

# TOWN OF LEE, NEW HAMPSHIRE

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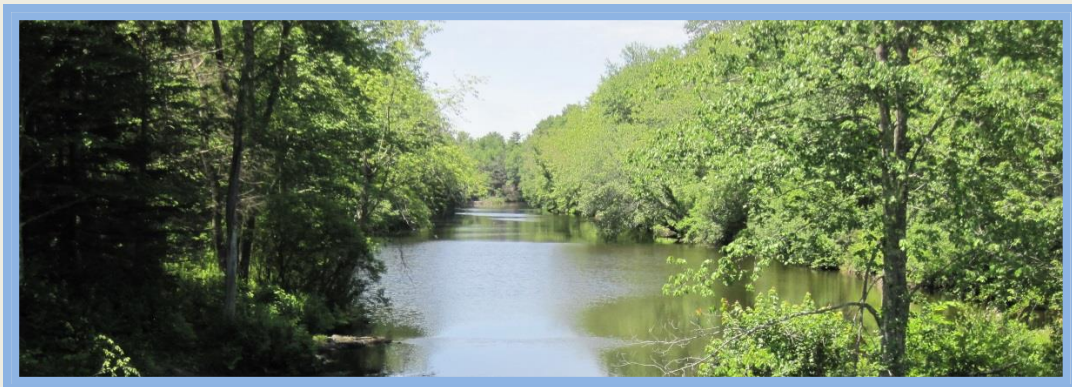
June 24, 2016

Lee News & Upcoming  
Events



**FAMILY PADDLE**  
**SUNDAY, JUNE 26<sup>TH</sup> 1-3 PM**  
**LAMPREY RIVER, LEE**

**THIS EVENT IS FREE!**



*Imagine yourself here...*

Celebrate the Town of Lee's 250th anniversary and the Lamprey River's 20th Anniversary as a National *Wild and Scenic* River.

Lee Public Canoe Access, Rte.152 near Wadleigh Falls

Enjoy a short paddle upstream and look for a variety of plants and animals as part of a "scavenger hunt." Relax as you float back to the starting point.

Register by June 24 with [dawn.genes@LRWA-NH.org](mailto:dawn.genes@LRWA-NH.org) or by calling 659-9363.

Participants must provide their own boat, paddles and a properly fitting PFD. No boat? No problem. Rentals are available from Seven Rivers Paddling by calling 969-5120. Boats will be brought to the event site for you.

Sponsored by the Town of Lee's 250<sup>th</sup> Celebration Committee, the Lamprey Rivers Advisory Committee and the Lamprey River Watershed Association.

## 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Model Rocket Day at Little River Park



The Lee Recreation Commission along with Cub Scout Pack 459 will host their 3rd annual Model Rocket Day at Little River Park on Saturday, July 9<sup>th</sup> (rain date July 23<sup>rd</sup>) from 9am - 12 noon. This event is open to children of all ages. Bring your favorite model rocket and join the fun. If you do not have a rocket and would like to participate, a limited amount of free rocket kits will be available at the park. Come early and build your rocket with help from the experts, then have fun flying to new heights. Please contact Larry Kindberg at 292-5790 or [larrykindberg@comcast.net](mailto:larrykindberg@comcast.net) to register. We need to know in advance how many rockets and engines will be needed.

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**TOWN OFFICES WILL BE CLOSED MONDAY THE 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY**

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### JULY SELECT BOARD MEETINGS

Tuesday, July 5<sup>th</sup> and Monday, July 18<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm

Go to [www.leenh.org](http://www.leenh.org) for more Town meeting dates

Go to [http://leenh.org/pages/LeeNH\\_LibraryCal/?formid=158](http://leenh.org/pages/LeeNH_LibraryCal/?formid=158)  
for the Library Calendar

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**Celebrate Lee's 250th Anniversary**  
**July 16 and 17**  
**Town Parade and Celebration at Little River Park**

**Parade at 10 AM Saturday from Mast Way School to Little River Park**

**Celebration from 12-6:30 Saturday and all day Sunday until 3 PM**

**Chicken Bar-B-Q 5:30 Tickets sold in Advance**

For more information go to: [Lee250.com](http://Lee250.com)

## TOWN PARADE – JULY 16<sup>TH</sup> – IMPORTANT INFORMATION



**Parade Applications are still being accepted!!!**

Friday, 7/15<sup>th</sup>

NH Colonial Brigade, Dearborn's Company arrives in the late afternoon evening to set up camp

Boy Scouts or Girl Scouts come to camp out with the NH Colonial Brigade

Saturday, 7/16<sup>th</sup>

9:30 am Floats line up at the Town Field between Mast Way School and the Transfer Station Road

10:00 am Parade begins and travels down Mast Road to Little River Park.

12 – 12:30 pm Parade awards at Little River Park

12 – 3:00 pm Music, food, activities and demonstrations

3 – 5:00 pm Concert at Little River Park

Sunday, 7/15<sup>th</sup>

8 am – 3 pm NH Colonial Brigade demonstrations and cannon firing

9 am – Noon Time Capsule

1:00 pm Freese Brothers Big Band Concert in Little River Park

1 – 3:00 pm Picnic in Little River Park

3:00 pm Events conclude & NH Colonial Brigade takes down camp

The Transfer Station will be open from 6:30 am - 9:30 am; closed until 1:30 pm and then open until 6 pm.

Mast Way Road will be closed during the parade and for a time before and after.

Parking for spectators will be available at the Safety Complex, Grange, School, Church, and Town Center.

People watching the parade from anywhere on the route will be picked up after the parade and taken to Little River Park for the day's activities. Transportation will be available all day to get you back to your parking area.

### **Events at Little River Park**

Musical groups will perform all afternoon, from Period Music to Brass Bands, to popular vocals, and of course the talented ORHS Band will provide a variety of selections that everyone is sure to enjoy.

Kids will be entertained by a balloon artist, games, and various vendors.

And although food will be available all afternoon, we hope you save some room for the chicken dinner provided by the Lee Congregational Church.

Did we mention the balloon? **The REMAX Balloon** will offer tethered hot air balloon rides in the late afternoon. It's your chance to see Lee from above.

**We hope everyone gets involved! Go to our website: [www.lee250.com](http://www.lee250.com)**

**PURCHASE YOUR LICENSE AT THE PD IN SUPPORT OF THE 250<sup>TH</sup> CELEBRATION!**



**“The King’s Mast Tree Revolution”  
Video is now streaming!**

[http://media.leenh.org/?page\\_id=23](http://media.leenh.org/?page_id=23)

or watch it on Ch. 13 at 12:11 p.m. and 6:27 p.m.

Produced by Breakaway Media and starring Don Quigley, Pat Jenkins, the Mast Way School, Dearborn Company and many others! Don’t miss it!

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**2016 Oyster River Baseball End-of-Season Banquet  
Little River Park Pavilion  
June 15th**



**Brennen Oxford & Aidan Yoder receiving  
Team Co-Pitcher of the Year Awards**



**Owen Tonkin receiving his Varsity Letter**



**Owen Tonkin receiving his Defensive Player of the Year Award**

# TOWN OF LEE SEEKING PART-TIME BUILDING INSPECTOR

[CLICK HERE](#) for details

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## COME WALK WITH THE CONSERVATION COMMISSION EVERY WEDNESDAY MORNING IN LEE!

Residents are invited to join members of the Conservation Commission on Wednesday mornings from now until 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.

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## LEE FARMERS MARKET



Every Thursday at the Corner of 155 & Recycling Road 3-6 pm

[CLICK HERE](#) for flyer

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## Help Protect the Powder Major's Farm and Forest

July 28, 2016 (Rain Date July 29)

Join us on the last two Field Events! Discover Geocaching and learn about Dragonflies on the **195-acre Powder Major's Farm and Forest** bordering the Oyster River in Lee, Madbury and Durham.

Pre-registration is required at [www.forestsociety.org/events](http://www.forestsociety.org/events) or call 224-9945. Click [HERE](#) for more information

To learn more or donate: [www.forestsociety.org/powder\\_major](http://www.forestsociety.org/powder_major)

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### LOST AND FOUND

Located at the Lee Police Department - 20 George Bennett Road

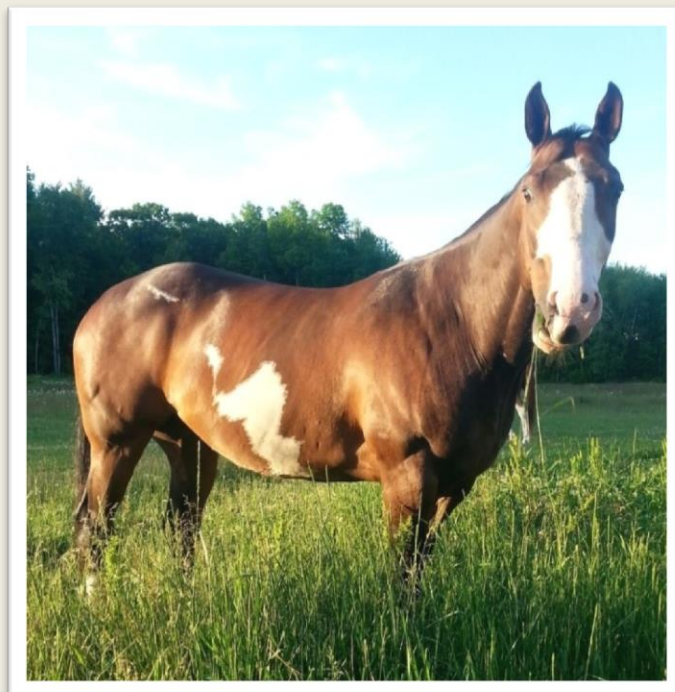
With the increased use of Little River Park and the Pavilion, numerous articles are being left behind, including clothing, sports equipment, sunglasses, etc. Items will be held at the Police Department for one week, after which they will be delivered to the Swap Shop at the Lee Transfer Station.

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### ATTENTION!

ANYONE WHO IS INTERESTED IN VOLUNTEERING TO HELP PUT TOGETHER A COMMUNITY-BASED NEWSLETTER PLEASE EMAIL WENDY FOGG AT [wendysnowfogg@gmail.com](mailto:wendysnowfogg@gmail.com).

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"HANK"

PHOTO BY CAREN ROSSI

## Dog Waste is a Problem for Everyone!



At recent public meetings, the Lee Conservation Commission and Select Board have discussed the increasing problem of dog waste being left in Little River Park, the Town Forest, other conservation areas, and even Town streets. Dog waste is more than just an unpleasant problem if you step in it. Pet waste left anywhere is a potential public health risk. Rain washes dog waste and the associated disease-causing organisms, such as giardia and salmonella, E. coli, and parvovirus, as well as types of worms like hookworms, tapeworms, and even heart worms into rivers, lakes, and bays. New Hampshire scientists have found that dogs are a significant contributor of bacteria in several New Hampshire surface waters.

As the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) Clean Water Campaign puts it, "If you think picking up dog poop is unpleasant, try swimming in it."

Most dog owners pick up after their dogs, but not everyone does. The first step is to always carry a plastic bag with you when you walk your dog. Unfortunately though, the Conservation Commission reports that bagged waste is being left on trails and in vernal pools. Please, please, always dispose of bagged waste in a trash can. Composting is not effective at killing the fecal coliform bacteria in pet waste, so you shouldn't leave pet waste in your yard at home, either.

With the help of the Conservation Commission, signs will be placed at trail heads and Little River Park to remind everyone to clean up after their dogs. In addition, a Pet Waste Station will soon be installed at Little River Park to make it even easier for dog owners to keep the Park free from poop.

Tell friends and neighbors about the effect of animal waste on the environment and our health. Encourage them to clean up after their pets and to dispose of the pet waste properly.

For more information: [CLICK HERE](#) for the US EPA's "Managing Pet and Wildlife Waste to Prevent Contamination of Drinking Water" bulletin.

Town Secretary Denise Duval and Bodie



## THE LIBRARY TRUSTEES' CORNER

Thank You Friends of the Lee Public Library for your ongoing support of the library!

The Friends make it possible for Lee residents to visit area museums at a reduced charge. Passes are available for:



- Strawberry Banke: FREE ADMISSION
- Seacoast Science Center: 50% admission
- Museum of Fine Arts, Boston: 50% admission
- Boston Museum of Science: 50% admission
- Currier Gallery of Art: FREE ADMISSION
- Peabody Essex Museum: 50% admission, weekdays. Discount weekend and holidays
- Children's Museum of New Hampshire: 50% admission
- Boston Children's Museum (pass available at Durham library): 50% admission
- Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum (pass available at Durham library): Discount admission

Stop by or call the library at 659-2626 to reserve your pass.

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### OPENINGS ARE STILL AVAILABLE ON THE FOLLOWING TOWN BOARDS, COMMITTEES AND COMMISSIONS:

**ADVISORY BUDGET, AGRICULTURAL, CONSERVATION COMMISSIONS, ENERGY, RECREATION, LAMPREY RIVER ADVISORY and SUSTAINABILITY COMMITTEES**

Hand deliver to Town Hall or email application to the Town Secretary at [dduval@leenh.org](mailto:dduval@leenh.org). [CLICK HERE](#) for Application

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**LEE HISTORICAL SOCIETY MUSEUM  
OPEN EVERY 3<sup>RD</sup> SATURDAY 10 AM – 2 PM NOW THRU NOVEMBER**

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## **Lee, New Hampshire: Explore your town this summer!**

As you celebrate Lee's 250<sup>th</sup> this summer, remember to take a morning or afternoon to grab your camera, pack a road snack & a bottle of water, and head on out to explore Lee's heritage sites. There's detailed information for each of Lee's eight heritage sites available on the Lee Heritage Commission webpage: <http://www.leenh.org/Pages/Lee%20Historic%20Sites.pdf>

The Lee Heritage Commission has heritage markers placed at the following locations:



**Heritage Site #1 - Wadley Falls Village**

**Heritage Site #2 – South Lee Depot**

**Heritage Site # 3 – Cartland Road**

**Heritage Site #4 – The Lee Hook**

**Heritage Site #5 – Lee Town Center**

**Heritage Site #6 – Wheelwright Pond**

**Heritage Site #7 – First Meeting House**

**Heritage Site #8 – New Town Plains**

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## **FIRE DEPARTMENT UPDATE**



Sparky the Fire Dog® NFPA.org

**SAFETY EDUCATOR NEWSLETTER**

**[CLICK HERE](#) for the Summer 2016 Edition**

# BURN PERMIT

[CLICK HERE](#) for BURN PERMIT CHECKLIST

[CLICK HERE](#) for ONLINE FIRE PERMIT PRESS RELEASE

GO TO [www.nhfirepermit.com](http://www.nhfirepermit.com) to obtain a fire permit online.

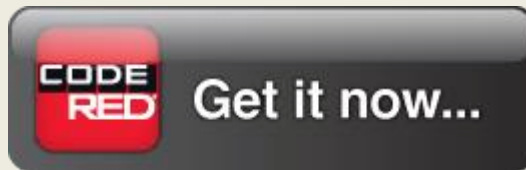
[CLICK HERE](#) for CodeRED Brochure

## JOIN THE LEE FIRE RESCUE DEPARTMENT

Please stop by the Safety Complex Monday - Friday 8am- 4pm to find out more



To add or update your contact information to ensure you will be included when a message is sent out – [Right Click to Open Hyperlink](#)




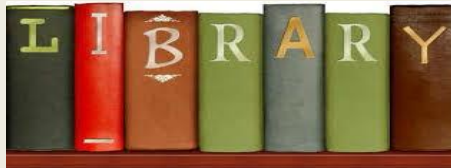
To download the CodeRED Mobile Alert App - [Right Click to Open Hyperlink](#)

## EMERGENCY NOTIFICATION SYSTEM

The Town of Lee Police, Fire & Emergency Management utilizes the emergency notification system **CODE RED**. Visit [leenh.org](http://leenh.org) to sign up!



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



### REGULAR HOURS

Saturday: 10:00 am – 3:00 pm

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

Thursday, Friday: 10:00 am – 5:00 pm



### **Award Nominee Books**

The 2016-2017 Great Stone Face (grades 4-6), Isinglass (grades 7 & 8) and Flume (grades 9-12) award nominees have all been ordered and will be ready for eager summer readers! Easy to find, they will be labeled and prominently displayed.

### **Summer Reading Program—On Your Mark, Get Set...Read**

The theme for this summer's reading program is movement, fitness and wellness. Registration for this 5 week non-competitive program begins on **Monday, June 20<sup>th</sup>** and is for preschool-grade 6. Join us for a summer of great books and fun activities.



Don't miss the kickoff event on **Thursday, June 30<sup>th</sup>** at **10:30 am** at the **Safety Complex** when we will be entertained by Lindsay and Her Puppet Pals.

### **Teen Summer Reading Program**

Children entering grades 7-12 may sign up for our teen summer reading program. Fill out a simple form for each book read and be eligible to win Barnes and Noble gift cards in weekly raffles. And check out the fun programs for kids in grades 7-8.

### **ORION TELESCOPE**

The night sky offers an endless variety of objects and events to observe, from stars and planets, to constellations and meteor showers. Some can be seen with the naked eye, others are dependent on the use of a telescope. In **June**, after sunset, you will be able to see **Mars, Jupiter and Saturn** in the southern part of the sky. The library's Orion telescope is available for checkout. Call us at 659-2626 to reserve Orion.

## **ON - GOING LIBRARY PROGRAMS**



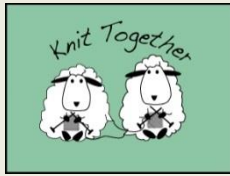
**NO FOOLIN, JUST FUN  
ADULT GAME DAY  
Tuesdays at 9:30 am**

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



**KNITTING FOR 50+  
1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> WEDNESDAYS  
July 20<sup>th</sup> 9:00 am  
The group will not meet on July 6<sup>th</sup>.**

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 and the Lee Library.



**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, no instructors.



**25<sup>th</sup> COMMEMORATIVE MEMORABILIA ON SALE AT THE LIBRARY**

**WOODEN NICKELS, LICENSE PLATES, COFFEE MUGS, TOTES, HATS, LONG & SHORT SLEEVED T-SHIRTS, ZIP-UP HOODED SWEATSHIRTS & WINE GLASSES**



**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. Not a member yet? It's easy – [CLICK HERE!](#)

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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.

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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! Call 1-800-582-7214 or 659-2424 Monday - Friday, 8am - 4pm or go to [lampreyhealth.org/index.php/patient-services/transportation\\_program](http://lampreyhealth.org/index.php/patient-services/transportation_program)

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**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. Please call Meri Schmalz at 224-8719 or email [info@readyrides.org](mailto:info@readyrides.org) for more details about how to help your neighbor. **Volunteers from Lee are needed!**

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**Are you concerned about your child’s use of alcohol or other drugs?**

Parents’ Support Group  
Thursdays 7 - 8:30pm  
Wentworth Douglass Hospital, Central Avenue, Dover  
Walk-ins welcome  
[CLICK HERE](#) for flyer

Supported by a contract with N.H. Department of Health and Human Services

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[CLICK HERE](#) for the 2015 Strafford County Annual Report

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## **WILKINSON FOOD PANTRY**

**Lee Church Congregational 17 Mast Rd**

The food pantry is open to **any family** in the towns of Lee, Durham, Newmarket, and Nottingham. 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.

**To receive the E-CRIER via email EVERY WEEK  
go to [www.leenh.org](http://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!