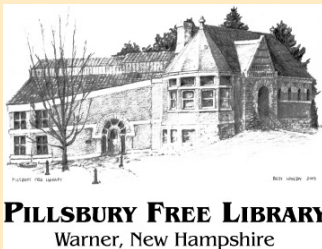


Pillsbury Free Library News April 21, 2022, Warner, N.H.



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

We now have 866 Subscribers! Tell your neighbors about subscribing!

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

Class V and VI roads in Warner are **no longer posted** with weight limits, and are open for normal use.

Street Sweeping: Full schedule is available on the Warner Website: (The DownTown is Sparkling clean already!)

Week of 4/25 thru 4/29

Kearsarge Mountain Road to top of Tory Hill, Latting Lane, Highlawn Road, Chase Farm Road, Dannyboy Lane, Pattee Road, Apple Pond Lane, Kirtland Street, Roslyn Ave, Geneva Street, School Street, Denny Hill Road, Old Main Street.

Town committees... Meet at Town Hall. and often also on ZOOM. Links on the Calendar <https://WarnerNH.gov/calendar>
Details and links: WarnerNH.gov/agenda

To get **Town notices or emergency alerts, subscribe at :**
warnerNH.gov/keep-in-touch

Reminder from Warner Town Clerk:
Dog registrations are **due by April 30.**

School District news: Kearsarge.org
Facebook.com/KearsargeSAU65

Kindergarten and New Student Registration information is on the Kearsarge.org website, (in red)

KRSD School vacation is next week, April 25-29. The Library has Museum and Parks Passes to use!

The Annual **Flea Market and Craft Fair** at Town Hall on April 16 netted almost \$900 for library use, from table fees, a raffle, bake sale/coffee table and sales by the Circle of Friends of the Library Thank you to all who helped, bought or sold!

Watch out for TICKS as you clear your garden or walk, esp. in grass or leaf litter.

Looking Forward



Register for an online Humanities-to-Go event next week:

[A Walk Back in Time: The Secrets of Cellar Holes](#) with Adair Mulligan **Wed, April 27** at 6:30 PM.

Register for the Zoom link at

<https://forms.gle/HggFqi2UinvUEaCb8> or call 603-456-2289

The Library is also offering limited spaces to view the program on large screen in the Meeting Room. Sponsored by Pillsbury Free Library, and Warner Historical Society

The annual **Children's Fishing Derby** will be on **Saturday, May 7, 2022** at the Children's

Brook on Pumpkin Hill Rd. Children under 16 years of age can start registering at 6:30 am. The Derby is from 7 am to 11 am. Complimentary hot dog or hamburger, and a cold drink for all registered children. Cash prizes! Sponsored by Warner Fish and Game Club <https://wfgnh.org> See more on the poster at <https://wfgnh.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/04/derby2022.pdf>

WYSA opening day celebration for Baseball and Softball is back this year! WYSA is looking for someone to come and offer face painting, and for raffle donations. Date to be confirmed but possibly May 7 for this fun day for the whole family!

Earth Day/ Month and Volunteering

Join the **Great Global Cleanup**: April is "Earth Day/ Cleanup Month! When you are out walking, consider carrying a bag and gloves so you can pick up any trash you see.

The Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum in Warner will be opening for the season on **May 1** and is looking for **volunteers**. Contact Barbara at: Volunteer@IndianMuseum.org, or call the museum at **603-456-2600**.

The Nature Discovery Center in Warner is looking for volunteers and **New Board members!** Contact the museum director Sandra Martin at info@ndcnh.org or by calling **603-822-2334**.

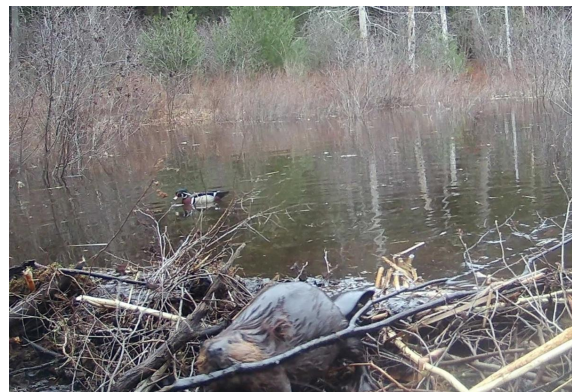
Warner People

Condolences to the family and friends of **John V. Brannon Jr.**, who passed away April 15, 2022. <https://www.tributearchive.com/obituaries/24591642/john-v-brannon-jr> . John was an active volunteer for many organizations, including Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum and the Nature Discovery Center in Warner.

Warner resident **Lisa Fantasia's** bakery, [Wicked Sweet Cakes and Treats](#) is on the list of the 25 top bakeries in NH at WOKQ! <https://wokq.com/best-bakeries-in-new-hampshire>

Warner Wildlife

Recently seen in Warner: **Spotted Salamander** (night time photo by Peter Ladd) and a busy beaver with a mallard companion (by Anonymous). For more about these Salamanders seen in spring rains, and other NH Salamanders, visit www.wildlife.state.nh.us/nongame/salamanders or [Salamanders of NH](#) NH Wildlife Journal. Also interesting: an article about underwater eggs from northernwoodlands.org/



Arts and Museums

Spemki Nib8iwi - The Heavens in the Nighttime will be on **Saturday, April 23** from 7-9 pm. This free program at **Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum** is in collaboration with the [McAuliffe-Shepard Discovery Center](#) and will feature an Indigenous focus to star gazing.

Dress for the weather and bring your own chairs. MKIM will provide hot beverages, s'mores ingredients, and the museum bathrooms will be open. [Event Link](#)

2022 Spring into Warner, will be held on **Saturday, May 14**, 9 am to 3 pm on Main Street in Warner (outdoors except for Museum visits). Artists and craftspeople, dancers, musicians, and other performers all welcome. Season's opening of Warner Area Farmer's Market on Town Hall lawn, Used book sale, Museum tours and Exhibits etc. Contact [Warner Historical Society](#) or [Warner Area Farmer's Market](#) for spaces at their locations, or Nancy Ladd at the Pillsbury Free Library for other Main Street spaces.

Nature Discovery Center clean-up day will be on Sat. May 21st at 1 pm. This museum needs a few people with brooms, dust rags, and dustpans to clean the outside surfaces of all glass cases, make sure all the lights are working (overhead, in the glass cases, etc.) and to sweep the floor. Objects on top of cases need to be carefully dusted. Volunteers should dress warmly. Some bottled water and snacks will be available for everyone. Contact Sandra Martin 603-822-2334. <https://ndcnh.org/> Re-opening **June 4**

Business News

Wicked Sweet Cakes And Treats

bakery in the **former Bradford Junction** space on NH Rte 114 has been a huge success! Open Saturdays at **10 am until sold out** ((all gone by noon last week!). Lisa hopes to open the Cafe portion next month!

Kearsarge Area Chamber of

Commerce (KACC) is looking for businesses wishing to host a Business After Hours (BAH); great networking for business owners. To advertise in the next printing of the KACC business brochure [contact KACC](#) by 4/25/2022. (Join now!)

HELP US keep the newsletter going! SEND Warner news to newsletter@warner.lib.nh.us!

COVID News

Merrimack County is currently rated as **LOW** risk by the [CDC County Check Tool](#) (based on **hospitalizations and deaths, not total cases**). "People with symptoms, a positive test, or exposure to someone with COVID-19 should wear a mask."

On the CDC covid-19 data tracker site <https://covid.cdc.gov/covid-data-tracker/#county-view> **8 of 10 NH Counties are back up to MEDIUM Community Transmission risk.** Merrimack county is still at " **Low.**"

Warner's new cases reported: 0 reported since last Thursday, 0 active as of 04/21/22. Total so far **624**. www.wmur.com/article/covid-19-cases-nh-town/37155089#. Note positive **Home tests are not included**.

Federal mask mandates for public transportation (bus, train, air) **has been struck down by a Florida Federal judge as overreach**, just before an extension began. **Free N95 masks** are available at some major pharmacies, 3 per visit.

CDC guidelines for isolation and quarantine have big changes: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/your-health/quarantine-isolation.html#>

If you have health insurance through an employer or Marketplace, **your insurance will pay you back for 8 at-home tests each month** for each person on your plan. [More about insurance reimbursement](#). In NH, pop-up testing sites closed in March but you can arrange for a test through your Doctor's office.

FREE at-home rapid tests available from <https://www.covidtests.gov/> are **still available. A second order is allowed.** Tests can also be bought at NH Liquor stores.

Vaccination data:

Town by Town www.wmur.com/article/covid-19-vaccine-nh-town/37373063.

Warner: 67.1% fully vaccinated, 75.1% at least one dose.

Merrimack County (CDC) over age 5: 72.1% fully vaccinated, 90.9% at least 1 dose.

To get a COVID-19 vaccine: vaccines.nh.gov or call 211. Vaccinations for Covid-19 are FREE, and available for **ages 5 and up**. Second boosters available for ages 50+.

NH fixed vaccination sites include Concord, 8 am to 2 pm every day .

<https://convenientmd.com/vaccine/concord/> You can also schedule a vaccine through your doctor's office.

Helping Hands

Warner Connects NH Food Pantry and Community Resource Center

A reminder that Warner residents may come to the Food Pantry weekly for fresh produce and other staples, at the rear of the Warner Community Center 49 W. Main St. Hours are 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday - Thursday or by appointment. Call 603-456-2053

The Food Pantry is in need of pet food and treats for dogs and cats. Supply chain issues have hit the usual SPCA donation stream. Donation drop-off in the Food Pantry tent (49 W. Main Street) or at the Market Basket collection bin.

Family Closet Thrift Boutique is open Wednesdays and Saturdays 10 am - 4 pm
Spring and Summer Donations are now being accepted. Family Closet is at 49 W. Main Street in the Warner Community Center, only 2 blocks from the Town Hall. All proceeds support Warner Connects Food Pantry and Resource Center

We Recommend

Plan ahead for School vacation!

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

The Currier Museum of Art in Manchester. currier.org.
Current exhibits include:
Appeal of the Real: 19th century Photographs of the Real World

NH Telephone Museum
<https://www.nhtelephonemuseum.org>
Spring hours: OPEN 10 am - 4 pm
Tuesdays and Sat. in March & April.

McAuliffe-Shepard Discovery Center starhop.com

MFA- Boston: For the promo-code "pass", for a discount, call 456-2289.
<https://mfa.org/>

The **Nature Discovery Center**, located alongside the Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum, will reopen Saturday, June 4, at 10:30 AM.
Volunteers needed!

From Opie to the Oscars - the Amazing Journey of Ron Howard by Roger Robbins

Remember the Andy Griffith Show? Remember Sheriff Andy Taylor and his little son Opie (Ron Howard), who carried a fishing pole and always said, "Gee, Paw"? The Opie role was just the beginning of a long and prosperous entertainment career.

Actor Ron Howard went on to star in the tv sitcom "Happy Days" then became a fabulous director and producer, leaving his own unique stamp on modern American film. A Beautiful Mind garnered Academy Awards for Best Producer and Best Picture for Howard.. For his long list of memorable films, which includes The Da Vinci Code, Inferno, The Missing, Apollo 13, The Alamo, Curious George, and In the Heart of the Sea, Howard has also received 4 Emmys, a Grammy, and 2 Golden Globes.

Ron Howard Interview: The Joy of Being a Storyteller (PBS)

New adult books:

February 2022 March April

Find previous lists [at our catalog.](#)

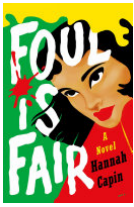
Magazine Highlight:

Looking for new, healthy recipes? Try picking up a copy of [Eating Well](#) magazine! In this month's issue, check out ways to reduce waste, use less plastic, and make tasty spring salads!

Issue pictured: April 2022 (or try our [digital health magazines!](#))



Teen Talk by Ella



Foul is Fair by [Hannah Capin](#)

Elle and her friends Mads, Jenny, and Summer rule their glittering LA circle. Untouchable, they have the kind of power other girls only dream of. Until the night the golden boys choose Elle as their next target. Sworn to vengeance, Elle transfers to St. Andrew's. She plots to destroy each boy, one by one. And she and her coven have the perfect way in: a boy named Mack, whose ambition could turn deadly.

Foul is Fair is nominated for the **2022 Flume Award**! To be nominated for this award, it must be voted on by New Hampshire 9th-12th graders.

April is Voting month for Flume nominees.



Don't Ask Me Where I'm From by [Jennifer De Leon](#)

Liliana Cruz does what it takes to fit in at her new nearly all-white school, but when family secrets come out and racism at school gets worse than ever, she must decide what she believes in and take a stand

Don't Ask Me Where I'm From is nominated for the **2022 Isinglass Awards**!

To be nominated for this award, it must be voted on by 7th-8th graders in New Hampshire and must be a standalone fiction or nonfiction book. **APRIL**

is Voting month for Isinglass.

Make sure to check out the other [Flume Award Nominees](#) and [Isinglass Award Nominees](#) or some great reads and to **cast your vote by the end of April** for your favorite nominee!

Online voting links: [Isinglass Voting Form](#) [Flume Voting Form](#)

Miss Sue's News (for Kids)

New Children's Items in our catalog:

[February](#) [March](#), [April](#)

The [Baba Yaga](#)

play is only 2 weeks away, May 7, 4 pm in the Warner Town Hall! The "entrance fee" will be a donation to the food pantry. (Non-perishable foods, toiletries, pet foods, or money)



Happy [Earth day](#) to everyone! (Friday, April 22nd) Miss Sue read stories on Thursday about [trees](#), and we are all ready to go hug the trees!

Storytimes with Miss Sue, every **Thursday at 10:30 am** - stories, songs, fingerplays, and a craft. It's back to being held in the **Children's room**.

"Friendship soup in a jar" kits for everyone to take home, as well as for the food pantry were made at the last craft day!! Thank you to Carol Conforti-Adams for getting the grant to sponsor this event.



Events in Brief

Every Week

- **Library Story Time** Thursdays 10:30 am

- **Trivia night:** Tuesdays at 6-8 pm at [Reed's North](#) Restaurant.

Coming Soon

- Ian Rogers novel "[MFA Thesis Novel](#)" book launch event Sat. **Apr. 23** at 2 pm, at MainStreet BookEnds. Masks Required.
- [Reed's North](#) **Sunday Music** at 4 – 7 PM **Apr. 24** [Dave Graham](#)
- [Secrets of Cellar Holes](#) with [Adair Mulligan](#), a Humanities-to-Go program, Wed. April 27 at 6:30 pm. Register for Zoom link at <https://www.nhhumanities.org/programs/842>
- **BookEnds Book group** Sunday May 1 at 4 pm [The house we grew up in](#) by [Lisa Jewell](#)
- **Kids' Fishing Derby:** Sat. May 7, between 7am and 11am. [Warner Fish & Game Club](#).
- **Library Book Group** Wed. May 11 at 1:30 [House of Mirth](#) by [Edith Wharton](#).
- **Spring into Warner Arts Celebration** and Warner Area Farmer's Market opening day is **Sat. May 14, 9 - 3**. Museums also open.

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



Children's Fishing Derby



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 News

Covid protocols at the Library: We are no longer holding returned items in quarantine, so they can be returned inside when we are open, instead of placing them in the Book Drop slot outside. **Masks are now optional but encouraged**, during library visits unless/ until Covid numbers rise again. **Curbside pickup is an option** for anyone.

Thanks for helping us provide safe space for our most vulnerable residents, of all ages!

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](#)

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

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.

