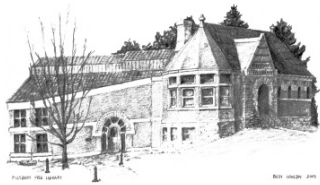


Pillsbury Free Library News Sept 9, 2021, Warner, N.H.



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 772 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): **Masks are Required in Town Buildings** for walk-in business and meetings. All meetings are in person.

Agricultural Commission: Fri. Sept. 10, 7 pm at Warner Town Hall.

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>

Town of Warner DPW is hiring: Truck drivers, one full time permanent and two FT seasonal for this winter.

In the new year, **United Church of Warner** will be transitioning from one Sunday service to two, with separate formats: one traditional and the other will be modern. [This week's message](#) gives reasons for the move and some detail on each service format. Feedback welcome.

School District news: Kearsarge.org

KRSD Bus schedules are [available on the District page:](#)

KRSD Schools started on Tues. Aug. 31. There is NO school on Friday Sept. 3 or Monday Sept. 6.

Merrimack County Conservation District Fall Bulb sale:

Order by Wed. Sept 22, and while supplies last. One Pick-up location is at Contoocook Farmer's Market, Oct .16. merrimackccd.org/fundraising-and-sales

Warner Democrats ice cream social will be held Sat. Sept 18, 2-4 pm at **Blue Moon Berry Farm**. Children's activities provided.

NH Municipal Association's [final legislative bulletin](#) contains a summary of bills that did, and did not, pass this session, relating to government, voting, and taxes.

Volunteers are the lifeblood of the **Fall Foliage Festival**. Whether it be directing cars to spots and collecting the parking fee, to selling raffle tickets, helping to set up or clean up, working with the Woodsmen competition or staffing the Info Booth, the Festival cannot run without the dedication of volunteers.

We ask for a minimum of a two-hour commitment. **Each volunteer is rewarded with a tee shirt as a thank you.** Students are eligible for community service hours.

The link for areas needed, hours and a brief description of each task can be found at this link: <https://signup.com/go/pUgMGVD>. If you have any questions about volunteering, please contact Beth Lukaitis, Volunteer Coordinator, at volunteerwfff@aol.com. The Board

Seen Around Warner



Jevie Jesseman shared photos of a Cormorant staying at **Pleasant Pond**.



Darryl Parker supplied this photo of ongoing restoration work at the building behind Cafe One East. Nathan of Burrington Builders has been getting foundation/cellar work done.

Arts and Museums

Kimball Jenkins School of Art in Concord begins another round of **Art classes beginning Monday, September 19.**

A show of faculty work, including two Warner residents and art teachers, **Mary Mead and Becky Darling, and former resident Sylvia Brofos**, will open on September 24th in conjunction with an arts event throughout Concord that evening.
<https://www.kimballjenkins.com/artclasses>

Reception for All Aboard! Railroad exhibit will be held Sat. Sept 25, 11 am-1 pm (**Time change**) Upton Chandler House.

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 sign-up is now ready.** If you can spare an hour or two before, during or after the sale Please contact the library staff 456-2289 or online at <https://signup.com/go/gDfoVGS> Please hold off on book donations until early October!



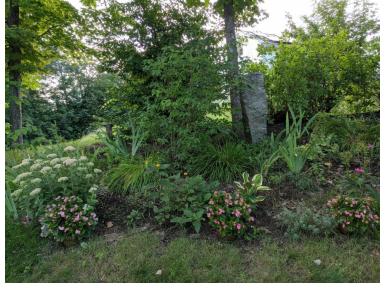
The **Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum** in Warner is featuring a new display on **beading** in the lobby, which includes a timeline of historical beads by Brian Robertshaw, as well as elaborately

beaded attire. This display will be on exhibit until the end of October, and the public is invited to visit the museum to view it and learn about the craft. More information may be found on the museum's website:
indianmuseum.org

Warner People Volunteer!

Nancy Cogswell contributes and cares for the lovely flowers near the parking area on Depot Street, and on the millstone near the door. Thank you, Nan!





Hardworking volunteers cleaned up the Warner Historical Society's **Lower Meeting House** prior to the annual services held on August 29. Pews were polished to a shine! The exterior was recently painted by Labbe Painting.

Recent Grants



From **Warner Town Administrator Diane Ricciardelli**: "Congratulations to the **Director of Public Works, Tim Allen**, and a strong grant team, on receiving two grant awards totaling \$213,123 for the **Ballard Brook Culvert Restoration project** as part of the Warner River Connectivity Project.

The Town of Warner (Department of Public Works, Conservation Commission, and Emergency Management Department) has been working with multiple agencies to plan and implement culvert replacements, and looks forward to completing Phase I of

this project. The initial phase includes the replacement of the northern most pipe on Red Chimney and to have plans (with design in place) for two additional culverts: one on Red Chimney and one on East Joppa.

The grant amounts are 165k, an Aquatic Resource Mitigation (ARM) grant from the Department of Environmental Services (DES), and \$48,213 from New Hampshire Fish and Wildlife grant through the Merrimack River Watershed Council.

Congratulations to Tim Allen and the entire team of Ed Mical (Warner's Emergency Management Director), Nancy Martin (Chair, Warner Conservation Commission), George Embley (Basil W. Woods, Jr. Chapter of Trout Unlimited), Ben Nugent (New Hampshire Fish & Game Department), Matt Thorne (Merrimack River Watershed Council), Ken Milender (Chair, Warner River Local Advisory Committee), Moser Engineering."

Pet Poses

Pet Poses Photos: the FaceBook album is now on view at <https://www.facebook.com/pillsburyfreelibrary/photos>. Thanks everyone for "playing"! Come pick up your goodies if you sent a photo!

COVID News to Use

All N.H. counties are currently 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>.

Warner and surrounding towns are seeing new cases.(**11 more** in Warner this week: total 229) www.wmur.com/article/covid-19-cases-nh-town/37155089#.

See the **new top reported symptoms**: covid.joinzoe.com/post/new-top-5-covid-symptoms,

Town vaccination data: Warner's numbers are unchanged since last week (Remember, about 20% of Warner's residents are under 12 and therefore ineligible): Warner: 62.90% with at least 1 dose; 59.30% fully vaccinated www.wmur.com/article/covid-19-vaccine-nh-town/37373063.

[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.

NH's mobile vaccination 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

We Recommend

For NH Museum links and info about library passes, visit
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. Galleries are open Thurs. 10 am to 8 pm, Fri. through Sunday, 10 am to 5 pm

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

McAuliffe-Shepard Discovery Center starhop.com

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

MFA- Boston: Exhibit [Paper stories, layered dreams](#) is included in general admission. **To get our promo-code "pass"**, for a discount, call 456-2289.

The **Nature Discovery Center** (next to the Indian Museum) is open!
<https://ndcnh.org>

Girl Scouts of the Green and White Mountains have a series of virtual Journeys coming up, along with other virtual programs/ workshops starting next week!
<http://bit.ly/2LDHLhI>

Short Takes - Falling for the Short Story

by Roger Robbins

Not up for a gigantic novel? Willing to pass on War and Peace? Try [short stories like this list from Lithub.com](#). The best authors write them, transporting you to places and people just as alluring and just as memorable as you'll find in a novel.

[Pillsbury Free Library has a large collection of "short takes"](#). Andre Dubus; Eudora Welty; Raymond Carver; Jack London; Grace Paley; and Stephen King are but a few of the short story masters on our library shelves. Change your pace; shift gears. You'll be pleasantly surprised.

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

Find our Newest adult books
for [JUNE JULY](#) and [AUGUST](#)

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

Local events:
Party in the Field fundraiser to benefit the **Mark E. "Killer" Bates '75 Memorial Scholarship** at Plymouth State University. **Saturday, Sept.11**, from 1 pm to 6 pm. 648 Schoodac Road, \$25 per person. Food, drinks, and **LIVE music**

Business and Farm News

[Cafe One East](#) Is open 7 am to 3 pm Mon-Fri, 8 to 3 Sat. & Sun.

Beginning this month [Cafe One East](#) is hosting **business networking events**. The first meeting will be



The Kitchen Warner says "We are jumping our last of a few hurdles, but there should be NO excuse for not **opening next week Thursday September 16th.**

The new menu will be posted very soon after it is edited and the online ordering system at the website www.feedmeatthekitchen.com will be operational for opening day as well."

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/>

Wednesday September 15 at 8:00 am. During that time the group can decide on a schedule and format. Some other ideas include groups for new moms, a book lunch, language exchange and chess/board games. Are any of these of interest to you? What other ideas do you have? The cafe won't be charging for the time or space.

Fliptable is a restaurant staffing app that offers a hiring platform for restaurants and job-seekers.

Evening [Yoga classes by Jen Jackson](#) at Pumpkin Blossom Farm will be starting half an hour earlier, at 6:00 pm for September. Space in the barn is limited, so please pre-Register!

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

Miss Sue's News (for Kids)



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.**



These are 3 very good children's books about 9/11. Its not a nice memory but a great learning point about how America is strong and can rebuild. Thank you to all the front line workers for your service on 9/11 and all of our days! THANK YOU!

New Children's Items
[June 2021](#) [July 2021](#) [August 2021](#)

Warner 4-H Club meets Monday Sept. 13 at the United Church of Warner at 6 pm.

[Gear Up Homeschoolers](#) will have a **Meet and Greet Friday Sept 10** at 1 at the playground behind the Gear Up (Warner Community Center) building at 49 W. Main St, Warner.

At the event there will be organized activities for all age groups and opportunities to ask questions about Gear Up. If you're looking for a secular co-op in the central/western part of NH come see what we're all about. The meeting will be outside and there will be activities for different age groups.

Registration form: <https://forms.gle/S8yspc3bH4jRutL19>, for more info: Facebook group www.facebook.com/GUHomeschoolers/ or email questions

TEEN TALK by Linda



The Winternight Trilogy by [Katherine Arden](#), (A VT Author)

Vasiliya, a girl with the ability to see the spirits of the earth, must flee for her life, pursued by those who blame their misfortune on her magic. Then a vengeful demon returns, stronger than ever. Determined to engulf the world in chaos, he finds allies among men and spirits.

#1 The Bear and the Nightingale

[Borrow from the Library](#), [Audiobook](#), [Ebook](#)

#2 The Girl in the Tower

[Borrow from the Library](#), [Audiobook](#), [Ebook](#)

#3 The Winter of the Witch

[Borrow from the Library](#), [Audiobook](#), [Ebook](#)

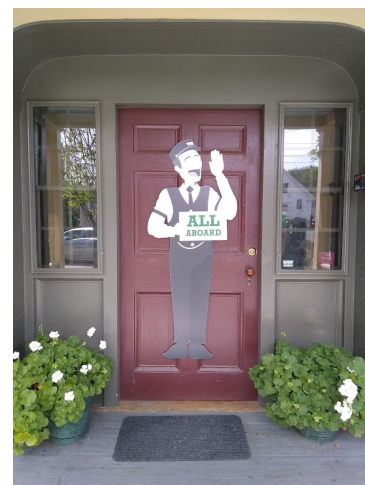
Events in Brief

Every Week

- [Warner Area Farmer's Market](#) Saturdays, 9 am - 1 pm at Warner Town Hall lawn.
- **Warner Historical Soc.** "[barn sale](#)", Saturdays 9 am -12 pm. AND Tues. 1-4 pm
- **Library Story Time** Thursdays 10:30 am in the park outdoors. Bring a blanket or seating.
- **Live Music every Sunday** at [Cafe One East](#), 1 - 2:30 pm!

Coming Soon

- The **Kitchen Warner** restaurant opens - REALLY! - Thursday Sept 16, 11 am - 8 pm.
- [Lazy Stitch Beading Workshop](#) Sat. Sept. 18, 1 - 3 PM at Mt Kearsarge Indian Museum.
- **WHS annual meeting** Thurs. Sept 23 at 7 pm on Zoom or in Town Hall - TBD
- **Reception for All Aboard!** exhibit Sat. Sept 25, 11 am-1 pm, Upton Chandler House.
- **Memorial service for Bud Thompson** at Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum Sat. Sept. 25, at 2 pm
- [Harvest Moon Festival](#) Sun. Sept 26 at Mt Kearsarge Indian Museum, 10 am - 4 pm
- **Warner Historical Society** community conversation - [Telephone Service in Warner](#) Wed. Sept. 29 at 7 pm, by Zoom.
- **Water well testing** - DES info session and test kit pickup, Wed. Sept. 29 at 6:30 pm at the library AND maybe on Zoom. More soon.
- **Library Book Group** meets Wed. Oct 13 at 1:30 pm for **We were Liars** by E. Lockhart. Copies are available at the library.



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.

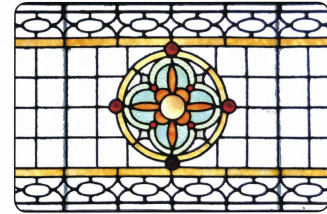
Trustee meetings are published 24-48 hours in advance on the [Warner Events Calendar](#). Approved minutes are published on the [Trustee Meetings page](#).

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.

