### Pillsbury Free Library News ~ July 6, 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

# **New Items & Events at 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 <u>warner.lib.nh.us/library-news</u>. For reliable delivery, it helps to add *newsletter@warner.lib.nh.us* address to contacts.

This week's News features museum events, trails, author events and youth summer events. For other local JULY 2023 events see past issues at www.warner.lib.nh.us/library-news

### **Town & School**

New **BLUE** windshield stickers are being issued for using the Warner Recycling and Transfer Station. Stickers are available at the Transfer Station office. Please show registration or tax bill.

Town committee meetings: https://WarnerNH.gov/calendar Agendas: WarnerNH.gov/agenda

Subscribe to Town notices +/or alerts: warnerNH.gov/keep-in-touch School Reading Lists There will be no KRSD Summer Suggested reading lists or required reading from the Kearsarge School District this year. If you want suggestions, ask library staff for ideas or past lists.

Red Cross blood drive. July 7, 12 to 5pm <u>www.Redcross.org.</u> 3 spaces left United Church of Warner. Sign up at: <u>https://www.redcrossblood.org/give.html</u> /drive-results?zipSponsor=WARNER

Condolences to the family of **Bernard "Ben" Hilbrandt Holmes**, who passed away unexpectedly on March 4, 2023. Services will be held Monday July 17 at 10 am at Kearsarge Community Presbyterian Church in New London. <u>Obituary at legacy.com</u>

## **Local Author & Artist Events**

**The 2023 Tory Hill Authors Series** schedule is at <u>www.toryhillauthorsseries.com/</u> Each event takes place at 7pm on a Saturday at the Warner Town Hall and is followed by a dessert reception. Tickets are \$10 for each program online or at the event.. **MainStreet BookEnds of Warner** 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. **July 22** <u>New Hampshire Fish and Game: A History</u> by Jack Noon Just published! Though he lives just yards outside of Warner, Sutton resident Jack Noon tells our local history like no other.

**Tuesday July 11th at 9:30AM. Matt Forrest Esenwine** will be the guest presenter for the CHILDREN'S Library summer program. **Registration is required. Matt will read** <u>"A</u> <u>Beginner's Guide to Being Human"</u> and <u>"I Am Today"</u> followed by an origami project.

**Warner Historical Society**'s Opening Reception of the 2023 Summer Exhibit, "**The Village of Davisville**" will be Thurs. July 13, 5-7 pm with refreshments. Author/artist Fernanda Harrington whose images of Davisville are part of the exhibit, will be on hand.

# **Outdoors Fun**

**For a quick cool swim** and a quiet place to relax, fish, or picnic, don't forget Warner's <u>Town Beach at Silver Lake</u> on Bean road (just up the hill from Riverside Park!). Free, plenty of parking, changing room and bathroom available. Or come hang out in the library where we have AC, comfy chairs, wifi and BOOKS!

### Try the Plastic Free July Challenge: www.plasticfreejuly.org/

The <u>Nature Discovery Center</u> located in Warner, across from the Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum, is open on Saturdays from Noon to 4 PM. A comprehensive collection with exhibits and trivia challenges suitable for all ages. <u>www.ndcnh.org</u>

PYO Blueberries will start soon at **Blue Moon Farm** but is running later than usual due to the weather! Check for updates at <u>https://www.facebook.com/bluemoonberryfarm</u>

**U-Pick Lavender**: at Lavender Fields at Pumpkin Blossom Farm daily **Fri. July 7 - Sun. July 23, 10 am - 6 pm**. Products store is also open. <u>pumpkinblossomfarm.com</u>

### Free hiking trails and boardwalks:

Did you know? We have lightweight **NATURE KIT backpacks** filled with durable folding identification guides perfect for learning about nature on your hikes or beach trips!

The <u>Warner River Story Walk</u> starts at the library and is a 1/3 mile peaceful /rail trail along the Warner River while you read the displayed picture book on 21 podiums! Try the rail trail at Bagley, too! There are many other <u>Concord-Lake Sunapee Rail Trails:</u> (SEE ARTICLE in the <u>Concord Monitor July 2, 2023</u> featuring Warner's Tim Blagden!)

The **Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum's Medicine Woods** trail is free, and there is a guide to its featured plants to borrow at the Museum or the library. See also <u>Powwow</u>!

Have you ever visited the **<u>Bradford Pines</u>** giant pines and trail? Just off Rte 103 between the traffic lights at the rest area in Bradford.

How about the <u>Bradford Bog</u> trail on East Washington Road (lots of Bug-eating plants!) Or the <u>Philbrick - Cricenti Bog Trail</u> in New London (Stay on the boards - it's deep!)

Some more extensive (hilly) local hikes: **Kearsarge-Sunapee-Ragged Greenway** loop trail: <u>www.srkg.org/trails-guide-summary/</u> (Not so) **Fun Fact:** Researchers have found at least one species of tick can "fly" onto hosts without jumping, <u>using the static charge</u> on hosts to draw them across the gap without being touched! The distance is equivalent to us leaping 4 flights of steps! <u>Watch!</u>

## **Museums and Parks: Passes & events**

The library has <u>passes</u> to the museums and parks below! More info and links at <u>warner.lib.nh.us/museum-passes/</u>

**NH State Parks:** reserve our pass for entry fees, but check and reserve a space at <u>www.nhstateparks.org/</u> on busy dates. We love <u>Odiorne Point</u> in Rye!

<u>NH Telephone Museum https://www.nhtelephonemuseum.org</u> Open Tues. thru Fri, 10 am to 4 pm, Sat 10 - 3 pm. Also **Warner Firefighter's Museum**. On **Wed., July 12**,10 am to 4 pm. The museum will be **open to all Warner residents** by donation.

**4th Phriday** event: **Friday**, **July 28**, at 7 PM – 8:30 PM *Painting What She Hears* with artist Brandy Patterson. Guests are welcome to arrive at 6:30 to wander the galleries. Members FREE, Non-members \$5.00 Register <u>at website</u>.

McAuliffe-Shepard Discovery Center includes the Mt. Washington Observatory Museum and "Littles" programs! New Geodesic Dome exhibit! Open Fri-Sun and Vacations 10:30 AM-4 PM. See <u>starhop.com</u> for show schedules. The new Science Playground is open from 11am-3:30pm on days the Discovery Center is open (subject to weather). Access to the playground is included with general admission tickets to the Discovery Center (library pass covers this). The Grand Opening and Ribbon Cutting Ceremony will be on Monday, July 17th, 2023 at 11am and will include a visit from NH Governor, Chris Sununu.

The Currier Museum of Art in Manchester <u>currier.org</u> is open Wed- Sunday. get in for 1/2 price with library pass. Notable Exhibits: Celebrating the Art and Life of Tomie dePaola

https://currier.org/exhibition/celebrating-the-art-and-life-of-tomie-depaola/ Starting July 15 Distant Conversations: Ella Walker and Betty Woodman https://currier.org/exhibition/distant-conversations-ella-walker-and-betty-woodman/

Museum of Fine Arts in Boston: <u>https://Mfa.org</u> New exhibits in July: <u>https://www.mfa.org/exhibition/tiny-treasures-the-magic-of-miniatures</u> <u>https://www.mfa.org/exhibition/matthew-wong-the-realm-of-appearances</u> More Exhibits listed at <u>https://www.mfa.org/exhibitions</u> For the promo-code "pass", discount at MFA, call us at 603-456-2289.

<u>Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum</u> 10-4 Mon. - Sat., and 12 - 4 Sundays 22nd Annual <u>Powwow</u>! Saturday, July 8, 11 AM, to Sunday, July 9 at 5:00 PM. Food, music, dancing, shopping and more! <u>MKIM Powwow Page</u>. The museum will be open from 10 am to 4 pm both days

Just for kids: Sunday, July 9 from 10:30-11:30 Sensory Friendly (quiet) Interactive Hour about indigenous people and traditions, using the five senses.

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

Artists Weekend and Wet Paint Sale July 8 & 9 watch *Plein Air* artists. Art in Bloom exhibit Thursday-Sunday, July 14-17, 10:00am-4:00pm

# **Teen Reading**

**Read and Win!** Find the full lists of **Read With Jenna (Jr.)** - books <u>here</u>. For every book from the **teen RWJ list** that you read, you will be able to pick up a reward at the library **AND** be entered into the Grand Prize Drawing at the end of the summer!

### It's SYNC Free Audiobook season until August 2nd!

Download AudioFile Magazine's **FREE teen audiobooks for all**! Download 2 weekly titles and read later if you don't have time now. <u>https://audiofilemagazine.com/sync/</u><u>Remaining Titles:</u>

**June 29 - July 5** The Woman Who Split The Atom: The Life Of Lise Meitner by Marissa Moss & Bump: a play by Chiara Atik

**July 6 – July 12** The Boy In The Red Dress by Kristin Lambert, & This Rebel Heart by Katherine Locke

**July 13 – July 19** The Lantern's Ember by Colleen Houck, & Red Hood by Elana Arnold **July 20 – July 26** The Getaway by Lamar James, & The Wonderland collection (Lewis Carroll)

**July 27 – August 2** FREEDOM! The Story of the Black Panther Party & Not Without Laughter by Langston Hughes

**Thousands of free Audio books** are also available at <u>https://NH.overdrive.com</u> using the Libby app or at <u>https://libbyapp.com/</u> using your library card number and password.

Find the most recent audio and ebooks purchased for Overdrive: nhdbooks.blogspot.com

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

**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.



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by an origami project.

Tuesday and Thursday afternoons, and anytime on Saturday you are welcome to **come meet at the library.** Its a great, free space to have a play date, especially in the summer on rainy days or too hot to be outside! Miss Sue has several kinds of board games and would love the challenge of a quick game of checkers! There may even be a time to "sneak" in a quick story!

### JULY LIBRARY SUMMER PROGRAMS

**Register Now** for the <u>Library Summer</u> <u>Program</u>! Open to anyone finishing Kindergarten and up. Free. Choose as many days to come as you want. **Preregistration required for each.** *All Together Now* is our theme

Or just **track your summer reading** and come to the end of Summer family potluck. Call: 603-456-2289 anytime for info or to join in the fun!.

Tues. July 11 at 9:30 AM Guest- Author Matt Forrest Esenwine Wed. July 12 at 1:30 PM Make cards for soldiers Tues. July 18 at 9:30 AM Spread the love around town Wed. July 19 at 1:30 PM Kindness/Friendship rocks Tues. July 25 at 9:30 AM Squam Lakes animals "Be an Earth Hero" Wed. July 26 at 1:30 PM - Flowers

New Children's Items: <u>May June</u> July <u>STEM activity kits</u> available to borrow!

# Warner Youth

**Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum** has a new program this year for young children to learn about indigenous culture in a safe and kid friendly environment. On **Sunday, July 9th from 10:30-11:30** we'll be hosting our first **Sensory Friendly Interactive Hour** based on the five senses. Children will be able to participate in a way that is comfortable for them without being overwhelmed by the music and dancing of the powwow.

The **Warner Farmers Market Annual Kids' Day** is back **July 15th, 9 AM to 1 PM**! All local kids are welcome to come sell handicrafts, art, food and beverages to the public, doting grandparents and each other. Table fees of \$10 are collected during the day, no prior registration is required. If you have questions or need help arranging a tent/table contact David Bates, <u>dcbates70@gmail.com</u>, 603-748-2668."

### Kearsarge Center for the Performing Arts (KCPA)

SUMMER CLASSES July 10th-14th & August 21st-25th KCPA is an ACROBATIC ARTS CERTIFIED STUDIO, Pre-School through Module 1 Camps for Ages 3-10 explore Dance, Theatre Arts, Music, and Acro. Preschool Camp Littles in Motion Ages 3-5 10:00 am-11:30 am Kids Camp Ages 5-10 3:30 pm-6:00 pm

Camps for age 11+: include Classical Ballet, Pointe, Modern, Jazz, Tap, Contemporary, Hip Hop and Acro, Improvisation, Choreography, Physical Theatre and more! Dance Intensive Intermediate Ages 11 and up or based on skill level 9am-noon Dance Intensive Advanced Ages 11 and up or based on skill level 9am-4 pm

**Riding camp at Twin Ridge Farm** for all levels of young riders from those who have never met a horse in person before to those who have been competing. \$500/child for the week.TwinRidgeFarmNH@gmail.com Session one runs 7/24-7/28, Session two is 8/14-8/18, from 9am to 3pm https://www.facebook.com/events/233235642751576

#### Don't forget the library has passes to NH Parks and some kid-friendly museums!

Did we miss mentioning YOUR news? Send it early! Next General News issue will be July 20, August Events issue July 27. Send your news to Newsletter@library.warnerNH.gov!

## **Regular 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
- Warner Area Farmer's Market Sat. 9am-1pm (July 15 = Kids' day!)
- Barn Sale at WHS Tues. 1-4 pm, Sat. 9-12
- **Pickleball** for everyone at Riverside Tennis Courts, Wed 6pm, Sunday 9 am (and other times listed on TeamReach app for WarnerNHPB group. (code WPB21) Equipment available to use.

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

# Keep up with local News!

**Heads up!** General Town news will be **monthly** in mid July and mid August for detailed Warner News, so send your August news early! Deadline will be the last week of the prior month. HOWEVER, we plan to send various types of library news in the weeks between, such as Youth programs, tech tips, and new book lists.

Actions you can take to keep up with events and news:

- 1. **Check/ update your subscription profile** at the link at the bottom of this email or subscribe now, to specific topic lists to be sure you get the news you want!
- 2. Subscribe to The InterTown Record to see weekly area Town news & columns
- 3. Concord Monitor "About the Towns" includes a Warner section, weekly .
- 4. Check the Warner Events Calendar at warner.lib.nh.us/warner-events-calendar
- 5. Check out the Messenger online or pick it up free at Market Basket
- 6. **Subscribe to other newsletters** or become a member of the various organizations in Warner that host events, or find their calendars online, such as:
- NH Telephone Museum www.nhtelephonemuseum.org/
- Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum /www.indianmuseum.org/events or Newsletters
- Warner Historical Society www.warnerhistorical.org/ (newsletter link at bottom)
- MainStreetWarner and MainStreet Warner Stage https://mainstreetwarnerinc.org/
- MainStreet BookEnds holds author events and has a newsletter
- Warner Public Market <u>newsletter</u> covers tastings, workshops and local foods.
- Youth Sports: WYSA <a href="https://www.facebook.com/wysayouthsports">https://www.facebook.com/wysayouthsports</a>
- My kids are growing up in Warner Facebook group
- Let's Talk About Warner Facebook group.

## 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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