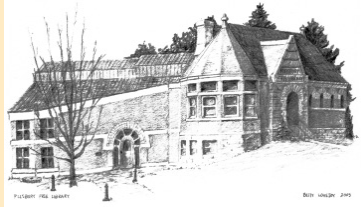


## Pillsbury Free Library News October 20, 2022, Warner, N.H.



**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](http://warner.lib.nh.us)*

## Community News From Your Library

**We now have 946 Subscribers! Tell your neighbors about subscribing!**

**You may need to click "See more" at the bottom to see ALL the news!**

Find older newsletters, or subscribe to the free emails at [warner.lib.nh.us/library-news](http://warner.lib.nh.us/library-news).

For reliable delivery, it helps to add **[newsletter@warner.lib.nh.us](mailto:newsletter@warner.lib.nh.us)** address to contacts.

## In and Around Warner

**Monday Oct 24, 5 pm Selectboard work session on budgets for** Emergency Management, Police, Fire Department and Library.

**Tuesday, Oct 25, 2022 6:30 PM**  
**Warner Town Hall, Hybrid via Zoom**  
**#1 Public Hearing**

**The Friends of the Concord/Lake Sunapee Rail Trail** Request for an Easement on Town Owned Property known as Map 14, Lot 3 at the end of Willey Lane, and Town Owned Property known as Map 17, Lot 9, near New Waterloo Cemetery on Rt 103 West.

**#2 Public Hearing**

**The Warner Community Power Committee** request to seek Select Board Approval to changes to the Joint Powers Agreement (JPA) with Community Power Coalition of New Hampshire (CPCNH). This change would allow changes to be considered outside of the annual meeting as needed while maintaining the approval process as is.

**#3 Public Hearing**

**Design Options by CMA Engineering Inc. for the Transfer Station**

**#4 Public Hearing**

**Highway Equipment Purchase** with up to \$200,000 from Highway Equipment Capital Reserve.

**Energy Committee** Wed, Oct. 26,

**Help Wanted!** The Department of Public Works is looking for a CDL driver, a building and grounds maintenance person, and an all around laborer. Please contact DPW Director Tim Allen at 603-456-3366. Interested parties must use a [Town of Warner Employment Application](http://Town of Warner Employment Application) to apply. Please send cover letter, Employment Application, and resume along with references via email to [jobs@warnernh.gov](mailto:jobs@warnernh.gov), via USPS mail to PO Box 265 Warner, NH 03278, or drop off at the Select Board's Office at Town Hall, 5 East Main St, Warner, NH.

**Road work** is still in progress on **Plains Road and Schoodac Road** for the next week or so. Also, line work continues on **Rte 103** going from the Roundabout towards Bradford.

**Warner Fire Rescue's Annual Turkey Raffle** Nov. 19, 7-9 pm at the Fire Station. A great community social event. Sponsors and prizes welcomed.

**Kearsarge Food Hub's 2nd Annual Love Local: Meet Your Farmers and Makers Virtual Event** Tuesday, November 1st, from 6:00 - 7:30 pm [bit.ly/KFHlovelocal](http://bit.ly/KFHlovelocal) Includes brief videos about five different NH farmers and makers, who they are and what they do. Including **Warner's Vegetable**

5:30pm – 6:30pm

### **Budget Committee meeting**

Thurs. Oct. 27, 7pm 2023 budgets  
Come see how the budget is created!

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

**Subscribe to Town notices +/- or alerts:**  
[warnerNH.gov/keep-in-touch](https://warnerNH.gov/keep-in-touch)

The Town of Warner still has an opening for a **Health Officer**. Job information: <https://dhhs.nh.gov/sites/g/files/ehbemt476/files/documents/2021-11/holu-role-of-the-local-health-officer.pdf>  
This is a stipend position, Email [administrator@WarnerNH.gov](mailto:administrator@WarnerNH.gov)

**Ranch.** Then meet and talk with these folks about their work and what the impact investing in a local food system looks like.

**General State Election, November 8, 7 am to 7 pm** Warner Town Hall.

- [Sample Ballot](#) (2 pages)
- [Absentee Ballot Requests](#)

**Ballot Counters** are needed. Counters start at 7 p.m. and stay until every Ballot is counted. Counters must be registered Warner voters, If willing to count, email [kathy.carson50@gmail.com](mailto:kathy.carson50@gmail.com) with name and address as listed on the voter list.

### **Warner Historical Soc. Voting Day**

**Bake Sale** (volunteers needed).

The Library's Voting Day display table will make you smile! Watch for details!

The **American Red Cross** urges you to **give blood** or platelets - at **St. Andrew's Episcopal Church**, 354 Main St. Hopkinton, 10/26/2022 | 01:00 PM - 06:30 PM  
<https://www.redcrossblood.org/give.html/drive-results?zipSponsor=03301>

## Warner Artists

According to the Select Board minutes of 09/27/2022, the Town is looking for someone to volunteer to maintain the flowers around the Town's veterans' monument at the corner of Church St and Kearsarge Mtn Rd. **Martha Mical** has been doing this for years and the Warner Woman's Club also used to do it. (Thanks Martha for all the hard work). On Facebook some people have already indicated interest - but room for more/ other locations?!

**Kearsarge Open Studios, Nov. 4 & 5** Artists of all types will be in residence at venues around Warner on Saturday Nov 5, 10 am to 4 pm. Opening reception on Friday evening Nov 4, 5-7 pm at the Upton Chandler House Museum.

## Warner Nature/ Fall Foliage



Photo of a Yellow-throated Warbler nest by Mimi Wiggin.

**Foliage status:** <https://newengland.com/seasons/fall/foliage/peak-fall-foliage-map/>

Fallen leaves form a vital part of the life cycle of many larvae and make warm homes for many mammals and insects over winter. They feed the soil and create habitat and opportunities for many living beings to survive at the

edges of the cliff we have pushed them to. The earth's winter blanket. Leaf blowers kill these opportunities and fry the larvae. If you must get them off your paths, a good stiff brush or rake does a good job. Learn why you should leave your leaves  
<https://returntonow.net/.../top-7-reasons-not-rake-leaves/>

## Have Fun and Reduce Waste, Too!

**Warner 4-H Club** and the **Pillsbury Free Library** are teaming up to provide two "Sew

**and Take" activities** for all levels of ability. Volunteers Susan Jenna and Marcia Moyer (and others?) will provide help with basic sewing skills on portable sewing machines. 4-H students will pre-cut the fabric as community help to save project time. Both FREE events will be at the library. Register by phone - 603-456-2289.

Thursday November 10 at 6:30 pm: **Make a Tote bag** for books, groceries or a gift!

Thursday December 1 at 6:30 pm: Make re-usable fabric **gift wrap bags** to jazz up gifts! These activities will use donated fabric and materials, to make useful items that also reduce plastic and other waste! Thank you to those who have donated fabric! (Tote bags need 1 yard). Thread also accepted!

## Sports, Youth Clubs, Daycare

**KCPA Community Outreach and Bring a Friend Days!** October 24th through the 28<sup>th</sup> If your friend enrolls in class you will both win a free prize! Girls a pair of tights and boys a T-Shirt.

**Boys & Girls Clubs of Central New Hampshire** Preschool Childcare in Warner!

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

## Halloween!



Warner **Trick or Treat** will be **October 31** from 5:00pm to 8:00pm. Please use extreme caution whether you are walking or driving. Please use flashlights and/or wear reflective clothing.

**Warner PTO at Simonds Elementary School** is hosting a Halloween party **for elementary age kids and families**

(No need to be a Simonds School student - Homeschoolers welcome) **Friday Oct. 28**, 6:30-8:30 at the Simonds School. Free admission, Treats, Costume prizes and more. **SPECIAL GUESTS** - The Lavender Fields Farm Stand from [Pumpkin Blossom Farm](#).

FRIDAY, OCT. 28, 2022 AT 7 PM **SILENT FILM NIGHT** NH Telephone Museum **FUNDRAISER** "The Bells" with Lionel Barrymore [1926] -Warner Town Hall [www.facebook.com/events/808955060141271](https://www.facebook.com/events/808955060141271) live music by Jeff Rapsis to accompany this classic silent-era film on the big screen. Doors open at 6:30 pm. Film begins at 7:00 PM\* Admission: \$15:00 **ADVANCED RESERVATION REQUIRED!**

\*Late arrivals will NOT be seated until usher is available to escort you to a seat

**Ross Mingarelli of [Candle Tree Soy Candles](#)** and **Cafe One East** are teaming up to bring back the annual **Pumpkin carving** event, Sat. October 29, 8 am - 4 pm on the lawn at Cafe One East. Pumpkins will be displayed until Oct 31. Warner [Market Basket](#) provided 100 pumpkins at no markup cost for this event. Come get into the halloween spirit and join in! Pumpkins provided at no cost just bring your pumpkin carving tools. Completed pumpkins will stay at the Cafe and be on display during Halloween weekend! Adults need to accompany children. [www.facebook.com/events/828679808581123](https://www.facebook.com/events/828679808581123)

The Library is hosting an **Autumn Party for grades 4-6** Saturday Oct. 29 (note change of date from Simonds newsletter). Register please! See the Library Kids' news below.

**Spooky Stories** Sunday Oct. 30, 3-5 pm at the Lower Warner Meeting House, 225 E Main St. (some stories may not be suitable for young ears!). **Share a spooky story or just come to enjoy all the creepy stories new & old.** Dress warmly! Cosponsored by Hopkinton Historical Society. **Needed: a Few more Ushers please** email if you'd like to lend a hand: [info@warnerhistorical.org](mailto:info@warnerhistorical.org).

**Simonds School students' costume parade** will be Monday October 31 starting from

the school at 2 pm and walking to the Library crossing and back. **Come to wave and smile** (in costume if you want!).

## Music, Crafts, History, and Museums

**NH Telephone Museum** holiday 'basket' will be raffled off on Wed. Nov. 30 (photo) TICKETS ARE ON SALE FOR \$20.00. The 'basket' is valued for over \$700 dollars! Purchase raffle tickets: [https://www.nhtelephonemuseum.org/.../Holiday\\_Basket...](https://www.nhtelephonemuseum.org/.../Holiday_Basket...) **NHTM** Hours will adjust to the season on November 1 (reducing to Tuesdays and Saturdays only for Nov-Dec.),

**Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum** is holding a Workshop Saturday, November 5 from 11 am to 1 pm to learn the **basic zig zag technique of quill work**. This workshop will be taught by Dan Shears and all materials will be provided.

**Fall 2022 Indian Museum Online Auction fundraiser will be Nov. 4-13, 2022.**

Help us out! Send your news to [Newsletter@library.warnerNH.gov](mailto:Newsletter@library.warnerNH.gov)!

## Helping Hands

### Warner Connects NH Food Pantry and Community Resource Center News

The **Kearsarge Wildcats Football** game on Sunday, Oct. 23, will host a **food drive** for the WCNH Food Pantry from **9 a.m. to 11 a.m.** at **Riverside Park**. Suggested donations: cans of hearty soups, tuna, packets of Knorr pasta sides, rice, oatmeal, cereal (Cheerios, Chex, Raisin Bran), salad dressing, mustard, catsup, wet cat & dog food, and paper towels. **Many thanks in advance!**

Do you have **extra eggs looking for a home**? We have lost our regular egg supplier and would welcome any extra eggs from your happy chickens. We can pick up if needed. Call 603-456-2053 for more info.

Gleaning the last of your produce gardens? If you have **extra produce that you can't use**, please consider sharing it with us for distribution to our Food Pantry clients. Call 603-456-2053 with any questions.

As always, **we are happy to reuse your plastic grocery bags**. The collection receptacle sits outside of the tent and is accessible 24/7

**Family Closet Thrift Boutique** is OPEN 10:00-4:00 Wednesdays and Saturdays

## COVID News

**COVID-19-positive hospitalizations in New Hampshire highest in 8 months**

**FDA authorizes updated COVID-19 booster shots for children as young as 5**

**Free COVID and Flu VACCINES! New COVID-19 boosters target the BA.4 and BA.5** Omicron subvariants - available for people aged 5 years and older.

**[vaccines.nh.gov](https://vaccines.nh.gov)**. (pharmacies that have been doing Vaccines -or schedule a vaccine through your doctor's office. Vaccinations for Covid-19 are FREE.

**Covid Home Test kits:** many insurance plans will cover up to 8 tests per month per person. CVS has it set up on their website to order test kits. Walgreens also is offering help. They run them through your insurance and then you can pick them up in store.

**Expiration dates on some COVID tests** have been **extended** - check the updates. Do a Google search by brand. Look again later for extension updates.



Warner's new cases **reported: 3** since last Thursday, as of 10/20/22. Total so far **735**.  
[www.wmur.com/article/covid-19-cases-nh-town/37155089#](http://www.wmur.com/article/covid-19-cases-nh-town/37155089#). (Updated Thursdays)  
Note that reported numbers do not reflect all cases due to home testing.

Merrimack County and four other counties' risk is at **MEDIUM** in the [CDC County Check Tool](#) (based on **hospitalizations and deaths, not total cases**).  
Transmission risk: **CDC covid-19 data tracker** site <https://covid.cdc.gov/covid-data-tracker/#county-view>

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

## We Recommend

**We have PASSES for you!**

**Rollins State Park** is planning to stay open until Nov 13 weather permitting - book ahead when nice!  
Use our NH Parks Pass!

**For NH Museum links and info about library passes, visit**  
[warner.lib.nh.us/museum-passes/](http://warner.lib.nh.us/museum-passes/)

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

**The Currier Museum of Art** in Manchester. [currier.org](http://currier.org).  
**Current exhibit:** [Gee's Bend Quilts](#)

**NH Telephone Museum**  
<https://www.nhtelephonemuseum.org>  
**Summer hours:** OPEN 10 am - 4 pm  
Tues. through Sat. (& Sun.10/9)

**McAuliffe-Shepard Discovery Center** [starhop.com](http://starhop.com) includes the Mt. Washington Observatory Museum.

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

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

## My Tutor, Jeremy Irons by Roger Robbins

T.S. Eliot scared me. As a green college student, with no sense of subtle, reading The Great Poet was like hitting a stonewall. All I felt was confusion; all I remembered was the name "Prufrock".

Fifty years later, that changed, thanks to the gifted actor Jeremy Irons. With [a book of Eliot](#) in hand, I listened to [Jeremy Irons read the poems](#). His flawless cadence, his studied pauses, his "attack" of each poem, brought Eliot's work to life.

Soon, I understood Eliot's poems were about real people and daily life. I chuckled at "Aunt Helen"; I recognized the view from "Morning at the Window"; and from "Mr. Apollinax", when I read of the dowager Mrs. Phlaccus, and of Professor and Mrs. Cheetah, I said "I know these people!"

Give [T.S. Eliot's poems](#) a try. Listen to [Jeremy Irons' reading of those poems](#) from **BBC Radio 4**. It is a journey to enjoy.

New titles: [June](#) [July](#) [August](#) [Sept.](#)  
**Find other lists** [at our catalog](#).  
and at [Instagram.com/pillsburylib](https://www.instagram.com/pillsburylib)

The most recent audio and ebooks purchased for Overdrive: [nhdbooks.blogspot.com](http://nhdbooks.blogspot.com)

## Teen Talk by Ella



*Since You've Been Gone* by [Morgan Matson](#)

It was Sloane who yanked Emily out of her shell and made life 100% interesting. But right before what should have been the most epic summer, Sloane just...disappears. All she leaves behind is a to-do list.



On it, thirteen Sloane-inspired tasks that Emily would normally never try. But what if they could bring her best friend back? Emily now has this unexpected summer, and the help of Frank Porter to check things off Sloane's list.

[Self-reliance -- Juvenile fiction](#) | [Best friends -- Juvenile fiction](#) | [Friendship -- Juvenile fiction](#) | [Dating \(Social customs\) -- Juvenile fiction](#) | [Connecticut -- Juvenile fiction](#)

## Miss Sue's News (for Kids)

**New Children's Items in our catalog:**  
[August](#) [September](#) [October](#)

Remember that the library has [passes to Museums](#) and **NH State Parks**

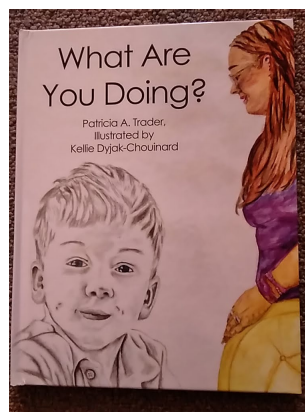
The [Halloween](#) books and DVD's are out and available to borrow. If you don't want to purchase a costume, there are some nice books on making them and masks. Also, Miss Sue has a Die Cut machine with a mask pattern that will be easy for you to **make masks**. (Thursday story time on October 27 we will also be making masks)

**CHANGE OF DATE! The Halloween party for the 4th graders and up will now be on Saturday, October 29th, 5:30-8:00PM.** Costumes and registration required. We'll have a pot luck meal, games, and the next **PLAY** will be announced and scripts will be available for anyone interested. **REGISTER please!**



**Preschooler Story times** with Miss Sue are held every **Thursday at 10:30 am** - stories, songs, fingerplays, and a craft. This program is held **in the library's Children's Room**.

**Warner resident-Pat Trader** has published her first children's book [What Are You Doing?](#) **CONGRATULATIONS!** She has donated a copy for the Warner collection we have. The book is available on Amazon, Miss Sue will be ordering one soon. If you'd like to see it, it will be at Miss Sue's desk for awhile.



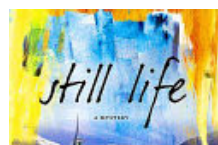
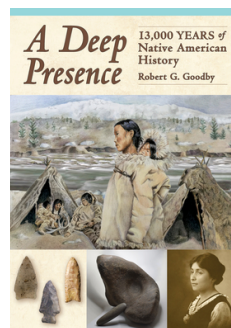
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### Every Week

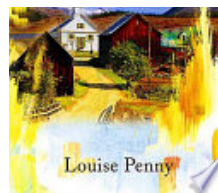
- **Library Story Time** Thursdays 10:30 am
- **Family Closet Thrift Store** 10 am - 4 pm  
Wed. & Sat. at Warner Community Center. **9-4 on Sat. Oct 8!**

### Coming Soon

- **Reed's Acoustic** Sun. Oct 23, 4-7pm  
[Dave Graham](#)
- **BookEnds Book Group** Sun. Nov. 6th at 4:00pm: [A Deep Presence](#) by [Robert Goodby](#)
- **PFL Book Group** Wed. Nov. 9th at 1:30: [Still Life](#) by [Louise Penny](#)
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Check the [Warner Events Calendar](#) for more.



### Other Online Event listings: Things to do or view

[warner.lib.nh.us/warner-events-calendar](http://warner.lib.nh.us/warner-events-calendar), [nh365.org](http://nh365.org), [visitnh.gov](http://visitnh.gov), [kearsargecalendar.com](http://kearsargecalendar.com), [nhhumanities.org/programs/upcoming](http://nhhumanities.org/programs/upcoming), [centerfortheartsnh.org](http://centerfortheartsnh.org), [Arts calendar](#), [facebook.com/NHMusicCollective/](https://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.

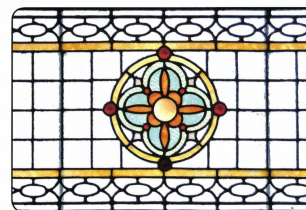
Trustee meetings are published 24-48 hours in advance on the [Warner Events Calendar](#). Approved minutes are published on the [Trustee Meetings page](#).

## Your Donations Keep Library Services Strong!



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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.



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