## Pillsbury Free Library News October 27, 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 952 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 <a href="warner.lib.nh.us/library-news">warner.lib.nh.us/library-news</a>. For reliable delivery, it helps to add <a href="mailto:newsletter@warner.lib.nh.us">newsletter@warner.lib.nh.us</a> address to contacts.

### In and Around Warner

#### **Budget Committee meeting**

Thurs. Nov 3 at 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 <a href="https://WarnerNH.gov/calendar">https://WarnerNH.gov/calendar</a> Details: <a href="https://warnerNH.gov/agenda">WarnerNH.gov/agenda</a>

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The Town of Warner still has an opening for a **Health Officer**. Job information: <a href="https://dhhs.nh.gov/sites/g/files/ehbemt47">https://dhhs.nh.gov/sites/g/files/ehbemt47</a>
6/files/documents/2021-11/holu-role-of-the-local-health-officer.pdf
This is a stipend position, Email <a href="mailto:administrator@WarnerNH.gov">administrator@WarnerNH.gov</a>

**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 <a href="mailto:kathy.carson50@gmail.com">kathy.carson50@gmail.com</a> with name and address as listed on the voter list.

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 to apply. Please send cover letter, Employment Application, and resume along with references via email to 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.

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 pmbit.ly/KFHlovelocal Includes brief videos about five different NH farmers and makers, who they are and what they do. Including Warner's Vegetable Ranch. Then meet and talk with these folks about their work and what the impact investing in a local food system looks like.

Warner Historical Soc. Voting Day Bake Sale (volunteers needed). The Library's Voting Day display table will feature give-aways! Stop and chat with a Library Trustee or the Director!

#### **KRSD School Board Meeting**

Thu, November 10, 6:30pm – 8:30pm **No School** - Veterans' Day Fri. Nov. 11

**Excuse the mess!** Those who have visited or passed by the library the last two weeks will have noticed Paradigm Plumbing, Heating and AC are installing our new heat exchange heating and cooling units, which are more energy efficient than our old systems, will provide up to 2/3 of our heating needs and improve summer cooling in the Library. Thank you to staff and library users who have been putting up with noise, ladders, and workmen during the process, and to Paradigm for considering our needs as they work around us.

## **Warner Artists**

**Kearsarge Open Studios, Nov. 4 & 5.** Artists of all types will be present at venues around Warner on Friday November 4, 5-7 pm, and Saturday Nov. 5, 10 am to 4 pm. Venues include **The Gallery at MainStreet Bookends, Café One East, Warner Historical Society, and Warner Public Market**. Opening reception on Friday evening Nov 4, 5-7 pm at the Upton Chandler House Museum.

Warner artist **Susan Beere** is continuing to show her work for sale at Warner Public Market, including ceramic tile works, watercolors, collages, ceramic pendants, postcards, note cards and journals.

# Warner Nature/ Fall Foliage

Foliage status: <a href="https://newengland.com/seasons/fall/foliage/peak-fall-foliage-map/">https://newengland.com/seasons/fall/foliage/peak-fall-foliage-map/</a>

**Bears** are active around Town, with many sightings in the last week. Porcupines are grazing the lawn at all times of day on Newmarket Rd, Skunks are digging up lawns on Main Street.

# 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

**Thursday November 10** at 6:30 pm: **Make a Tote bag** for books, groceries or a gift! Sign up required. **Register** at <a href="https://forms.gle/7X6iDXZQqenh3eJC6">https://forms.gle/7X6iDXZQqenh3eJC6</a> or call 603-456-2289.

community help to save project time. Both FREE events will be at the library.

**Thursday December 1** at 6:30 pm: Make re-usable fabric **gift wrap bags** to jazz up gifts! Sign up required. **Register** at <a href="https://forms.gle/RyavPm5TDpHS5zf67">https://forms.gle/RyavPm5TDpHS5zf67</a> or call 603-456-2289

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!

## Warner Clubs etc

The **Warner Men's Club** has folded its tent. The small balance left in the Club's accounts has been donated to the Library as a small token of thanks for the meeting space provided

for the Club's Board meetings.

The Warner Fall Foliage Festival Board of Directors has some information to share:

- 1. There is still time for non-profit groups to apply for funding from the Festival's proceeds. The deadline is October 31, 2022. Information about the funding and the application form can be found at: <a href="Funding Requests">Funding Requests</a> 75th Fall Foliage Festival (wfff.org)
- 2. The Annual Meeting for the Festival Membership will be held on Wednesday, January 11th at 7 PM in Town Hall. This is where the Membership will hear of the funding recommendations of the Funding Sub-committee and vote on whether or not to accept the recommendations. This is also a time to provide feedback, offer suggestions, ask questions, etc... Festival Membership includes anyone who lives in Warner or anyone who was a part of the Festival.
- 3. The Board has several open spots for key roles. The roles of Board President, Volunteer Coordinator and Secretary are open. There are other Board roles to fulfil other tasks that come about in the course of planning for the Festival. Anyone who is interested in these roles, or wants to know more information, can contact the current Volunteer Coordinator, Beth Lukaitis, at volunteerwfff@aol.com.
- 4. The Annual Membership meeting is the time when new Board members are appointed. There is a very real risk that if the current openings are not filled by the Annual meeting, this will be the final meeting of the WFFF.

https://wfff.org/raffle/ list of Booster ticket raffle winners

The American Legion Post 39 (WILKINS-CLOUES-BIGELOW-PEARSON Post 39) meets on the first Tuesday of each month at 7 pm. In warm months meetings are at the American Legion building (near Reed's North), and in the winter meetings are held in the lower part of the NH Telephone Museum. Come see how you can help other local Veterans, make some friends, or find out about helpful programs for Vets. Veteran's Day is fast approaching - offer to help with the ceremony! Contact Charles at cetrowbridge1948@gmail.com.

**Post 39 serves veterans, their families and communities** in Warner, Webster, Bradford, Sutton and other towns in Central NH. **Any honorably discharged veteran that served on active duty** as of December 7, 1941, through the present date of hostilities, yet to be reached is eligible to join the American Legion.

**Boys & Girls Clubs of Central New Hampshire** Preschool Childcare in Warner! To enroll your child apply online at <a href="https://www.nhyouth.org/location/warner-early-learning-center/">https://www.nhyouth.org/location/warner-early-learning-center/</a>. They will be starting once staffing is established.

DON'T MAKE US have to come find you (on Facebook, IG, etc.)! Help us out! Send your news to Newsletter@library.warnerNH.gov!

## 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 <u>Pumpkin Blossom Farm</u>.

FRIDAY, OCT. 28, 2022 AT 7 PM **SILENT FILM NIGHT** NH Telephone Museum **FUNDRAISER** "The Bells" with Lionel Barrymore [1926] -Warner Town Hall <a href="https://www.facebook.com/events/808955060141271">www.facebook.com/events/808955060141271</a> 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

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: <a href="mailto:info@warnerhistorical.org">info@warnerhistorical.org</a>.

**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!).

## **Warner Business**



Yup, Pumpkin Whoopie Pies - and other goodies - are available at <u>Wicked Sweet Cakes and Treats</u> in Bradford, (owner is Lisa Fantasia of Warner). While they last. Open Breakfast and Lunch Fri. & Sat. 7- 4, Sun. 7-2

**Ross Mingarelli** - CandleTree soy candles (made in Warner) were named in an email from Staples Connect's #shoplocal small business spotlight for Concord.

<u>https://www.staplesconnect.com/small-business/directory/nh/concord/candletree-llc-44-north-main-street.html</u> Congrats Ross!

**Warner Area Farmer's Market** is finished for the season (but watch for a Holiday Shopping fair probably on December 3).

Warner NH Indoor Flea Market is open year round on Saturdays (8 am to 3pm) and Sundays (8am to 2pm). Lots of treasures to be found. 139 Kearsarge Mountain Road.

# 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: <a href="https://www.nhtelephonemuseum.org/.../Holiday\_Basket...">https://www.nhtelephonemuseum.org/.../Holiday\_Basket...</a> 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.

# **Helping Hands**

Warner Connects NH Food Pantry and Community Resource Center News Creating Winter Warmth The annual Coats of Care winter coat drive returns next month. Sponsored by Sotheby's Realty in New London, the collection drive runs Nov.1-30. Donate clean winter coats, snow pants, and child hats & mittens in the labelled collection bins outside the Food Pantry tent. Need a warm coat now? We have you covered! Call 603-456-2053 for details.

**Fuel Assistance applications** are still being accepted through CAP and WCNH. Delays in benefit letters and fuel deliveries remain due to the increased number of applicants. **Need an emergency delivery of propane, oil, wood or wood pellets?** WCNH can help. Call 603-456-2053 for more info.

We have **new**, **safe electric heaters** available to loan out for an emergency need. Please contact us for more info.

**Health Care Options: Medicare Open Enrollment** runs Nov.1 to Jan.15 and can be quite confusing. With that in mind, WCNH is partnering with **Health Market Connect**, a federally funded program that offers free, unbiased Marketplace health insurance assistance to NH residents. On-site appointments with Certified Community Healthcare Navigators will be handled by WCNH. Call 603-456-2053 for more info.

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. **ORANGE TAGS (Barbs) = 50% off this week.** All Women's pants and jeans only \$3, Hats, Gloves, Scarves only \$1. Winter CLOTHES are here: Coats, Snowpants, Boots, Fleece, Sweaters, Capes, Jammies, and more. Don't miss the Dollar Rack and \$2 Shoes! Winter GEAR: Skis, Ski boots, Helmets, Skates, Hiking Boots, Muck Boots, and more Traveling? We have suitcases, bags, and packs. Hunting? We've got apparel.

## **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. <a href="mailto:vaccines.nh.gov">vaccines.nh.gov</a>. (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 <u>reported</u>: 2 since last Thursday, as of 10/27/22. Total so far 737. <u>www.wmur.com/article/covid-19-cases-nh-town/37155089#</u>. (Updated Thursdays)

Note that reported numbers do not reflect all cases due to home testing.

Merrimack County and five other counties' risk is at MEDIUM in the CDC County Check Tool, and two are HIGH this week as cases rise (based on hospitalizations as well as case rates per 100,000).

Transmission risk: **CDC covid-19 data tracker** site <a href="https://covid.cdc.gov/covid-data-tracker/#county-view">https://covid.cdc.gov/covid-data-tracker/#county-view</a>

#### 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/

The **John Hay Estate at The Fells** <a href="https://thefells.org/">https://thefells.org/</a>

The Currier Museum of Art in Manchester. <u>currier.org</u>.

Current exhibit: <u>Gee's Bend Quilts</u>

#### **NH Telephone Museum**

https://www.nhtelephonemuseum.org Starting Nov. 1, OPEN 10 am - 4 pm Tues. AND Sat. only to December 31.

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.

# Beatlemania Bubbles (Again!) by Roger Robbins

For my parents, the Ed Sullivan Show, on Sunday nights, was a bit of peace and quiet, a chance to listen to what they called "good singing" - Andy Williams or Johnny Mathis or Perry Como. Then came Sunday, February 9, 1964, when Ed Sullivan introduced "The Beatles".

The Beatles on Ed Sullivan was a seismic event. A cultural tsunami. . John, Paul, George, and Ringo were popular beyond belief. There were Beatle fanzines; Beatle wigs; Beatle cards (Topps); Beatle lunch boxes and drinking cups; Beatles albums and .45s; Beatle movies and a Beatles cartoon show.

Beatlemania slows but never stops. Now, there is a beautiful Dvd set called "Get Back", produced by Peter ("Lord of the Rings") Jackson, a three-part documentary with live, never-before-seen footage of the Beatles creating music as well as the final Beatles "rooftop" concert. Watching this show was a welcome visit with old friends from good times.

New titles: <u>July August Sept. Oct.</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: <a href="https://nhdbooks.blogspot.com">nhdbooks.blogspot.com</a>

# Teen Talk by Ella



Emma is a traditional Victorian maid living with her mistress. When a young nobleman comes to call on his old teacher, he can't help but notice Emma. With comical visits from friends in faraway lands and everyday life in Victorian England, fans of Jane Austen are sure to find appeal in this book!

<u>Domestics -- England -- Comic books, strips, etc | Social classes -- England -- Comic books, strips, etc | Man-woman relationships -- Comic books, strips, etc</u>

### Miss Sue's News (for Kids)

New Children's Items in our catalog: August September October

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

The next book on our Story Walk is Animals in Fall by Martha E.H. Rustad. Enjoy a nice Autumn walk and a good book!



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.

There is a new "Steam to Go Building and Design" kit in the children's room. This kit was purchased with a local donation. This kit is geared toward grades 4+ with an emphasis on architecture and engineering.



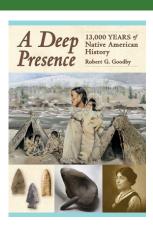
## **Events in Brief**

#### **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!
- Trivia Night at Reed's North every Thursday 6-8

#### **Coming Soon**

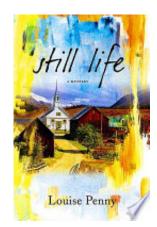
- Reed's Acoustic Sun. Oct. 30, 4-7pm <u>Mikey G</u> at Reed's North
- BookEnds Book Group Sun. Nov. 6th at 4:00pm: A Deep Presence by Robert Goodby



 PFL Book Group Wed. Nov. 9th at 1:30: <u>Still Life</u> by <u>Louise Penny</u>

Check the Warner Events Calendar for more.





### 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!



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.



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.







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