



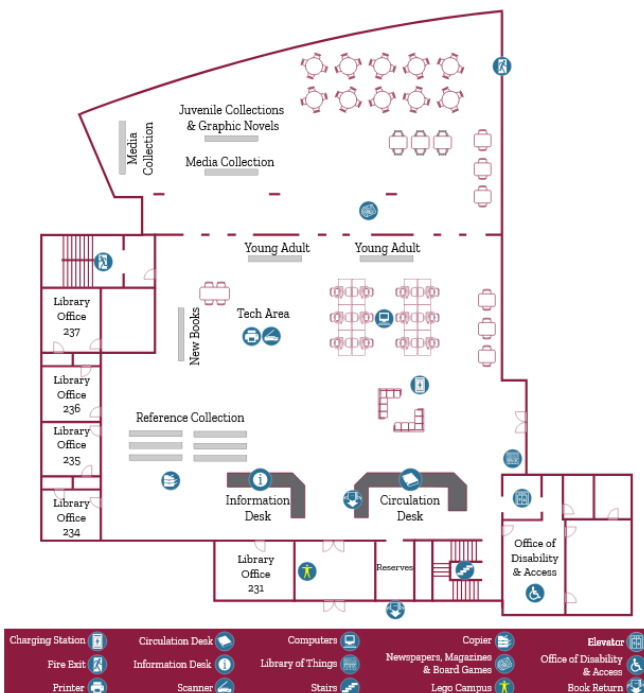
Library Connections

A newsletter of Warner Memorial Library

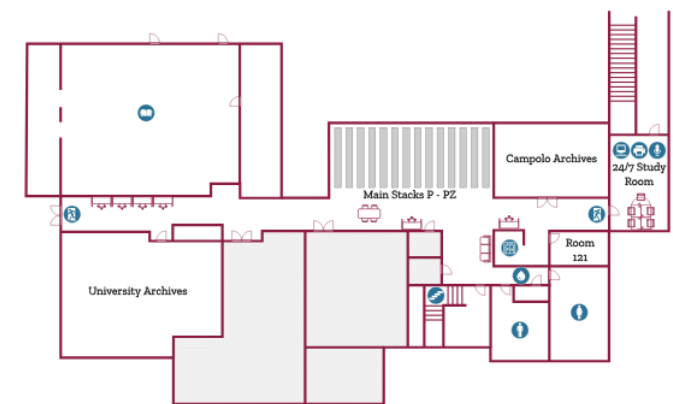
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Warner Library has created maps for each floor of the building—check them out on the [library homepage](#) and the [Study Room reservation laptop](#)!

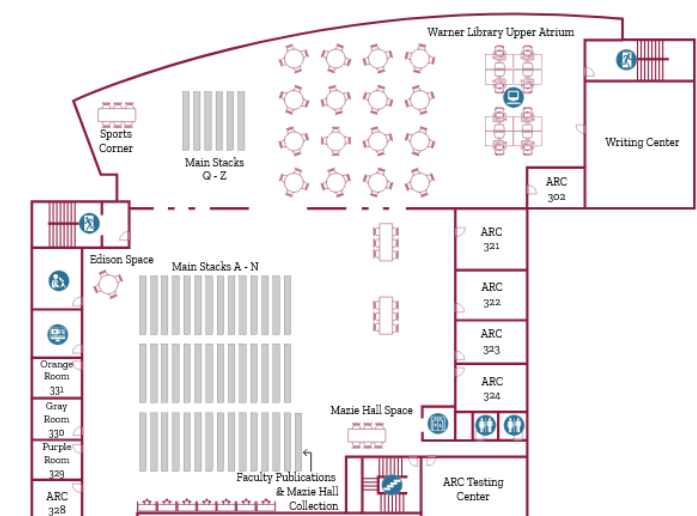
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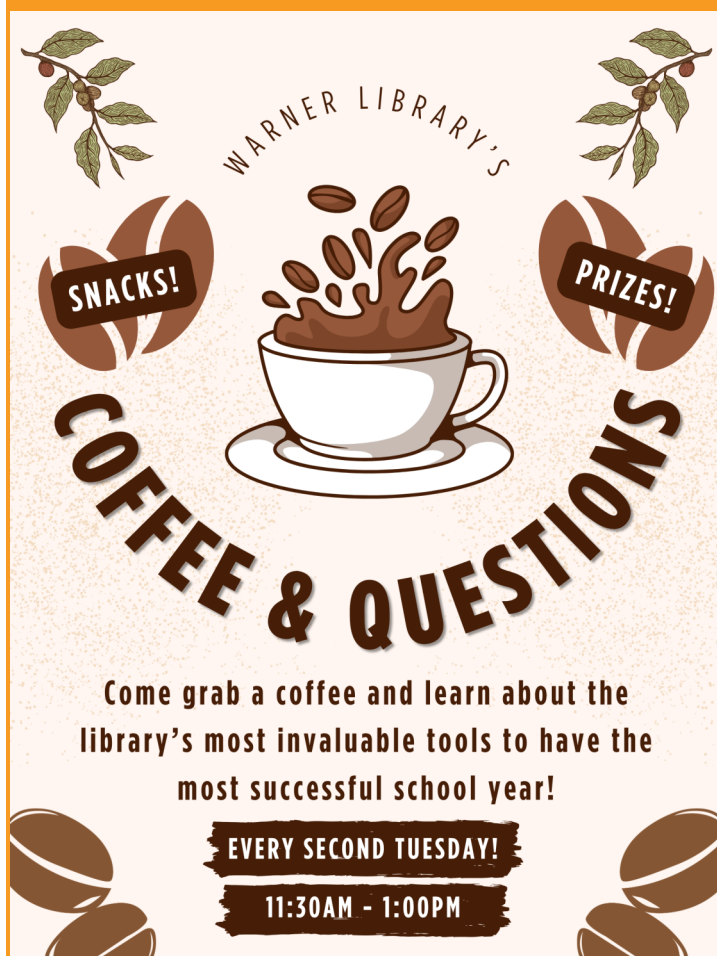
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Warner Library > Upper Level



UPCOMING EVENTS AT THE LIBRARY

A circular graphic with a light beige background. At the top, a branch with green leaves and brown berries arches over the text "WARNER LIBRARY'S". In the center is a white coffee cup on a saucer with a splash of brown coffee and white milk. To the left of the cup is a brown heart shape with the word "SNACKS!" in white. To the right is a brown heart shape with the word "PRIZES!" in white. The words "COFFEE & QUESTIONS" are written in a large, bold, black, sans-serif font, curving around the bottom half of the central image. Below the circle, the text "Come grab a coffee and learn about the library's most invaluable tools to have the most successful school year!" is written in a smaller, black, sans-serif font. At the bottom, two black rectangular boxes contain the text "EVERY SECOND TUESDAY!" and "11:30AM - 1:00PM" in white, sans-serif font. The entire graphic is surrounded by scattered coffee beans and a small branch with leaves and berries in the top corners.

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11:30AM - 1:00PM

A dark purple rectangular graphic with a Halloween theme. At the top, the text "WARNER LIBRARY'S ANNUAL" is written in a small, white, sans-serif font. Below it, the words "HALLOWEEN MINI GOLF" are written in a large, bold, orange and white, sans-serif font. To the right of the title, the date and time "FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24TH | 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM" are written in white, sans-serif font. Below the title, the text "COME PLAY A FREE 9-HOLE ROUND OF MINI GOLF IN THE LIBRARY!" is written in a white, sans-serif font. Below that, the text "MUSIC, PRIZES, AND MORE!" is written in a white, sans-serif font. At the bottom, a black box contains the text "STUDENTS, FACULTY, STAFF, AND FAMILIES ARE ALL WELCOME!" in white, sans-serif font. The background is decorated with various Halloween-themed illustrations: pumpkins, ghosts, spiders, golf balls, and candy. The entire graphic is surrounded by a border of orange and purple patterns.

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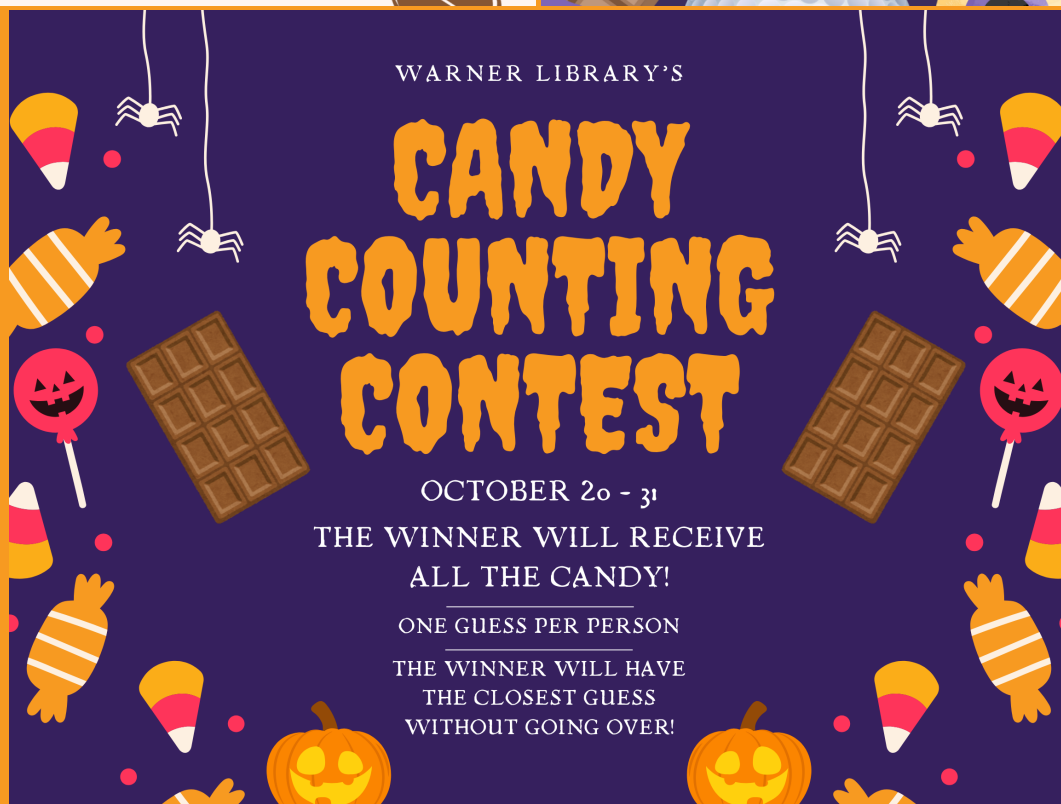
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What's On That Shelf There? Warner Library's Little Free Library

By Caroline Coriell, Information Literacy Librarian

In late September we opened our Little Free Library, partially in response to an opinion article in *The Waltonian*, and partially in response to sporadic donations that don't always fit in our collection. We are an academic library, and our primary goal is to provide students, faculty, staff and alumni access to scholarly materials. We are fortunate to have a generous donor, and some funds set aside for Young Adult and leisure reading material; however, it's not within our purpose or funding to acquire whatever is currently trending on a consistent basis. This is where the Little Free Library comes in.

of books. These are Little Free Libraries. People set them up in front of their homes, places of worship or businesses, and fill them with books that they have already read, or otherwise no longer wish to keep. Other people come along and take them to read. Ideally, they bring books they no longer wish to keep to replace the ones they take: but this is not required.

Where is it?: Warner's Little Free Library is on the main floor, located near the charging station and close to the lounge in front of the check out desk. Conveniently placed for your leisure reading needs!

What ends up in there?: Currently, we have a number of Advanced Reader Copies that we acquired from the American Library Association Convention that three of our librarians attended over the summer. Advanced Reader Copies are put out by the publisher to help generate buzz for a book before it comes out. The contents inside may change before publication. As cool as some of these books are, we can't add them to our collection. But, because students might like them, we added them to the Little Free Library.

Personally, I am a horror reader, and I'm not above being influenced. There are things I've read that I don't imagine I will return to once I'm done reading it. While I can make a case that *Tender Is The Flesh* by Agustina Bazterrica should



Who knows? Your next favorite book might be waiting for you here...



You probably saw a lot of these over the summer!

be added to our collection—because it is being written about by scholars and it's been BookTok's horror pick for a hot minute—I can't say the same for *everything* I read. It may be too niche to add to our collection. I also get a fair amount of books second hand, so they may not be in the ideal condition to add to the official library. So, into the Little Free Library it goes!

In short, if you see something you like, take it. Don't worry about checking it out. Just take it. If you have something you're done with and don't care to hold onto, bring it in.

You can also find more Little Free Libraries, potentially in your community, on [LittleFreeLibrary.org](https://www.littlefreelibrary.org).



Ask Paisley the Library Cat!

Send your library-related questions to
reference1777@eastern.edu!

Dear Paisley,

Question: I am a poor college student, but I want to do all sorts of things that cost money, what do I do?

Submitted by Reader Looking for a Thing to Do

Dear Reader,

I can feel your pain, as I also have not much to my name. I am a feline of simple tastes. What I love most is a warm blanket, my basket, treats and my favorite toys. Every once in a while, I too crave diversion and something new.

What to do? I have no money for new purchases. Being the library cat, I usually try to solve my problems by using the library.

Guess what? The library has a library of things that you can check out and use, completely for free. When I looked, there was a laser pointer. I checked it out and had a grand old time chasing that dot.

If you are not a cat, there are some things there that you might enjoy more than me, like pickleball racquets, a raspberry pi single board computer, a DVD player, as well as more practical things like calculators and power strips. They have a full listing available [here](#). Go get yourself a thing.

Sincerely, Paisley the Library Cat

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OUT OF THE BOX!

By Caroline Coriell, Information Literacy Librarian
(and starring her cat, Panda, in a box)



We had requests to acquire a graphic novel version of *The Odyssey* (since we have [The Iliad](#), after all), *The Ballad of Songbirds & Snakes* and *Sunrise on the Reaping*, both by Suzanne Collins. [The Odyssey was recently added to our collection](#), and we are currently working on completing series we've already started in our collection, such as *The Hunger Games*. We do have both Collins' titles as [eBooks](#), however, if you don't want to wait—see the last page of this newsletter for more details!

There were also requests for [Mockingjay Part 2](#), [The Diary of Anne Frank](#), and a [white noise machine](#). We already have one white noise machine in our [Library Of Things](#). If it starts circulating more, we will look into adding a second or third. However, we already have *Mockingjay Part 2* (as a DVD and in its original book form including *Part 1*) and *Diary Of A Young Girl* (Anne Frank's diary).

We also had requests to acquire more board games, specifically Settlers of Catan, and Clank! This isn't normally within our purview, but we're going to do some research.

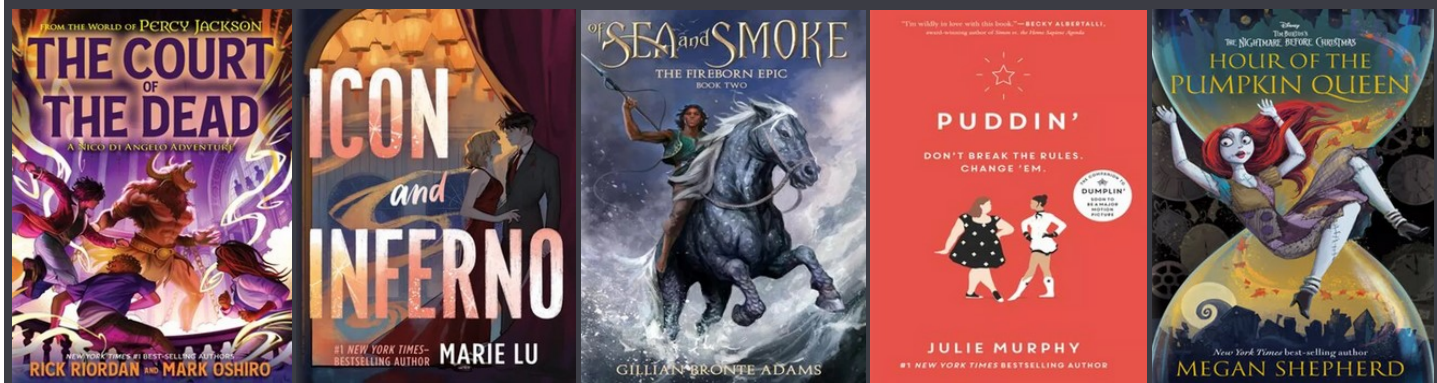
Finally, there was a request to bring back the ducks. I can tell you this is something we've discussed. I don't believe the farm we worked with hatches ducks all year round, so there is a good chance you'll have to wait for spring to see.



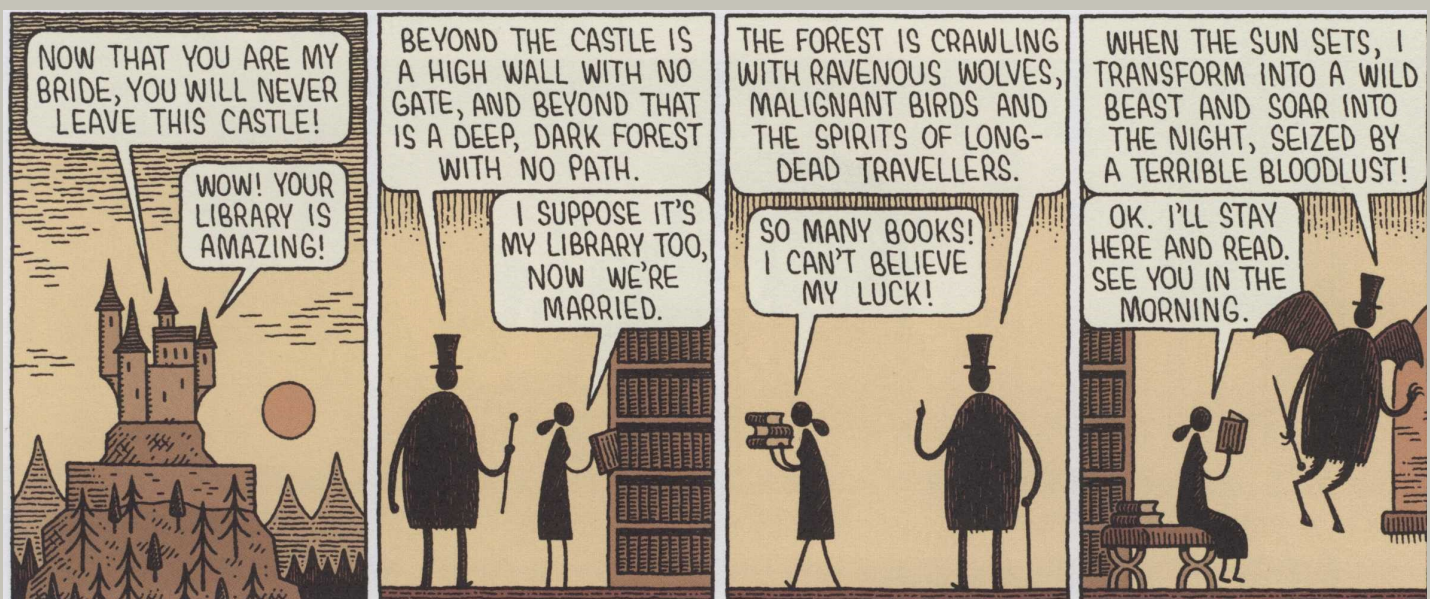
You asked—we delivered! A graphic novel that we added, a classic we have three copies of (including as an ebook!), and an item we're willing to get more of!



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Here's a library-themed comic for you... Enjoy!



Cartoon from Revenge of the Librarians by Tom Gault



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