Pillsbury Free Library News Sept. 1, 2022, Warner, N.H.



PILLSBURY FREE LIBRARY
Warner, New Hampshire

NEW Hours! (May 2022)

Mon. 10 am -12 & 1- 5 pm Tues. 9 am - 12 & 1 - 8 pm **Wed. 1 - 5 pm**

Thurs. 9 -12 & 1 - 6 pm Saturday 9 am - 2 pm







The library is open for walk-in use. Masks and distancing encouraged. You can also borrow books by phone 603-456-2289, email, or by placing holds from the website catalog at warner.lib.nh.us

Community News From Your Library

We now have 931 Subscribers! Tell your neighbors about subscribing!

You may need to click "See more" 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 Spam, "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

The Library will be closed for both Saturday Sept. 3 and Monday 9/5. Town Offices will be closed on Monday Sept. 5 for the Labor Day Holiday. Kearsarge District Schools will be closed Friday Sept. 2 and Monday 9/5.

Workforce housing update:

The Warner Planning Board met twice this week to discuss the application by Comet, LLC for a 24-unit rental workforce housing development at Exit 9 adjacent to Dunkin Donuts, opposite North Road. At Wednesday's meeting after legal consultation, the Planning Board announced that to qualify, the project must be 100% workforce units and it must be so *in perpetuity*.

The meeting has been continued to **Monday Sept. 12 at 7 pm** to allow the applicant time to examine their options. Documents are being posted to the Town's website: <u>Landuse Cases page.</u> Comments can be sent to Janice Loz at landuse@warnerNH.gov until noon on Sept. 12 to be included in the record.

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

Join **Warner 4-H Club** for a new year of fun 4-H activities and events! The first monthly business meeting of the year will be **Monday Sept.12 at 6:30** - 7:30 PM, at the United Church of Warner. Youth ages 5 - 18, and families are welcome.

Visit the 4-H buildings at Hopkinton Fair on Labor Day Weekend to see some of the cool activities 4-H gets involved in (or talk to people at the 4-H ice cream booth!)

To be a 4-H volunteer or ask questions, contact Susan Jenna at 603-456-3394 or message via www.facebook.com/Warner-4-H-Club-108512120551502/

The Mink Hills Recreational Study committee public forum on Thurs.
Sept. 8 at Warner Town Hall at 7 p.m. about recreational uses and their impacts on Class VI roads, property owners and the natural environment. Meeting minutes https://warner.nh.us/minutes

NH Town reports have been digitized to make available to all online, using ARPA funds: Learn more <u>HERE</u>

The Friends of the Concord-Lake Sunapee Rail Trail's last Flat & Furious

Subscribe to Town notices +/or alerts: warnerNH.gov/keep-in-touch

Elections and voting

Elections are coming!

For new registrations and make changes to address or name, visit the Town Clerk's Office. You cannot change your party affiliation at this time. To register to vote bring: Birth Certificate and/or passport; photo ID; and proof of residency in Warner.

NH Primary is on Tuesday, September 13, 7 AM - 7 PM Warner Town Hall. Sample Ballots: <u>Democratic</u> --- <u>Republican</u>

Absentee Ballots can be requested from the Town Clerk or downloaded from the State of NH: <u>State Election Absentee Ballot Request Form</u> -- <u>Absentee Ballot Information page</u>

Ballot Counters are needed for both the September State Primary and November General State Elections. If willing to be a counter send an email to kathy.carson50@gmail.com with name and address - you must be a registered voter.

NH Executive Council Candidates' Forum sponsored by NH League of Women Voters of the Kearsarge-Sunapee Area will be held on Tues. Sept 6, 7-8:30 PM at the Kearsarge Professional Development Center (Forer Middle School) 165 Main St, New London. The forum will be recorded and available on Yankee Cable Network a few days later. https://ycnnow.com and lwvnh.org

The Warner Democrats will have a meet the candidates event on **Sunday, Sept. 4 at 4pm** in Jim Mitchell Park with State Representative candidates Stephanie Payeur, Tony Caplan and Sherry Gould, as well as State Senate Candidate Richard Lobban.

Warner Historical Society Election Day Bake Sale is back! Come buy, or bake for the Primary on September 13, 7am-7pm. You can drop off baked goods at Town Hall at any time during that day. For cookies or brownies, please package them 2 to 4 to a bag. Cookies can also be bagged by the ½ or whole dozen. Fudge, bread pies, cakes also welcome. Please label what the items are and whether there are nuts, or if they are gluten free or sugar free.

Also needed: help staffing the table through the day. Contact info@warnerhistorical.org

The **Warner Fall Foliage Festival is back!** October 7,8,9. The Festival began 75 years ago and while there have been some gaps along the way, it has been a steady feature of the town. The Festival will run on Friday night, October 7th with the Midway rides and continue throughout the weekend of 10/8 and 10/9 with music, crafts, rides, parades, races, and food. <u>Warner Fall Foliage Festival October 8th and 9th, 2022</u>

The Festival depends on volunteers to help set up, work the Info Booth, assist with parking, selling raffle tickets, trash collection, etc...

Sign up to volunteer for at least 2 hours. You will be rewarded with the knowledge you contributed to something positive (all funds are turned back to the community in the form of grants), a Festival tee shirt, and memories.

Consider volunteering as a family (who can resist a young child selling raffles or helping mom or dad with parking?), or as part of a group.

Students earn community service hours for volunteering.

Brief description of the tasks involved at https://wfff.org, under the "volunteer" tab.

Questions? Contact Volunteer Coordinator, Beth Lukaitis, at volunteerwfff@aol.com

Warner Fall Foliage Festival Kids Fun Run!

Register your child and/or volunteer to chaperone at signup.com/go/bkRJpxE.

All pre registered participants will receive a free race shirt and snacks and a party after. Contact Andrea woodlawnpet@gmail.com for more information.

Sports, Childcare, School News

WYSA Gear https://shirtmasters.printavo.com/merch/warneryouthsports

Boys & Girls Clubs of Central New Hampshire Is still looking to hire Associate Teachers for this Fall: details on <u>This and other local jobs</u>.

To enroll your child apply online at https://www.nhyouth.org/location/warner-early-learning-center/. They anticipate starting in early October, once staffing is firmed up..

KRSD School started this week on Tues. Aug. 30, but is closed Friday Sept 2 and Monday Sept. 5 for Labor Day). KRSD Bus Routes for the 2022-2023 School Year: Please keep checking the <u>bus routes posted at www.kearsarge.org</u> (scroll down to bottom of page). Some routes have been removed and others have been changed. Questions? Stacy Fogwill, Transportation Director, sfogwill@ridesta.com

The NH Telephone Museum will be closed Saturday, September 3rd NH Telephone Museum Fall Homeschool Days (theme: Alexander Graham Bell) September 20, 10 - 11:30AM *Grampie: True Stories for the Life of Alexander Graham Bell.* A reading of this book followed by an investigation of the many after dinner simple experiments AGB tried at home with his family. Geared toward ages 6 – 11 \$5 for adults, \$8 for children. Fee includes a pass to visit the museum Limit 12.

Warner People

Warner native **Tucker Jadczak**'s Concord business **Feathered Friend Brewing** in the old Taylor Rental building on South Main Street was in the news this week: https://www.concordmonitor.com/Bathroom-drawings-paint-a-frustrating-time-at-brewery-47812569

Warner's Lucie Amaro Chmura is teaching at the Currier Museum in Manchester. In September she will be leading a six-week Women's Creative Wellness Journaling class for veterans and military members on Tuesdays starting September 27 from 11 am to 1 pm. Family day for Veterans (free) is the 3rd Saturday of each month An online Creative Cohort with Lucie Amaro Chmura will begin on Thursday, Sept. 22.

Monthly Community Fish Fry at Magdalen College: enjoy delicious fish and great company. **5-7 pm Friday, Sept. 16** Kids 5 and under free. Ages 6-12 \$8. Ages 13+ \$15.

Warner Nature



Rose breasted Grosbeak photo by Bob Heslop

Where is the **Gnomey Bluebird**? Finder's Keepers!

The Nature Discovery Museum on Highlawn Road has reminded us that among their exhibits is a display about **Asian Longhorn Beetles**, the invasive beetle we mentioned last week.



Music, Dance, History, and Museums

Kearsarge Conservatory for the Performing Arts (KCPA) Dance and Theatre 2022-23 KCPA Classes Begin Tuesday September 6.

2022-23 Class Schedule, prices and Registration at http://www.NHPerformingArts.org **Fall REGISTRATION** begins Thurs. Sep. 1. Classes for all ages from two and a half through adults. Dance, Music, Theatre Arts all levels preschool through pre-professional. Professional instructors. Questions? Angela Tarleton angela@nhperformingarts.org

KCPA Auditions for the **WIZARD OF OZ** Sat. Sept. 10 at 10am at KCPA Studio. Parts for all ages from three through adults. For more information, including character breakdown, age and vocal range, <u>www.NHPerformingArts.org</u> Questions? contact Angela Tarleton:

Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum

BeadStock Sat., Sept. 17, 10 AM 4 PM. \$12 admission Harvest Moon Festival Sunday Sept. 24, 10 am - 4 pm

Gourd Burning workshop at Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum. Sat. Sept. 24 from 1-3 pm \$60 for members or \$65 for non-members. Limited to 12 participants. Register.

The **NH Telephone Museum will be closed Saturday, September 3rd**Check for September events at NH Telephone Museum - or check here next week!

Be Earth Friendly - and Save \$\$

Town of Warner **Household Hazardous Waste Collection** Event! **Saturday, Sept. 10**, 9am -1pm at Warner Highway Dept.,190 Rt 103 W. (next to the Transfer Station) **What to bring**: Household cleaners, pesticides, herbicides, pool chemicals, oil based paint, stains, varnish, paint remover, solvents, adhesives, photo chemicals, hobby chemicals, old/bad gasoline.

What NOT to bring: Latex paint: dry it up and throw it out.

Waste oil, antifreeze, batteries, fluorescent bulbs: bring to the Transfer Station anytime. Smoke/CO detectors can be returned to the manufacturer. Explosives/ammunition: contact your police department.



NHSaves Button Up Workshop Hosted by Pillsbury Free Library, Warner Energy Committee and Warner Connects at The Pillsbury Free Library on Wednesday, Sept. 21 at 6:30 pm. In person and on Zoom. Registration! Sponsored by NHSaves and

coordinated statewide by the Plymouth Area Renewable Energy Initiative (PAREI). This 1.5 hour presentation by certified energy auditor Andy Duncan covers how to improve the energy efficiency of your home, and covers basic building science principles and whole house weatherization measures that will **button up your home for the heating and cooling seasons**. It also covers details about the energy efficiency programs (and funding!) that provide energy audits, weatherization measures such as air sealing and insulating, and rebates on new technologies and products such as electric and gas appliances and high efficiency electric heating/cooling equipment.

Warner Business!

The Kitchen Warner is hoping to add DINNER after Labor Day:..stay tuned!

Still on display for a little time at <u>Warner</u> <u>Public Market</u>, paintings by <u>Laurette</u>

Meanwhile. open Wed. thru Sun. 11 - 3

Warner Public Market workshops:
Scholarship info: If the cost is hard for you, email info@warnerpublicmarket.com to ask about scholarship opportunities.
NEW! Pick your own cost level.
Explorations in Natural Dyeing
Saturday, Sept. 10
Full workshop schedule

Carroll. Laurette's paintings include scenes ranging from Mt. Kearsarge to her own backyard. Open Tuesday to Friday from 1-7 and weekends from 10-4.

<u>SCORE Merrimack Valley offers FREE</u>
<u>workshops</u> and <u>business mentoring</u> from
experienced business leaders and owners.
<u>So You Want to Be an Entrepreneur.</u>
<u>How to Get Started</u> Sept. 6, 10am.

Remember the explosion and fire at a school bus transportation center in Bradford on March 3, 2022 that seriously injured two workers? The state Fire Marshall's Office said Wednesday it was caused by vapors released from a propane-powered bus that ignited. The buses were used by the Kearsarge Regional School District.

<u>www.concordmonitor.com/Explosion-caused-by-school-bus-propane-vapors-that-ignited-47844780</u>

Helping Hands

SCAM TDS emails: If you get an email asking you to correct or check your TDS account details, it is a scam. Tip: It doesn't include the TDS logo. Sample wording: "Hi TDS Member, Just in case you missed our prior mails, we're letting you know that TDS mail will no longer support accounts using our old terms of service....Please take one of the actions below to keep your mail account running:"

DO NOT click or give information!

Electric Bills overwhelming your budget? Apply for the Electric Assistance program via Community Action Program. Fuel assistance also available.

Warner Connects NH Food Pantry and Community Resource Center News
September is USDA National Hunger Action Month and WCNH Food Pantry is
launching a Help Halt Hunger campaign to meet the challenge. "One missed paycheck, a
car repair, or a medical bill is all it takes to create food insecurity for an individual or
family," says Lori Garrett, WCNH director.

Thanks to longstanding partnerships with area farms, businesses, and surrounding towns, WCNH can augment the USDA supplies but ongoing donation support is critical. WCNH is an all-volunteer non-profit so 100% of all tax-deductible donations go directly to those in need. Want to Help Halt Hunger? Donations of food, produce, personal care products, grocery gift cards, and monetary donations are deeply welcomed. Call 603-456-2053.

Family Closet Thrift Boutique

Open Wednesdays and Saturdays 10:00am-4:00pm Located at 49 West Main Street in Warner. **All summer clothes \$1 each** This Saturday including women's shoes! Some items still 50% OFF. Gear Corner; Sneakers; Men's Shoes; Selected Handbags. **Clothing donations are not being accepted for the rest of August**. Acceptance of **Fall and winter donations will begin on September 10**.

Start collecting your unwanted sport and recreational gear for the first annual **Family Gear Swap**, **Saturday September 24 at Family Closet Thrift Store**. Sell your gear or find some deals, make a little money on unwanted gear or donate to the Family Closet.

COVID News

NEW VACCINES! Advisers to the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention have voted to recommend the use of COVID-19 booster shots redesigned to target the **BA.4** and **BA.5** Omicron subvariants of the coronavirus for people aged 12 years and older. The vote is one of the last steps before millions of the retooled shots **roll out by the end of this weekend** as part of a nationwide revaccination campaign. The agency's Director Rochelle Walensky will make the final call.

Expiration dates on some COVID tests have been extended - check the updates. Flowflex (from Liquor store) www.aconlabs.com/flowflex-covid-19-antigen-home-test-new-shelf-life-extension/ - and ask your insurance to reimburse the cost of test kits. for the free tests from the Government program (see below) check dates at www.aconlabs.com/flowflex-covid-19-antigen-home-test-new-shelf-life-extension/ - and ask your insurance to reimburse the cost of test kits. for the free tests from the Government program (see below) check dates at https://diagnostics.roche.com/us/en/products/params/sars-cov-2-pilot-covid-19-at-home-test.html#expiration

iHealth COVID tests: https://ihealthlabs.com/pages/news#expiration **BinaxNow** check at https://www.fda.gov/media/158003/download
If you have another type, do a google search by brand. look later for extension updates.

COVID vaccines for children between 6 months and 5 years old, available now at selected locations. Nearest to us are Convenient MD or maybe your Doctor's office. Additionally, **Ages 5-11 were recently approved for a Covid-19 booster** vaccine. **Maps of sites** for 6 mo. to 5 and ages 5-11 are at https://www.vaccines.nh.gov/

Warner's new cases <u>reported</u>: 5 since last Thursday, as of 8/31/22. Total so far 710. <u>www.wmur.com/article/covid-19-cases-nh-town/37155089#</u>. Note positive home tests are not included unless reported.(Updated every Thursday)

Covid 19 Merrimack County is currently rated as LOW risk by the CDC County Check Tool (based on hospitalizations and deaths, not total cases).

7 of 10 NH Counties including Merrimack are rated LOW risk of Community. 3

Counties are rated MEDIUM risk. Transmission risk this week according to the CDC covid-19 data tracker site https://covid.cdc.gov/covid-data-tracker/#county-view:

CDC guidelines for isolation and quarantine have changed again: https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/your-health/quarantine-isolation.html#

FREE at- home rapid tests are **NO LONGER available** from <u>covidtests.gov/</u> HOWEVER, if you purchase tests and have insurance, ask if you can be reimbursed.

Vaccination data: creeping up slowly! Did you get your 2nd booster yet? (at 50+) Town by Town www.wmur.com/article/covid-19-vaccine-nh-town/37373063.

Warner: 68.2% fully vaccinated, 75.8% at least one dose.

Merrimack County (CDC) over age 5: 74.2% fully vaccinated, 89.3% at least 1 dose.

To get a COVID-19 vaccine: <u>vaccines.nh.gov</u>. You can also schedule a vaccine through your doctor's office. Vaccinations for Covid-19 are FREE, and available for **ages 6 mo and up**. **Second boosters** 4+ months after the first, for ages 50+.

We Recommend

We have PASSES for you!

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

"Must See" Show: World on Fire by Roger Robbins

It is September, 1939, and Europe has exploded into World War II. The Germans have invaded Poland, and, now, the English have declared war on Germany. This is the setting for

The John Hay Estate at The Fells https://thefells.org/

The Currier Museum of Art in Manchester. currier.org.
Current exhibit Arghavan Khosravi
Surrealist paintings to Sept. 5, 2022.
Gee's Bend Quilts In Gee's Bend,
a small, Black community just south of Selma, Alabama, several generations of women developed a distinctive style of quilt making.
Borrow a book about it! The quilts of Gee's Bend / John Beardsley

NH Telephone Museum

https://www.nhtelephonemuseum.org
Summer hours: OPEN 10 am - 4 pm
Tugs, through Sat

Tues. through Sat.

Exhibit: Alexander Graham Bell.

McAuliffe-Shepard Discovery
Center starhop.com includes the Mt.
Washington Observatory Museum.

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

Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum exhibit 100 years of Hopi Katsina carvings.

The **Nature Discovery Center**, located alongside the Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum, is open Saturdays at 10:30 AM - 4 pm & Sundays 1-4 pm.

World on Fire, a superlative miniseries available at the library.

While **World on Fire** is a war drama, with periods of brief, intense violence, it is really a story of personal landscapes, the oft-times interlocking dramas of a handful of people fighting to survive.

There is Harry, a translator at the British Embassy in Warsaw, who marries <u>Kasia (Zofia Wichlacz is superb in this role)</u>, a polish girl. In the rush of the Nazi onslaught, Kasia gets separated from Harry. She joins a band of Polish freedom fighters while Harry - now back in England - learns his former girlfriend, Lois Bennett, is pregnant.

Harry's stylishly upper class mother, Robina (played to perfection by Lesley Manville) must deal with Harry's (working class) pregnant girlfriend. Then, Robina learns that the little Polish boy Harry rescued and brought home to England is really the brother of Harry's missing Polish wife. An unforgettable performance by Helen Hunt as an American journalist in Berlin. Multiple, riveting storylines.

New titles: <u>May June July August</u> **Find other lists** <u>at our catalog</u>. and at <u>Instagram.com/pillsburylib</u>

The most recent audio and ebooks purchased for Overdrive. nhdbooks.blogspot.com

Teen Talk by Ella



Six Crimson Cranes by Elizabeth Lim

The exiled Princess Shiori must unravel the curse that turned her six brothers into cranes, and she is assisted by her spurned betrothed, a capricious dragon, and a paper bird brought to life by her own magic. If you enjoy <u>Six Crimson Cranes</u>, check out the sequel, <u>The Dragon's Promise!</u>

<u>Princesses -- Fiction | Brothers and sisters -- Fiction | Blessing and cursing -- Fiction | Cranes (Birds) -- Fiction | Betrothal -- Fiction | Magic -- Fiction | Cranes (Birds) -- Fiction | Cranes (Birds) -- Fiction | Betrothal -- Fiction | Magic -- Fiction | Cranes (Birds) -- Fic</u>

Fiction | Fantasy

Miss Sue's News (for Kids)

Preschooler Story times
with Miss Sue are held every
Thursday at 10:30 am -

New Children's Items in our catalog: May June August

Remember that the library has <u>passes to</u> <u>Museums</u> and **NH State Parks**

Have you ever read "Make way for Ducklings" by Robert McClosky? The Boston ducklings were recently decked out for an end of Summer swim!



stories, songs, fingerplays, and a craft.

This program is being held in the library's Children's Room.





Have you heard of the 1000 Books Before Kindergarten program? It's a great way to be sure you're reading

regularly to your child. Ask Miss Sue for information and to sign up. It really is fun and goes very quickly!

Events in Brief

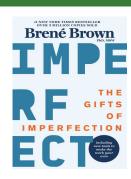
Every Week

- Library Story Time Thursdays 10:30 am
- Warner Farmer's Market, Sat. 9 1 Town Hall
- Barn Sale, Sat. 9-12 and Tues. 1-4 at Warner Historical Society.
- Family Closet Thrift Store 10 am 4 pm Wed. & Sat. at Warner Community Center.

Coming Soon

- Sun. Sept 4 at 4 pm <u>BookEnds Book Group</u>
 Discusses Gifts of Imperfection by Brene Brown
- Household Hazardous Waste Collection Event Sat. Sept. 10, 9am -1pm at Warner Highway Dept.
- Wed. Sept 14 PFL Book Group discusses <u>In Five</u> Years by Rebecca Serle
- Fri. Sept 16, Fish Fry Community Supper at Magdalen College 5-7 pm. \$15 adult, \$8 age 6-12.
- Wed. Sept 21 6:30 pm NH Saves: Button Up Workshop, Pillsbury Free Library. Free.

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, visitnh.gov, kearsargecalendar.com nhhumanities.org/programs/upcoming, centerfortheartsnh.org Arts calendar facebook.com/NHMusicCollective/,

Library Meetings

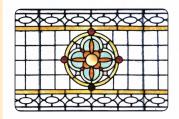
Library Trustee meetings include the Monthly Board Meeting on the third Tuesday of each month (at 6:30 pm, in person) Various Committee meetings, some that meet monthly, vary in meeting schedules.

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>.

Your Donations Keep Library Services Strong!



Purchase plants, cards or Simply Donate HERE Contributions to the library may be <u>donated online</u>, mailed to P. O. Box 299, Warner NH 03278 or put in the book drop! <u>Contact us</u> if you have any questions.



Stained glass theme

<u>"Thank You" card</u>s (3 for \$5), or other non-specific library stained glass cards (5 for \$10), pictured here. Call 603-456-2289 to arrange for pickup.







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