

Pillsbury Free Library News ~ June 8, 2023, Warner, N.H.



PILLSBURY FREE LIBRARY
Warner, New Hampshire

Hours

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 with no mask. You can also borrow books by phone 603-456-2289, email, or by placing holds from the website catalog at <https://warner.lib.nh.us>

Community News From Your Library

Emailed to 1003 Subscribers! (plus paper copies for non-email homes)

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. For reliable delivery, it helps to add newsletter@warner.lib.nh.us address to contacts.

In and Around Warner

Agricultural Commission Meeting

Monday, June 12, 7:00 – 8:00pm

Road Committee

Wednesday, June 14

Precinct Commissioners

Wednesday, June 14, 3:30 pm

Zoning Board Meeting

Wednesday, June 14, 7:00 – 8:00pm

Planning Board Work Session IF

NEEDED Monday, June 19, 7– 9:00pm

Select Board Listening Sessions -

Christine Frost is available Tuesdays from 7am - 9am at Cafe One East. Jody Sloane is available by apt. Mon-Fri.

Town committees... Meet mostly at

Town Hall and often also on ZOOM. Links are on agendas WarnerNH.gov/agenda
<https://WarnerNH.gov/calendar>

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warnerNH.gov/keep-in-touch

Kearsarge Regional School District

2023 & 2024 Calendars available [HERE](https://www.facebook.com/KearsargeSAU65)
www.facebook.com/KearsargeSAU65

KRSD Graduation Saturday, June 10

will be broadcast live at

<https://ycnow.com/streaming/>

11:00am KRHS Graduation (2 hrs)

1:00pm Kearsarge Adult Diploma

Program Graduation (1 hour)

Last day of school is Wed. June 21.

[STA New Hampshire](https://www.stanewhampshire.com) is recruiting individuals to join their team of **school bus drivers**. Now is the perfect time to begin your training and be ready for the upcoming school year this Fall!

[Application form](#)

SATURDAY June 10, 10 AM – 12 PM

Pope Memorial SPCA Adoption Event

Warner Aubuchon Hardware (24 Nichols Mill Lane, Warner, NH)

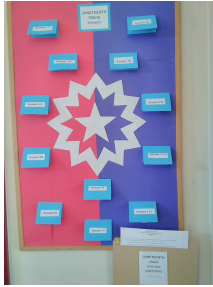
Change in Newsletter coming!

Heads up! This newsletter will be **dropping to monthly** in July and August - and maybe beyond that, so send your news early! Deadlines will be the last week of the prior month. We may send various types of library news in between, such as events, children's

programs, tech tips, or new book lists, so **check/ update your subscription profile** at the link at the bottom of this email or subscribe now to be sure you get news you want!

It's that time of year!

June is PRIDE month! [Kearsarge Area Pride](#) Celebrations will be held Saturday, June 17 in Warner. Miss Sue will be reading stories about tolerance and diverse families. Find books and DVDs in our catalog lists [PRIDE](#) [Pride \(child/parenting\)](#), and [Pride-teens](#)



Monday June 19 is Juneteenth! Pillsbury Free Library and Warner Historical Society invite you to celebrate at **Warner Town Hall at 7 pm.** Learn the history of Juneteenth and all about Warner's Black soldiers, followed by some traditional Juneteenth refreshments! There is also a trivia test activity and a paper dolls display at the Library.



Stop by the NH Telephone museum later in the week to view their section on African Americans important in Telephone history.

Helping Hands

NEW HOURS for June: The **Warner Food Pantry**, 49 W. Main Street, is now open **Tuesdays, 4-6 pm and Thursdays from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.** The Fresh Produce cart will be coming soon on Thursdays with free produce for all.

VOLUNTEERS are needed to help a few hours a week either in the Food Pantry or at the Family Closet Thrift Boutique. Also, **CONTINUED DONATIONS** of Food and Seasonal Clothing, and paper goods and hygiene products, soaps etc. are needed

If you are interested in volunteering, contact Patty Anderson at Family Closet: 603-456-2183 or Warner Food Pantry: 603-456-2053 or email familyclosetwcnh@gmail.com or stop in to discuss during **store hours, Wed. and Sat. 10:00am - 4:00pm** 49 W. Main Street. Thank you for supporting the Warner Food Pantry

Red Cross blood drive at United Church of Warner, Friday June 9, 12 - 4:30 pm. 7 spots still available: Sign up at www.Redcross.org <https://www.redcrossblood.org/give.html/drive-results?zipSponsor=03278>

Free or low cost window inserts to save energy: sign up now! Kearsarge Climate Action (KCA), collaborating with Kearsarge Neighborhood Partners (KNP), with support from non-profit **Windowdressers.org of Maine**, to bring the local Kearsarge Windowdresser project to residents and businesses in Andover, Bradford, New London, Newbury, Sutton, Springfield, Sunapee, Warner, and Wilmot.

To learn more, watch the YouTube video- [The News Project- Windowdressers Return](#) or go to windowdressers.org for details and to sign up. The local **community build** where the custom interior window inserts are fabricated will be at Saint Andrews Episcopal Church in New London, Nov 9-15, 2023. At this time they are looking for customers and/or volunteers. Measuring teams will measure customer windows during the summer months. Sign up deadline will be mid September. This year's goal is 200 inserts or about 30 customers.

UNH's Institute on Disability is implementing a **free Linkage Project** for people with an **Intellectual or Developmental Disability**. The Project is designed to help individuals by identifying unmet health needs, providing education & connecting them with providers or

programs.

Participants must be: 18+ years old, NH residents, experience an **Intellectual or Developmental Disability** & participate in enrollment/follow up appointments. Enroll by emailing linkage.project@unh.edu or call 603-931-2123 & ask to speak with a Linkage Coordinator.

Warner Area People

MainStreet Warner Inc. has announced this year's recipients of the **Jim Mitchell Scholarship**: Kelsey Kane, Anna Lick, Meghan Blood, Analiese Blasingame, Madisson Brady. "They each exemplify the qualities of kindness, giving, and community involvement during their years here in Warner, and now taking those qualities as our ambassadors into their college careers." ***Congratulations All!***

Did we miss mentioning YOUR news? Help us out!
Send your news to Newsletter@library.warnerNH.gov!

Warner Outdoors

Merrimack County Conservation District has donated fruit trees, berry bushes and plants to the Children's Park next to MainStreet BookEnds, and the **Kearsarge Neighborhood Partners' Tray-It-Forward Program and FEED Kearsarge Victory Gardens** has built raised garden beds and provided starter seedings. Check it out! The MCCD also donated some perennial flowers to the Library, which Nan Cogswell has kindly planted for us!

<https://www.takingactionforwildlife.org/blog/2023/05/warners-woods-walk> was posted Wednesday, May 31, 2023 at UNH Taking action for Wildlife Cohorts by Karinne Heise, Warner Community Conservation Cohort Participant. Find past Warner posts at <https://www.takingactionforwildlife.org/search/warner>

Looking for resources to discuss climate with children or your family? Try these:

- [Mentoring Nature Connections podcast](#)
- <https://www.girlscouts.org/en/activities-for-girls/for-every-girl/girl-scout-climate-challenge.html>
- [Environmental Justice](#) and [Biodiversity guides](#) for Grades 6-12 from the Smithsonian Science Education Center's Science for Global Goals.
- <https://feedbackloopsclimate.com/> short films on climate

Want a safe but pest free lawn and garden? Here are some tips:

<https://www.maine.gov/dacf/php/pesticides/yardscaping/lawn/six-steps.htm>

<https://www.maine.gov/dacf/php/pesticides/yardscaping/why/index.htm>

Creative Community



Starting **June 15 at 6:30 pm!** A monthly **Writer's Workshop** group led by prize-winning author, poet and writing teacher **David Elliott**. Tentatively titled the **Warner River Writer's Workshop**, the intent is to meet monthly on the **third Thursday of each month** at the Pillsbury Free Library. There will be writing prompts, skill tips, and guest presenters (future workshops). More details [HERE](#) or pdf [HERE](#).

NH Telephone Museum: June 10 at 1PM – **Family Mosaic Workshop** with local artist Lizz Van Saun from Kast Hill Studio. Create a small, colorful project suitable for ages 7+.

sign up at www.nhtelephonemuseum.org/

The DoBros will help kick off the summer concert series **June 10, 6:30-8:30pm** at The MainStreet Warner Stage in the Jim Mitchell Community Park (next to BookEnds)! Shows are free to the public but donations are greatly appreciated and go directly to funding future events at the MainStreet Warner Stage. <https://www.facebook.com/warnerstage>
Thurs, June 15, at 6:30 PM – 8 PM **Green Heron** <https://www.facebook.com/events/1445629369594603>

Preview of concerts by Katharine Nevins: ycnnow.com/2023/06/01/music-in-warner/
More at MainStreet Warner Stage on Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/warnerstage>

June Jam at [Muster Field Farm Museum](http://MusterFieldFarmMuseum) is fast approaching!! Plan to join us on **June 24** for an exciting line-up of local folk, blues, jazz and rock musicians. Burgers, hot dogs, snacks & beverages are available or pack your own picnic to enjoy. Gate opens at 3:30, music begins at 4:00. Tickets are \$15 per person and are available on site the day of the event. (Children under 14 are free) <https://www.facebook.com/MusterFieldFarmMuseum>

The 2023 Tory Hill Authors Series schedule is now at www.toryhillauthorsseries.com/
Each event takes place at 7pm on Saturday at the Warner Town Hall and is followed by a dessert reception. Tickets are \$10 for each program.

Warner Historical Society is assisted in choosing and contacting authors by Katharine Nevins of [MainStreet BookEnds of Warner](http://MainStreetBookEndsofWarner). BookEnds will have the author's books for purchase in the store, and books will also be available on the evening of the talk.

First up: July 8 at 7 pm *The Solace of Sunrise* by Ted Levin. Finding solace during the Pandemic by writing about the natural world right outside the front door for 500 days.

Vendor applications for Fall Foliage Festival October 6-7, 2023 are now open to **new vendors**. wfff.org/vendors (scroll down for application.)

Warner Area Business & Jobs

Kearsarge Chamber of Commerce's Monthly Mingle/Business After Hours(BAH) is on **Tuesday June 13** at [New Hampshire Telephone Museum](http://NewHampshireTelephoneMuseum). Come meet area business owners! Colin Nevins will be providing music. If you are interested in hosting a Business After Hours, please contact membership@KearsargeChamber.org.

Kearsarge Chamber of Commerce next printing of its business brochure is coming soon! Membership directory as of June 19 at 8:00 AM will be used for the summer brochure. Join now! Ad space available. (must be ready by end of day Friday, June 16.)

Lavender Fields at Pumpkin Blossom Farm pumpkinblossomfarm.com Lavender products store is open for the season 10 am – 4 pm in June, Wed- Sunday.
2023 **U-Pick Lavender** Tentative dates: Wed., July 5 - Sun., July 23 10am - 6pm daily

Promote your business! Set up a booth at **Warner Palooza** on **Saturday, August 12**, 10AM to 4PM at **Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum** powwow field. Accepting registrations until June 30. <https://www.indianmuseum.org/calendar/2023/8/12/warner-palooza>

Friday June 9, 4pm– 7pm **Wine and Cheese Tasting: Summer Wines** at [Warner Public Market](http://WarnerPublicMarket) (ages 21+ for wine).

[Charlie Mac's Pizzeria](http://CharlieMac'sPizzeria) has new Lasagna Rolls filled with ricotta cheese then topped with house Marinara. There is also an option to add meatball or sausage!

History, and Museums

Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum (MKIM) fundraiser on **Wednesday, June 21** at Reed's North. Dine in or do take out from 5-8 pm and a portion of the proceeds will be donated to the museum. The theme will be Summer Solstice. Enjoy good food and summer tunes to benefit MKIM and support a local business! [Reed's North Event](https://www.indianmuseum.org/calendar/2023/6/21/dinner-at-reeds-north)
<https://www.indianmuseum.org/calendar/2023/6/21/dinner-at-reeds-north>

22nd Annual Powwow! Saturday, July 8, 11 AM, to Sunday, July 9 at 5:00 PM. Food, music, dancing, shopping and more! Visit the event page for more information and make plans to be part of this exciting event! [MKIM Powwow Page](#). The museum will be open from 10 am to 4 pm both days.

New hours: The **Nature Discovery Center** located in Warner, across from the Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum, will be open only on Saturdays from 1 to 4 PM in summer 2023. **Opening day will be on Saturday, June 24th.** Call 603-822-2334 if you want to help ready the Museum for opening or to become a volunteer.

Sign up for the **NH Telephone Museum** newsletter at www.nhtelephonemuseum.org/

We Recommend

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

NH State Parks
www.nhstateparks.org/

NH Telephone Museum
<https://www.nhtelephonemuseum.org>
and Warner Firefighter's Museum,
Open Tues. thru Sat., 10 am to 4 pm

McAuliffe-Shepard Discovery Center includes the Mt. Washington Observatory Museum and "Littles" programs! **Open** Fri-Sun and **Vacations** 10:30 AM-4 PM. See starhop.com for show schedules.

The Currier Museum of Art in Manchester currier.org is open, Wed-Sunday. 1/2 price with pass.
[Exhibition "The Living Forest: UYRA](#)

MFA- Boston: For the promo-code "pass", to get a large discount, call us at 603-456-2289. mfa.org/

Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum
10-4 Mon. - Sat., 12 - 4 Sundays

Ticked Off! by Roger Robbins

On your nose; between your toes; or sitting in the sink; inside or outside, it's tough to avoid them, they're quicker than you think. Ticks!

Ticks are not only annoying, they're dangerous. Pillsbury Free Library has books on Ticks and Lyme Disease to inform you. Titles include [Cure Unknown: Inside the Lyme Epidemic \(Weintraub\)](#); [Preventing Lyme & Other Tick-Borne Diseases \(Chesney\)](#); [Natural Treatments for Lyme Coinfections \(Buhner\)](#); and [Beating Lyme \(Bean\)](#).

In addition, Warner author **Dana Myskowski** has written a novel ([I Cannot Play With You](#)) that treats on the topic of chronic Lyme.

Library resources on ticks and Lyme Disease also include two films: [Under Our Skin](#) and [Under Our Skin 2: Emergence](#). The library has a number of handouts on tick identification and removal, including **"New Hampshire Tick Detective Workbook for Kids"**. [The Centers for Disease Control website on ticks](#) is a fabulous online resource for tick education. See also ILADS.org for disease Info. Be careful & be safe!

The **John Hay Estate at The Fells**

<https://thefells.org/> is OPEN!

Borrow a pass from the library!

New titles: [Feb](#) [Mar](#) [Apr](#) [May](#), [June](#)

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

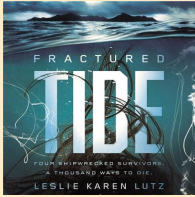
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Teen Talk by Casey Milender

It's **SYNC Free Audiobook Season!** April 28th until August 2nd!

Check out AudioFile Magazine's **FREE teen audiobooks for all!** 2 per week - download now and read later if you don't have time now. <https://audiofilemagazine.com/sync/>

From **June 8- Jun 14**, the 2 Free SYNC Audiobooks to download this week are:



Fractured Tide by Leslie Karen Lutz

Filled with horror and suspense, this novel follows the life of Sia as her

love of scuba diving becomes the thing of nightmares.



Hurricane Song by Paul Volponi

This is an historical fiction novel about a father and son's survival of hurricane Katrina and its aftermath in the Superdome.

This Week's Young Adult Recommendation from our collection:



Left-Handed Booksellers of London by Garth Nix

This is the first in a 2 volume set with **The Sinister Booksellers of Bath**.

The Old World is full of strange and frightening creatures, while the New World is the one we live in. Merlin is a left-handed bookseller who, along with his sister Vivian and an art student named Susan, find themselves navigating through adventures as the Old World spills into the New.

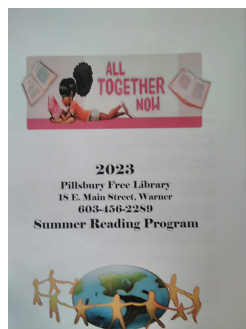
Miss Sue's News (for Kids)

New Children's Items in our catalog:

[April](#) [May](#) [June](#)

Remember that the library has [passes to Museums](#)

Time to register for the [Library Summer Program!](#) Open to anyone finishing Kindergarten and up. Choose as many days to come as you want. Free. Keep the reading level up, get summer reading done for school and have fun!



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

The next story walk that will be up soon is [Juneteenth](#) by Van G. Garrett. Celebrate all that is June, and summer on the way with a nice walk along the river while you read!



Warner Youth

Simonds Field Day is June 20th. They are looking for volunteers to help with activities! If you are interested, please reach out to Wendy in the office ASAP. 603-456-2241.

The Boys & Girls Clubs of Central New Hampshire Early Learning Center in Warner is looking for donations of toddler toys for indoors, and durable outdoor toddler playground items. Funds to purchase items are also accepted. Contact Danielle at dthurston@nhyouth.org or 603-856-8649.

COVID News

CDC's No Cost COVID-19 Testing Locator
<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/your-health/end-of-phe.html>

FREE At-Home Covid-19 Test Kits can be picked up **at the Library**, and at Town Hall, courtesy of NH DHHS. Tests are good until October 2023. For businesses and non-profits, or parents who want youth size masks, ask us for **boxes of masks**.

Warner's new COVID-19 cases reported: 0 since Thursday 6/1/23. Total so far **793 as of 6/8/23 www.wmur.com/article/covid-19-cases-nh-town/37155089#.** (Updated Thursdays). Note reported **numbers do not reflect all cases due to home testing**. **CDC covid-19 county data** 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#>

Events in Brief

Every Week

- **Library Story Time** Thursdays 10:30 am
- **Family Closet Thrift Store** Wed & Sat 10-4
- **Trivia Night at Reed's North** Thurs 6-8pm

Coming Soon.

- **Reed's Acoustic: Jimmy Howe 4-7 pm**
Sunday June 11 at Reed's North
- **Library Book Group:** Wed. June 14, 1:30 pm
On Juneteenth by Annette Gordon-Reed
- **Pride Picnic** Sat. June 17 at Jim Mitchell Park. Evening event at Riverside also.
- **Juneteenth History & Celebration**, Warner Town Hall, June 19 at 7 pm. Free.

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, centerforheartsnh.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.

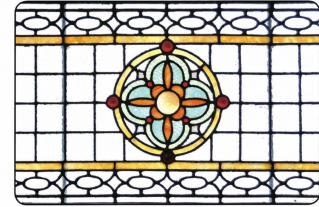
Trustee meetings are published 24-48 hours in advance on the [Warner Events Calendar](#). Approved minutes are published on the [Trustee Meetings page](#).

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