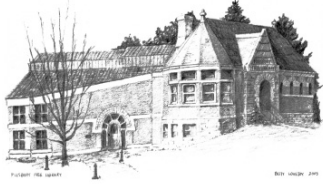


Pillsbury Free Library, Warner, NH ~ Sept. 26, 2024



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Warner, New Hampshire

Library 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

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by phone 603-456-2289,

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or by placing holds in the

catalog at [https://](https://pillsbury.nhais.bywatersolutions.com/)

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Local News from Your Library

Sent to over 1040 contacts! "only" 75% opened last week! (did you open YOURS?)
See past issues or **subscribe** at <https://www.warner.lib.nh.us/library-news>.

NEXT ISSUES: Submit current news and events In brief text please, to
Newsletter@library.warnerNH.gov by **Tuesday Oct. 1**, for **Oct. 3** issue.

Town & School News

Meetings (scheduled in the Town Hall lower level unless otherwise indicated).

Agendas (often with Zoom Link) are at <https://warnerNH.gov/agenda/>

-Please check calendar for times, changes and Zoom links-

<https://WarnerNH.gov/calendar>

Economic Advisory Committee
Listening session for Community Center

Thursday September 26, 7-8pm

Housing Advisory Committee

Monday, September 30, 6:00 – 7:00pm

Selectboard Mtg

Tuesday, October 1, 4:00 – 7:00pm

Conservation Commission

Wednesday, October 2, 7:00 – 8:00pm

Planning Board Meeting

Monday, October 7, 7:00 – 10:00pm

ROAD Closure - Red Chimney Rd is closed at 110 Red Chimney Rd for road work.

If you missed our **Sept. 19** newsletter (which was **blocked** by 117 TDS based addresses) you can find it on our website at www.warner.lib.nh.us/library-news/

Zoom recordings of some meetings:

www.youtube.com/@WarnerNHgov.

Kearsarge Regional School District

www.facebook.com/KearsargeSAU65

STA New Hampshire needs **school bus drivers**. <https://ridesta.com/careers/>

Revaluation Property Visits: Avitar are visiting properties for a few more weeks. They are in a white Honda CR-V car with '**Avitar Associates**' on both sides and they will also have a badge.

Warner Fall Foliage Festival is in only 2 weeks! <https://wfff.org> has been updated and brochures are out!

Warner People

Congratulations to the **residents of Pleasant Lake/ Pond** on becoming cooperative owners of the property, reported in the 9/19 Concord Monitor: www.concordmonitor.com/

[Warner-residents-buy-Pleasant-Pond-manufactured-housing-cooperative-57021015](#)

Condolences to the **Dixon family** on the loss of **Ralph Dixon** Sept 15 ([Obituary here](#)).

Warner Voting

The **Bradford Bridge** is sponsoring a **Candidates' Forum** in Bradford on **Saturday, Oct. 26**, for Warner, Bradford, and Henniker reps.

The General Election is **Tuesday, November 5, 2024**. 7AM - 7PM, Warner Town Hall
The Town Clerk's office will be closed on Election Day.

[Absentee Ballot Information](#) and [Absentee Ballot Request Form](#)

Volunteers Needed to count Ballots at close of Election Polls on **Tuesday, Nov. 5**. Sign up at the Town Clerk's Office or kathy.carson50@gmail.com.

More Town Info

Due to **cleaning of one of the two water storage tanks**, the **water pressure** may be lower in some spots in the **Warner Village Water District** system. Expected duration is until 10/03/2024. Try using water at non-peak times.

Mt. Kearsarge PARK CLOSURE: Rollins State Park is **fully closed to the public** for parking lot paving. For updates, call Park Office: 603-456-3808. <https://www.nhstateparks.org/find-parks-trails/rollins-state-park>

The **Economic Development Advisory Committee:** A "**Listening Session**" will be held at Town Hall on **Thurs. Sept. 26** at 7:00 to discuss the future of the Community Center. Results of the 2024 Warner Community Center **Survey** can be found [here](#).

The public is invited to join the **Warner Conservation Commission** to hike the **proposed mountain bike trail** that has been flagged in Rollins State Park on Mount Kearsarge. **Meet on Friday, Sept. 27 at 1:00 pm at Town Hall** and carpool to the proposed trail head. Please wear proper hiking shoes and long pants since the trail may not be well cleared. We expect the hike will take 2 hours.

The Town of Warner is seeking a Part time **Landuse Secretary** and a full-time **Transfer Station** attendant. warnernh.gov/job-openings/

Warner Beautification Program is looking for volunteers: for Fall planting daffodils & mums, and watering mums. To volunteer ~ Please email: Faith Minton Fminton@warnernh.gov Or Kathy Carson kathy.carson50@gmail.com

Land use / Planning Board cases of interest: <https://warnernh.gov/landusecases/>
Tucker Assisted Living Facility: 9 West Main St, "to increase the current 5 bedroom home into a 20 bedroom assisted living facility."

Encore Solar: Solar array Near 201-299 Poverty Plains Rd

See also [the PB Agenda for Sept 9](https://warnernh.gov/agendas/?show=plan) at <https://warnernh.gov/agendas/?show=plan> for the conceptual consultation about new uses for the former Magdalen College campus.

See also Concord monitor Sept 4 article <https://www.concordmonitor.com/Magdalen-College-property-sold-to-Catholic-church-56833123>

Warner Fall Foliage Festival Weekend

MainStreet Warner [Music Schedule](#) for the 2024 Warner Fall Foliage Festival!
Friday –6-9pm, Saturday: 10AM- 5:30 PM, Sunday 9:30AM-5:30PM <https://wfff.org/>

WFFF 5K run/walk October 12 at 9:30 a.m. registration (\$30) 9/1/24 thru 10/10/24. Race day registration will be \$35. Free shirts to the first 100 registrants. [Register.](#)

Warner Fall Foliage Festival **Kids 1 mile Fun Run!** Sunday at 9 am. This is a fun free event. Free t-shirts will be first come first serve the morning of the race. sign up <https://signup.com/go/hqYEyiS> Also looking for a few volunteers to help set up, take pictures and chaperone the run. Please email woodlawnpet@gmail.com if you can help.

There is no ticket to get into the Festival, so **parking** is \$10 per car. Handicap Parking at the Post Office and Sugar River Bank AFTER 12 p.m. Saturday, and ALL DAY Sunday.

To help the **Library** with its WFFF Booksale, sign up at <https://signup.com/go/GZYzwrM>

Indigenous Peoples' Day - Monday, October 14, 2024 - MKIM is welcoming five authors to discuss their books about Native cultures and perspectives in a special event: **Stories from our Circle!** Books will be available for purchase, signed.

MAINSTREET WARNER LODGE CAMPAIGN KICK-OFF! 17 Church Street, Warner. **Friday, October 11 at 5:00pm:** A short program on The Lodge initiative – its history, progress-to-date, and vision – will be followed by a sign raising and light refreshments.

The summer exhibit at the Upton Chandler House Museum, *Celebrating Warner's 250th Birthday* is open Tuesdays from 1 – 4 pm and Saturdays from 10 am until 1 pm through the Fall Foliage Festival weekend. Admission free.

Parade participants wanted! Walk next to the **250th Birthday** float - signs provided!

Arts, Music, etc

Reed's North Tavern Nights Saturdays. 6-9 pm [Sept 28: Second Wind](#)

Kimball Jenkins Art and Community Center: September 27, 6-8 pm opening night of the New Hampshire Potters Guild Biennial Show. <https://www.kimballjenkins.com/> 266 N. Main St. Concord. Numerous **art classes** also available.

Sunday, Sept. 29, MKIM's Harvest Moon Festival celebrating the traditional harvest season. This family-friendly event features Native foods, craft demonstrations, activities for kids, and educational exhibits including Chris Shadler's fascinating program, *Becoming Wolf: Eastern Coyote in New England*.

Tickets at <https://www.indianmuseum.org/buy-tickets/harvest-moon-festival> \$13

White Horse Pottery is running their Fall wheel throwing pottery classes. Oct 22nd Beginning wheel throwing 10-12 also 2:30 to 4:30. Oct 24th Thursday advanced beginner/intermediate 2:30 to 4:30 . Oct 26th Saturdays all levels 10-12 . All classes run 9 weeks .For more details text or call 603-456-3031 or email jnatrf@gmail.com

Other Event listings online : warner.lib.nh.us/warner-events-calendar, nh365.org, visitnh.gov, kearsargecalendar.com nhhumanities.org/programs/upcoming, centerfortheartsnh.org Arts calendar, facebook.com/NHMusicCollective/

Are you seeing ALL of this newsletter? In some emails or devices, the text is clipped or partly hidden, and you may see a note like "**Click for more.**" The bottom of the newsletter has our Notecard images so if you don't see that, you are MISSING OUT!

Lavender Fields Fall Harvest celebration and final days to visit the farm:
Sept. 27, 28 and 29, 10:00am to 4:00pm. Lavender Infused Cider, Apple Crisp and Blackberry Buckle, Scavenger Hunt, Face Painting, Making Lavender S'mores by the Fire, Lavender Mocktails, Live Music Saturday 12-3! www.pumpkinblossomfarm.com

Museums and Groups

Red Cross Blood Drive: Fri., Oct 4, 12 -5 pm at **United Church of Warner.** To help or donate blood, www.redcrossblood.org/give.html/drive-results?zipSponsor=WARNER

Warner Fish and Game Club has a new Facebook page to post meetings, range hours, etc: <https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100042811542787> When they get enough followers they will be able to name the page properly.

The **Warner Democrats** will be hosting a "Soup, Signs and Swag" event on Sat. Sept. 28 from 12:30-2:00 PM at Silver Lake, (29 Bean Road) in Warner. Signs promoting the Democratic candidates for the November election will be available. Stop by for a delicious cup of soup, meet fellow Warner residents, possibly some of the candidates (with swag!), and leave with signs to show your support.

Warner Historical Society Annual Meeting and Book Release Party new date: October 3, 7pm at Warner Town Hall. A short Annual Meeting followed by a party to celebrate the **re-release of Carl Malmberg's 1974 history of the town, "Warner, New Hampshire 1880-1974"**. A dedicated committee diligently re-typed the text, updated the index and added new photos. Malmberg's history has been out of print for years.

Black History Bus Tour: A Small N.H. Town Remembers Its Black History. The tour will begin at the Warner Town Hall on October 6 from 1 - 3 pm and will concentrate on Davisville. Rebecca Courser and Lynn Clark will be conducting the tour. Wear sturdy shoes, bring water. This is a fundraiser for Black Heritage Trail of New Hampshire. Tickets are \$20, Seniors & Military \$15, Students \$10. Questions, call Rebecca 456-3997. Register at blackheritagetrainh.wufoo.com/forms/z10ftbm51y4a1rf/

Barn Sales: Saturdays 9am to 12 pm, Tuesdays 1-4 pm until Fall Foliage Festival.

NH Telephone Museum Exhibit: "The Lines That Connect Us". Tues- Sat 10am -4pm
NH Telephone Museum **Worldwide Day of Play is September 28** at the museum. STEM kits to play with and our very popular Sound Wave Lab. This event is sponsored by Nickelodeon and the Association of Children's Museums.

Warner Firefighters Museum summer hours: 10-4 Saturdays; tours 10 am - 3 pm.

United Church of Warner is holding a **community game night** Friday Oct 18, 5:30-8.

Health and Helping Hands

Wood Bank volunteer day: Saturday **October 19** with a rain date of October 26 from 9am until done. The tasks involve firewood stacking and cleanup.

Warner Area Food Pantry.
<https://www.warnerconnectsnh.org>.
Wishlist: Shampoo / Conditioner / 2in1 Body Wash, Face Tissues (Boxed kleenex, etc), Brownie/Cake Mixes. Also looking for

The **United Church of Warner sanctuary** is open **4:30-6:30 PM every Thursday** for a quiet place to pray.

More Free COVID Test kits Coming. "In **late Sept.**" all U.S. households may order up to four (4) additional free COVID-19 test kits, www.COVIDTests.gov.

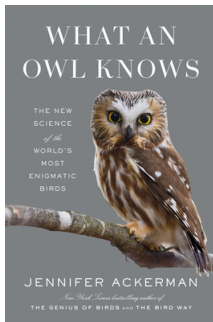
Capital Region Habitat for Humanity takes on projects in Warner: You can apply for assistance with **home repairs** at: www.habitatconcordnh.org/repair-program

Health crisis? www.dhhs.nh.gov/programs-services/health-care/crisis-services

Window Dressers "Warm Windows" Community Build needs volunteers: [REGISTRATION IS OPEN here](#) for YOU to sign up for a 4-hour shift helping to create insulated custom storm window inserts during the **Window Dressers Community Build Nov. 14-20 at St. Andrews Church in New London.** KNP will partner with Kearsarge Climate Action to provide 250 low-cost window inserts, Volunteer as a shift supervisor, window builder, greeter, food provider, or to supply transportation. All training is provided.

At Your Library

Banned Books Week 2024 is Sept. 22-29. Mind boggling statistics and ideas for actions on **Let Freedom Read Day** on **Sept 28** can be found at bannedbooksweek.org/.



The **library book discussion group** meets the 2nd Wed. each month at **1:30 pm** in the library. All are welcome! The library has copies to borrow.

October 9: [What an Owl Knows by Jennifer Ackerman](#)

November 13: [The Smitten Kitchen Cookbook by Deb Perelman](#)

BookEnds BookGroup Meets the first Sunday of the month at MainStreet BookEnds Gallery or Zoom.

Oct. 6: **Remarkably Bright Creatures**

Nov. 3: **The Seed Keeper** (at the Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum)

If you are part of a different book group, you can also request copies via the library through inter-library loan for your group members.

Fall Foliage Festival Library Book Sale, Sat. and Sunday Oct 12-13, 9 am - 4 pm! To help the **Library** prepare for, or sell at the Booksale during WFFF, please sign up at <https://signup.com/go/GZYzwrM> (P.S. You can also donate goodies for the Bake sale.)

Book and DVD donations: Please *hold books* until **October 5 or later:** we simply have no storage! You can start saving SMALL shallow boxes to pack the books in, however!

We have Library passes for free or reduced cost admission to:

NH State Parks pass - NH State Parks are open. **NOTE: Rollins State Park** on Mt.

a **Blood Pressure cuff** battery operated machine. ****Drop off T-TH 10-1pm****

Pantry Client Hours: TUESDAY 4-6 pm & THURSDAY 11:00am- **1:00 pm** .

Office Hours: Tues - Thurs., 10am - 1pm.

<https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=61553264195575>

The Family Closet Thrift Store - Open Wednesdays and Saturdays 10am-4pm 603-456-2183.

Welfare Office Thursdays 1-4 pm on the 3rd floor of the Community building. contact **Peter Flynn**, Warner Welfare officer 24/7, at 603-456-3004 or 456-2298 x1229, or help@WarnerNH.gov.

Kearsarge is currently **closed for Parking lot paving**: call Park Office: 603-456-3808
Mt. Kearsarge Summit weather forecast link: <https://www.nhstateparks.org/find-parks-trails/rollins-state-park>

McAuliffe-Shepard Discovery Center Summer hours: open every day, 10:30 AM - 4:00 PM. See starhop.com for SHOW schedules (add \$7 /show/person). **Science Playground** is open **11am until 3:30pm** weather depending when the Center is open.

The Currier Museum of Art in Manchester currier.org is open Wed- Sunday.
1/2 price with a library pass. Tours of two **Frank Lloyd Wright** homes are extra cost.

Museum of Fine Arts in Boston: www.mfa.org/exhibitions
For the promo-code "pass" discount at MFA, for \$10 admission, call 603-456-2289.
Recently opened: **Salvador Dali: Disruption and Devotion**.

New Hampshire Telephone Museum Tues through Sat., 10 am - 4pm (May - Oct).

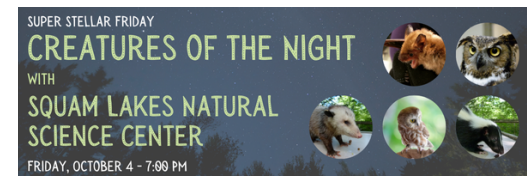
Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum Open Mon. - Sat. 10-4 and Sun. noon to 4 pm. Guided tours daily 10:30 am and 1:30 pm depending on staff availability (Sundays 1:30pm only).

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. **OCTOBER meeting is moved to 10/22**
Trustee meetings are published 24-48 hours in advance on the [Warner Events Calendar](#).
Approved minutes are published on the [Trustee Meetings page](#).

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 Children's Room.



Squam Lakes Natural Science Center will be presenting **Creatures of the Night**, a live animal program, at October's Super Stellar Friday, presented by **McAuliffe-Shepard Discovery Center**. Purchasing tickets ahead is suggested.
Doors open at 6:30 PM on Friday, October 4th, and the presentation will begin at 7:00 PM. For more information and tickets go to: starhop.com/sf

If you are a Thursday afternoon/ Saturday visitor or are planning to come to the library this September 26/September 28th, please be patient with us. We will be emptying our rooms on Thursday and putting them back together on Saturday. Our carpets are getting cleaned so we will be moving as much as possible. Items will still be accessible to you for borrowing but the spaces on carpets will be cleared. We apologize for the inconvenience but we can't wait to have our carpets looking clean again. Thank you!

New Children's Items in our catalog:
[July](#), [August](#), [September](#) and [STEM KITS](#) or [NATURE KIT backpacks](#)

Happy "official" Autumn! Enjoy the season!



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

Are you a teen interested in reading and reviewing books for the Teen books section? Stop by the library on a Monday or Tuesday and talk to Casey!

Warner Youth

Warner 4-H Club has changed the dates of Oct. & Nov. meetings to **October 7** and **November 4** to avoid meeting on the holidays. Same time and place: 6:30 - 7:30 PM at the United Church of Warner. Ages 8-18 welcome.

The Oct 7 meeting will allow us to work on items needed for the Fall Festival Parade float, and Nov. 4 will be Achievement Night.

Kearsarge Youth Hockey players must be registered by **Friday September 27**. **Equipment Swap** will be on Sunday September 29 @ 9:00 at the Proctor rink. First Ice for U10 and older will be Tuesday October 8th. www.kearsargehockey.org/

VOLUNTEER! This year WYSA and Simonds PTO will be collaborating to have the **Lemonade Stand at the Warner Fall Foliage Festival!** Sign up for a volunteer spot. This is a great way for your kiddos to get volunteer hours! volunteersignup.org/BA9TB

Rethink, Refuse, Reduce, Reuse, Recycle, Repair

EV Expo: Sunday, Sept. 29, Noon to 4, at the New London Historical Society, 179 Little Lake Sunapee Road, New London, NH. See dozens of electric cars and trucks, as well as e-bikes, solar panels, electric lawn and garden equipment, and more. **Register online** at <https://driveelectricweek.org/event?eventid=4288> for **free admission**, free refreshments and a free raffle ticket.

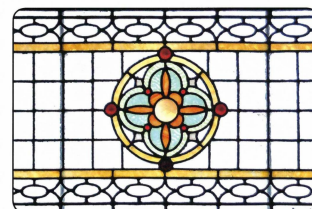
Stretchy plastics may be dropped off in the **TREX box on the porch** of the Parish House next to the **United Church of Warner** or at Simonds School to recycle for the TREX bench project. Acceptable items **stretch when pulled**. nextrex.com/view/educate

Your Donations Keep Library Services Strong!



Buy plants,
cards or just
Donate

Contributions to the library may be [donated online](#), mailed to P. O. Box 299, Warner NH 03278 or put in the book drop!



Stained glass theme **"Thank You" cards** (3 for \$5), or other non-specific library stained glass cards (5 for \$10), pictured here. Buy online and/or Call 603-456-2289 to arrange for pickup.

