

TOWN OF LEE, NEW HAMPSHIRE

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May 15, 2015



Pat Jenkins and Laura Gund

LAURA GUND RECOGNIZED FOR HER REMARKABLE VOLUNTEER SERVICE TO LEE

On May 11th the Select Board and the Conservation Commission presented Laura Gund with a Certificate of Appreciation. Mrs. Gund just recently stepped down from the Commission, following 24 years of dedicated service. Bill Humm, Chair of the Conservation Commission, thanked her and explained to those present that Laura had first volunteered to help plan Lee's Bicentennial Celebration in 1966. Currently, she serves on the Agricultural Commission, the Heritage Commission, the Town Fair Committee, the Historical Society, and the Committee planning Lee's 250th Anniversary, which takes place next year.

MAY SELECT BOARD MEETINGS

Monday, May 26th at 6:00 pm

Go to www.leenh.org for more Town meeting dates

Go to http://leenh.org/pages/LeeNH_LibraryCal/?formid=158
for the Library Calendar



23RD ANNUAL LEE FISHING DERBY

The Town of Lee Recreation Commission held it's 23rd Annual Fishing Derby on May 9th. The weather was perfect for about 100 town children to have a great time fishing with their parents and grandparents. The event lasted from 9am to 12pm and the catch was non-stop. The Fish Fry was held at the Town Field with plenty of hot dogs, chips and watermelon. Trophies and prizes were awarded to children with big smiles.

The Recreation Commission would like to thank the following for their time, talent and support of this important town event:

Cynthia and Charlie McLain for taking charge of this event each year and attending to all of the details; the Stevens family for hosting the derby at their farm; the Lee Fireman's Association for hosting the Fish Fry; all of the volunteers that helped at the event and NH Fish & Game for being on-site with information and handouts.

Next year's Fishing Derby will mark its 24th year and coincide with Lee's 250th celebration. Look for upcoming details early in 2016.



LEARN HOW TO MONITOR CONSERVATION EASEMENTS

Are you interested in learning about Lee's conserved properties? Would you like to become an easement monitoring volunteer? The Stewardship Network is presenting a training session on **Saturday, May 16th 9:00am - 2:00pm at the Lee Safety Complex**. Professionals from UNH Cooperative Extension, Bear-Paw Regional Greenway and the Southeast Land Trust of NH will conduct the training. This workshop will offer best practices for performing annual monitoring of conservation easements held by towns, conservation organizations and land trusts. Please bring lunch, plenty of water and dress for the field including taking appropriate tick precautions. If you have questions please contact Emma Carcagno at emma.carcagno@unh.edu. [CLICK HERE](#) to sign up.

24th ANNUAL



Friday, May 15th 4:00 – 7:00 pm

Saturday, May 16th 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

Lee Church Congregational

We offer locally grown perennials, vegetable and herb plants as well as Shrubs, Trees, Ground Covers and Ornamental grasses for sale. On Saturday breakfast will be available for purchase as well. Both days there will be Master Gardeners on hand to help answer your gardening questions. Are you looking for a plant for a shade garden or for a sunny spot? We can help you find the right plant to thrive there. For more information, call 603-659-2861 or visit the website at www.leechurch.org.

LEE CHURCH CONGREGATIONAL



Friday, May 15th 5:00 – 7:00 pm

Join us for beef stew or mac & cheese, salad bar, beverages and dessert for only \$8 adults, \$5 children under 10 yrs. This supper takes place during our annual Plant Sale. For more information call 603-659-2861 or visit www.leechurch.org. Handicap accessible and free parking.

LAMPREY RIVER EVENT – “BIKE IT”

Sunday, May 17th 9:00 – 11:00 am Starts at Wadleigh Falls

Explore Lee’s historic Wadleigh Falls and then take an 8.5 mile bicycle ride around Lee to see some of the natural features along the way. Parking is available in the circular driveway at 203 Wadleigh Falls Road (Route 152). All participants must provide their own bicycle and wear a helmet. The route will follow public roads and cars will be present. Best for ages 12 and up. Free and family-friendly. Call Sharon Meeker with questions at 603-659-5441.

BACKYARD FARMING INITIATIVE SERIES 2015

LAST DISCUSSION Monday, May 18th 7:00 pm

Jeremiah Smith Grange Hall, Lee Hook Road, Lee

Woolmark Farm is a sheep farm specializing in lamb for the freezer and Border Leicester and Tunis breeding stock. Tuckaway Farm offers organically grown corn meal, grains and oil seed, supporting community gardens, research trials and educational programming. Sponsored by the Lee Agricultural Commission and Lee Public Library.

TOWN CLERK/TAX COLLECTOR’S OFFICE



Wednesday, May 20th for Regional Town Clerk Conference

BABY BELT JUST A FEW HOURS OLD



DAHLIA SAWTELLE & MARK DILL’S CATTLE

LEE VFW POST 10676 MEMORIAL DAY CELEBRATION



The Lee Memorial VFW Post 10676 is coordinating the **May 25th** Memorial Day parade which will step off at 1:00 pm from the Town Hall led by the Post 10676 color guard. They will be followed by other veterans marching and in automobiles. Other participants will include Cub Scouts, Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, Lee Church women's Guild, Colonial Militia, a Lee Rescue vehicle and Fire truck. Traffic control will be provided by the Lee Police. A ceremony will be held at the Town Park with patriotic musical selections from the Lee Church choir, readings by Post members and a speech given by Lt. Col. Bradley Nadig, Commander of the Army ROTC Detachment at UNH. A memorial wreath will be laid by post member Jud Porter. After a memorial prayer given by Reverend Michael Bradley of St. George's Episcopal Church Durham, a salute will then be fired by the Militia using musket and cannon. The ceremony will conclude with TAPS.

The Post is collecting names of veterans who have served or are serving in a military conflict while residing in the Town of Lee. These names will be added to the monument stone at the Town Park.

We are always looking for new members. Veterans with foreign service, bring your DD214 to any meeting at 7:30pm on the 1st Monday of each month at the Lee Safety Complex.

The Post is still collecting old, unserviceable flags to be disposed of. We will have a flag burning this fall to properly retire them. They may be dropped off at the recycle center during their business hours.

Dale V. Hardy, Commander

LEE FARMERS MARKET OPENING DAY

THURSDAY, **MAY 28TH** 3:00 – 6:00 PM



www.facebook.com/LeeFarmersMarket

OPEN POSITIONS ON TOWN COMMITTEES AND/OR COMMISSIONS LISTED BELOW

**LAMPREY RIVER ADVISORY COMMITTEE
RECREATION COMMISSION
SENIOR ADVISORY COMMITTEE
ENERGY COMMITTEE**

[CLICK HERE](#) for Application

Hand deliver to Town Hall or email application to the Town Secretary at dduval@leenh.org.



**COME WALK WITH THE CONSERVATION COMMISSION TO SEE CONSERVED LANDS IN LEE!
EVERY WEDNESDAY MORNING**

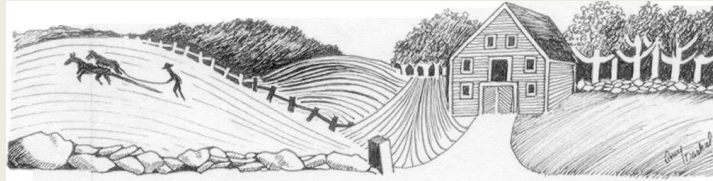
Residents are invited to join members of the Conservation Commission any Wednesday morning from now through the summer and early fall while they conduct site walks on the Town's conserved properties. Some of these lands are owned by the Town, but most of them are privately owned and protected in perpetuity with a conservation easement. If you'd like to participate, call the Town Secretary, Denise Duval, at 659-5414. We meet in the Town Hall parking lot at 8:45 am, dressed for walking in the woods. Standard precautions for ticks & mosquitoes are advised. Walks take 1½-2 hrs.

[CLICK HERE](#) for CodeRED Brochure



BURN PERMIT

[CLICK HERE](#) for BURN PERMIT CHECKLIST



LEE HERITAGE COMMISSION

PLEASE DONATE!

ANY MATERIALS OLD OR NEW RELATED TO LEE

[CLICK HERE](#) for more information or contact

dhambucken@comcast.com or dduval@leenh.org

READY RIDES NEEDS DRIVERS from LEE!

READY RIDES offer free rides to medical appointments for residents 55+ and those who are disabled and unable to drive. They serve Lee, Barrington, Durham, Madbury, Newmarket, Northwood, Nottingham and Strafford. Drivers receive 25 cents per mile and can pick what rides they want to do. Drivers must be at least 25 years old, have a valid driver's license and a favorable driving record with a legally registered, inspected and insured vehicle. You will need to complete a volunteer application that includes a motor vehicle and criminal background check. Please call Meri Schmalz at 224-8719 or email info@readyrides.org for information about how to help your neighbor.

TOWN OF LEE NOW OFFERS ONLINE SERVICES



To access the new online services, please go to www.leenh.org. Credit/debit cards and ACH payments (bank-to-bank transfers) will be accepted for all online transactions. Credit/debit card and internet processing fees will apply.



The Town Clerk/Tax Collector's office now accepts MasterCard, Visa, American Express and Discover credit cards; debit cards that display these logos are also accepted. **Please note:** There is a fee associated with using a credit or debit card – 2.95% of the total transaction with \$1.50 minimum. This fee go directly to the Town of Lee's third party credit/debit card processor and is not retained by the Town of Lee. Convenience fees cannot be refunded. Cash and checks are still accepted forms of payment and do not require additional fees.



**MCGREGOR MEMORIAL EMS CELEBRATES
2015 NATIONAL EMS WEEK**

[CLICK HERE](#) for Press Release



Go to:

<http://nhkidscount.org/new-hampshire-kids-count-2015-data-book>

For NHKids Count Data Book 2015



CLICK BELOW to read about the latest EVERSOURCE
Scam

<https://www.eversource.com/Content/nh/residential/safety/safety-programs/protect-you-your-family-from-scams>

IRS SCAMS ARE STILL GOING ON

NEVER PROVIDE ANY PERSONAL OR BANKING INFORMATION TO ANYONE WHO YOU DID NOT CONTACT DIRECTLY.

If people are calling you, **DO NOT** release any information. Call the number to the company that you obtained off of your bill or credit card, do not use the telephone number that the caller provides.

DON'T BECOME A VICTIM!

Lee Public Library

You like us at the library, now like us on Facebook!



LIBRARY REGULAR HOURS

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday: 12:00 – 8:00 pm

Thursday, Friday: 10:00 am – 5:00 pm

Saturday: 10:00 am – 3:00 pm



FABULOUS FOAM VISOR – DROP-IN CRAFT

Saturday, May 23rd

Stop by and decorate a colorful foam visor with foam shapes and letters. Perfect for keeping the sun out of your eyes.



FIRST AID

Wednesday, May 27th 6:00 – 8:00 pm

The McGregor Institute of EMS is offering a First Aid Certification Course. The course teaches adult, child and infant first aid. The program is free, but there is a \$20 materials fee. To register, go to McGregor's community calendar at www.mcgregorems.org/institute.

ON - GOING PROGRAMS



Thursday & Friday at 10:30 am

These fun 30 – 40 minute programs include stories, songs, finger plays, flannel board and a craft. Registration is not required. May 28th & 29th will be the last programs for this school year. More will be offered as part of the summer reading program in July.



NO FOOLIN, JUST FUN – ADULT GAME DAY

Tuesdays at 9:30 am

Come join the fun, make new friends and learn some new games. All are welcome! Open to all adults 18 and older.



KNITTING GET TOGETHER

Tuesdays, 6:30 - 8:00 pm

Come and join other knitters for an evening of knitting and socializing. Bring that project you've been meaning to finish and make some new friends. Sorry, there are no instructors.



KNITTING FOR 50+

ALTERNATE WEDNESDAYS, NEXT MAY 20TH 9AM

A drop-in group will meet at the library. Help is available from instructor, Donna Kay. All levels welcome. Offered by the Senior Advisory Committee in conjunction with the Lee Library.

NEW AT THE LIBRARY

The library has recently had some new features added to the online public access catalog (OPAC). The catalog now displays actual book jackets of the books in the library's collection. The books have multiple tabs that provide annotations, catalog details, excerpts, author bios, publisher summaries and availability. If you need help navigating the new features in the online catalog, come to the library. The staff will be happy to help.

The library has also added 12 new books to its Overdrive Advantage eBook collection on NH Downloadable Books. Following is a list of the titles:

Brown, Daniel	The Boys in the Boat
Coben, Harlan	The Stranger
Doerr, Anthony	All the Light We Cannot See
Gabalton, Diana	Outlander
Genova, Lisa	Still Alice
Hawkins, Paula	The Girl on the Train
Kidd, Sue Monk	The Invention of Wings
Moriarty, Liane	The Husband's Secret
Mariarty, Liane	What Alice Forgot
Roberts, Nora	Dark Witch
Simsion, Graeme	The Rosie Project

Look for more new titles to come in the near future. Step-by-Step Instructions on How to Access Overdrive Advantage eBooks and Audio Books Exclusive to Lee Public Library from NH Downloadable Books are on the library's website.

FRIENDS OF THE LEE LIBRARY

The Friends of Lee Library is a non-profit organization that supports Lee Library activities through memberships and fundraising. Activities include museum passes, children's vacation and summer programs, and adult educational programs. Thanks to your funding, the Friends of Lee Library will continue to support the wonderful activities! Not a member yet? It's easy – [CLICK HERE](#) !



LAMPREY HEALTH CARE SENIOR TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM

Lamprey Health Care's Senior Transportation program provides rides to essential services for individuals over the age of 60 and/or with disabilities. Our handicap-accessible buses take seniors and adults with disabilities to the grocery store, pharmacy, doctor, or bank! For reservations or more information call 1-800-582-7214 or 659-2424 Monday through Friday, 8:00am - 4:00pm or go to lampreyhealth.org/index.php/patient-services/transportation_program



JOIN THE LEE FIRE RESCUE DEPT.

The Department is always looking for new members!

Please stop by the Safety Complex Monday - Friday 8:00 am - 4:00 pm.



EMERGENCY NOTIFICATION SYSTEM

The Town of Lee Police, Fire & Emergency Management utilizes the emergency notification system **CODE RED**. Visit leenh.org to sign up!



CHANNEL 13

Check your local TV channel 13 to view Selectmen's meetings aired daily at 7:00am; 2:00pm; 7:00pm. [CLICK HERE](#) for more details. [CLICK HERE](#) to view town meetings and videos online through the media site at leenh.org.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
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MEETING CALENDAR

To view the meeting calendar on leenh.org [CLICK HERE](#)



DISPOSAL OF PRESCRIPTION DRUGS

A drop-off box is available at the Public Safety Complex for unused and unwanted prescriptions.



FOOD PANTRY

WILKINSON FOOD PANTRY

Lee Church Congregational 17 Mast Rd

The food pantry is open to **any family** in the Town of Lee. The pantry is open the first and third Monday of each month from 6 - 7:00 pm. If there is an emergency please call the Church office at 659-2861. All visits to the pantry are strictly confidential.



Community Action Partnership
Pregnant? New Baby? CAP Can Help!

If you are pregnant, know someone who is, or just had a baby, Community Action can help. We have a free Home Visiting program for teens and women age 25 and under. Call CAP's Home Visiting at 603-516-8108 to learn more or visit www.staffordcap.org.

To receive the E-CRIER via email EVERY WEEK go to www.leenh.org, click on Subscribe to E-Alerts and follow the directions to subscribe. It's that easy!

ATTENTION!

If you know someone who wants to see the e-crier but does not have the internet please direct them to Town Hall for a printed copy or to the Library to view it there. If they cannot leave their home please call Denise Duval, Town Secretary, at 659-5414 to have it mailed!

TROUBLESHOOTING EMAIL FILTERS

If your emails to receive the E-CRIER have repeatedly ended up in your spam folder then your internet provider may have stopped those emails from coming into your spam folder all together. You will need to sign up again and indicate that this is not spam.

If this is not the case, then your provider is blocking these emails and you will need to call them and ask for a 'whitelist'. This will essentially turn off their filter so you can receive these emails.

