at BookEnds to purchase.

Preschool Story Time: Join Sue Matott ("Miss Sue") for **Thursday Story Times at 10:30 am. Outdoors, in-person** on the small grassy area at MainStreet BookEnds by the patio. Bring a "picnic blanket" or seats. Questions? Call 603-456-2289. **Our 10 x 20 waterproof tent ensures the "story goes on" even in rain.**

Borrow a nature bag!

Woodland Wonders

Activities for the whole family to increase how much you see!
Created by The Nature Discovery Center for use on the Medicine Woods trail at Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum but it can be used anywhere!

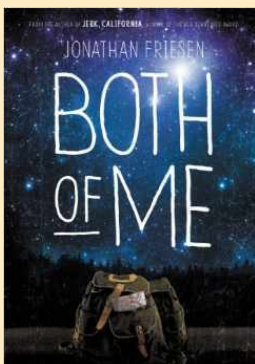


The story walk needs some help for a few days, so there will not be a story there. Sorry! It needs a bath, and a few of the frames need repairs and/or replacing. Enjoy a walk along the river, search for nature items. Come to the library and borrow one of the backpacks we offer to go exploring!

New Children's Items

[June 2021](#) [July 2021](#) [August 2021](#)

TEEN TALK by Linda



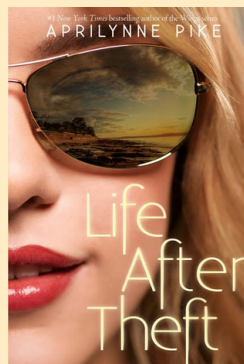
Both Of Me *by Jonathan Friesen*

It was supposed to be just another flight, another escape into a foreign place where she could forget her past, forget her attachments. Until Clara found herself

seated next to an alluring boy named Elias Phinn—a boy who seems to know secrets she has barely been able to admit to herself for years.

When her carry-on bag is accidentally switched with Elias's identical pack, Clara uses the luggage tag to track down her things. At that address she discovers there is not one Elias Phinn, but two: the odd, paranoid, artistic, and often angry Elias she met on the plane, who lives in an imaginary world of his own making called Salem; and the kind... [continue reading](#)

[Borrow from the Library](#)
[Author Interview](#)



Life After Theft *by Aprilynne Pike*

Moving to a new high school sucks. Especially a rich-kid private school. With uniforms. But nothing is worse than finding out the first girl you meet is dead. And a klepto.

No one can see or hear Kimberlee except Jeff, so—in hopes of bringing an end to the snarkiest haunting in history—he agrees to help her complete her "unfinished business." But when the enmity between Kimberlee and Jeff's new crush, Sera, manages to continue posthumously, Jeff wonders if he's made the right choice.

Clash meets sass in this uproarious modern-day retelling of Baroness Orczy's *The Scarlet Pimpernel*.

[Borrow from the Library](#)
[Listen to the Audiobook](#)
[Watch the trailer](#)

Events in Brief

Every Week

- [Warner Area Farmer's Market](#) **Saturdays**, 9 am - 1 pm at Warner Town Hall lawn.
- **Warner Historical Soc.** "[barnsale](#)" **INDOORS** and out, Saturdays 9 am -12 pm.
- **Library Story Time** Thursdays 10:30 am in the park outdoors. Bring a blanket or seating.

Coming Soon

- **Live Music every Sunday** at [Cafe One East](#). 1 - 2:30 pm!
- **History of Radio with Peter St. James**, Fri. Aug 27 at 7 pm at NH Telephone Museum
- Annual **church service at Lower Warner Meeting House**, Sun. Aug.29 at 10 am.
- **Warner Democrats** meeting, Sunday Aug. 29 at 3 pm at Jim Mitchell Park
- **Hopkinton State Fair** Thu, Sept. 2 to Mon, Sept. 6. **KRSD schools are closed** also.
- **Library closed Sept 4-6** Labor Day holiday.
- **Library Book Group** Wed. Sept 8 at 1:30 pm outdoors. [Nine Perfect Strangers](#) by Liane Moriarty (books available to borrow)
- The Kitchen Warner restaurant opens Sept 10.

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



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 now)**, and various Committee meetings, some that meet monthly, vary in time.

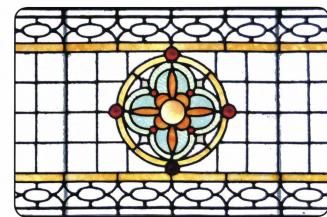
Trustee meetings are published 24-48 hours in advance on the [Warner Events Calendar](#). Approved minutes are published on the [Trustee Meetings page](#).

Your Donations Keep Library Services Strong!



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

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.

Coming soon! An option for automatic contributions of a repeating monthly amount through our Square account.



