

TOWN OF LEE, NEW HAMPSHIRE

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Lee News & Upcoming
Events

RANDY STEVENS' FAREWELL CELEBRATION







AND WHAT A SEND OFF IT WAS! HOTTER THAN **BLAZES** BUT WORTH EVERY MINUTE! THE FOOD WAS FANTASTIC, THE PRESENTATIONS WERE IMPRESSIVE AND THE GUEST OF HONOR AS HUMBLE AS EVER. [CLICK HERE](#) for video!



THANK YOU RANDY FOR OVER 35 YEARS OF OUTSTANDING SERVICE!
THE TOWN OF LEE WILL MISS YOU!

5TH ANNUAL MODEL ROCKET DAY TOOK PLACE ON 7-21-2018



ATTENTION LEE RESIDENTS!

**PLEASE THINK ABOUT GETTING INVOLVED IN YOUR COMMUNITY
WE STILL NEED **1** MORE RESIDENT TO JOIN
THE SOLID WASTE ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

On May 21, 2018 the Lee Select Board authorized the formation of a Solid Waste Advisory Committee to consist of 5 Lee residents to work with Town staff and outside agencies to consider the following: review the actual volume and handling, transportation, and disposal costs associated with bulky items and make recommendations to the Select Board regarding an appropriate fee structure; research new waste disposal technologies, new or changed governmental regulations, changes in the local and worldwide demand for recycled materials and make recommendations for possible new approaches for disposal and recycling markets based on the findings; and develop a program to educate the public on solid waste disposal costs and recycling.

Interested parties may either call Denise Duval at 603-659-5414 or [CLICK HERE](#) to obtain an application and then email application to dduval@leenh.org.

MORE RETIREMENT ANNOUNCEMENTS!

DAVID MEEKER HAS SERVED AN ASTONISHING **35 YEARS** ON THE CONSERVATION COMMISSION IN ADDITION TO MANY YEARS ON THE HERITAGE COMMISSION!

David will be stepping down from both commissions in August in order to move on to the next phase in his life. He and his wife Sharon have decided to move from Lee to Riverwoods in Exeter. In an email David writes to the Board "We have very much enjoyed living in Lee for some 41 years and to be able to know and serve with so many fine people on its boards, committees, and commissions. We make this move with great reluctance but feel, at our point in life; it is the best way to face the future. We are moving from Lee but, definitely, are not leaving Lee. We have spent nearly half our lives at Wadleigh Falls in Lee, NH, and such a strong connection will continue as long as we do."

THANK YOU DAVID!

SHARON MEEKER HAS SERVED AN ASTOUNDING **28 YEARS** ON THE LAMPREY RIVER ADVISORY COMMITTEE AND THE ENERGY COMMITTEE SINCE AT LEAST 2009!

The LRAC and the Select Board need your help to find another individual who is interested in serving on this committee to represent the Town of Lee. Please contact Town Secretary, Denise Duval at 603-659-5414 if you are interested or would like more information.

THANK YOU SHARON!

Please wish them both well in their new adventure in life. Sadly with this change comes their resignation from various Committees and Commissions. The Town of Lee has grown dependent on their dedication and hard work and now it needs several people to step up to fill these shoes. Not an easy thing to do! If you or someone you know is interested in becoming a member of the Energy Committee or Conservation or Heritage Commission please call Town Secretary, Denise Duval at 603-659-5414.



2018 LITTLE RIVER PARK CONCERT SERIES

Thursdays, 6:30 – 8:30 pm

Sponsored by the Lee Recreation Commission

August 2nd Ray Calabro
August 9th Dan Walker

August 16th Jimmy D
August 23rd Soulation Station
August 30th Paul Smith Family Band

Bring food to grill for a nice night out while enjoying music under the Pavilion.

LEE FIRE ASSOCIATION



ICE CREAM SMORGASBORD

Come support your local Fire Association!

Kids \$3 and Adults \$5.

Chocolate, Vanilla & Strawberry with all the fixings!

LEE PUBLIC SAFETY COMPLEX

Tuesday, August 7, 2018

6:00pm - 8:00pm

**Kids Bunker Gear
Available for Pictures
on the Fire Truck**





**American
Red Cross**

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE
Friday, August 10th 1:00 – 6:00 pm
Lee Church Congregational

All presenting donors will receive free Pizza from Pizza Spinners! The Red Cross has informed us that there is an EMERGENCY NEED for donors - patients need you! As a bonus, a major online retailer is giving blood donors a \$5 eCard via email.

Blood donor card or valid ID is required to donate. To schedule an appointment, please call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit www.redcrossblood.org and enter sponsor code LEECONGREGATIONAL

AUGUST SELECT BOARD MEETINGS

Monday, August 13th & 27th starting at 6:30 pm

Meetings can now be seen on **You Tube** at www.media.leenh.org



**TOWN OF LEE ICE CREAM SOCIAL HAS BEEN RESCHEDULED FOR
AUGUST 16TH 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm**



HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION DAY

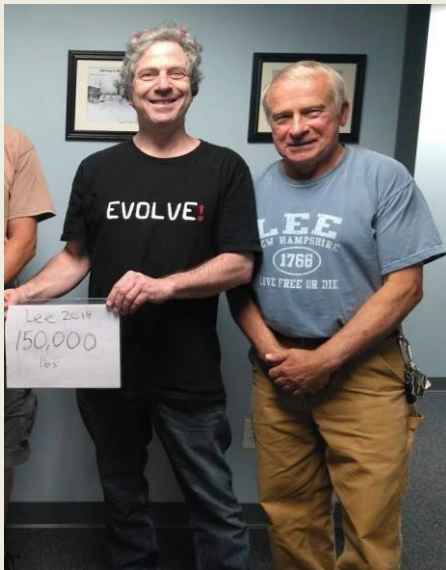
Saturday, August 25th 8:30 am – 12:00 pm

Dover Community Services Garage

271 Mast Road, Dover, NH

PROOF OF LEE RESIDENCY REQUIRED

150,000 POUNDS OF CO2 REDUCTION



Congrats to the Lee Low Carbon team! They dropped a whopping 150,000 lbs. of CO2 per year! (Yes, that's the right number of zeroes.) Five

households completed the four Low Carbon Diet workshops, resulting in an estimated annual 75 ton reduction in their household CO2 footprints through changes and practices that they adopted. The workshop was co-sponsored by the Lee Sustainability and Energy Committees, under the guidance of Jen Messeder and the Low Carbon Diet-Seacoast NH. We expect to offer the workshop again in the fall. Thanks, Jen!



WHEN SECONDS COUNT...

Can the Police, Fire, or Ambulance find your home when you need them for assistance with an emergency? Can they find it at night? Can they find it during a snowstorm?

Having your name and number on a mailbox is just not enough. Some mailboxes are clustered together. The numbers are small and the location may not mark the entrance to your driveway.

The Lee Firemen's Association, in a joint effort with the Lee Fire Department, has started a program to install reflective house number signs at driveway entrances to assist all emergency responders in locating your home in a time of need.

The cost for each sign with a post is \$30.00 and it will be installed by the Lee Firemen's Association.

Please take the time NOW to SAVE TIME in an EMERGENCY
[CLICK HERE](#) for Reflective House Number Sign Request form



A LEE FIRE & PLANNING AND ZONING DEPARTMENT REMINDER TO ALL HOMEOWNERS AND BUSINESSES IN THE TOWN OF LEE

A Building Permit is required for all tents that are 400 square feet and over per the International Building Code adopted by NH and the Town of Lee. An Assembly Permit is required for all tents being occupied by more than 50 people per RSA 155:17-39. [CLICK HERE](#) for more information or call Planning and Zoning at 603-659-6783 or the Fire Department at 603-659-5411.

ATTENTION



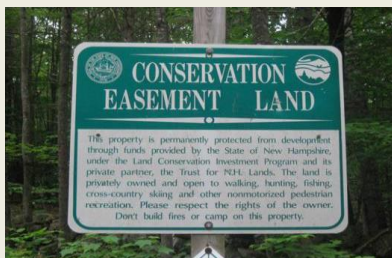
Yard Sale season is upon us which brings up an issue of signs being posted improperly. Please remember that advertisements of any kind need to be posted on "free standing" posts not on telephone poles, street signs, markers, posts, etc. If you do put signs out for yards sales etc., please make sure that they do not block the view of traffic, are not on town property, and, if on private property that you have the land owner's permission and that you remove them once the event is over. Signs that are left behind generally end up blowing away and become trash. Thank you!

CHAPTER 236

HIGHWAY REGULATION, PROTECTION AND CONTROL REGULATIONS

Outdoor Advertising - Section 236:75

236:75 No Advertisements of Any Kind Upon Certain Objects. –Notwithstanding any provisions of the law to the contrary, it shall be unlawful to affix, attach or display any advertisement upon any object of nature, utility pole, telephone booth, or highway sign, directly in such a manner that the object of nature, utility pole, telephone booth, or highway sign, is utilized as an integral part of the sign's support as distinguished from being only incidentally a support to the sign, such as the earth or ground upon which a sign is affixed. This prohibition shall extend to all primary and secondary highways and roads of and within the state without exception for any type of advertising. The owner of an object upon which an advertisement is placed in violation of this section shall be entitled to remove and destroy the advertisement and the advertisement owner shall not be entitled to damages or compensation therefor. The object owner shall be entitled to collect the costs associated with the removal and destruction from the advertisement owner or the person who is responsible for placing the advertisement on the object in violation of this section.



**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 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.

DO NOT FORGET!

Please do not become a victim. WHEN IN DOUBT, DON'T GIVE IT OUT.

The scammers are still out there working hard to steal your money and your identity. The Lee Police Department just took two calls of scam callers that are operating in completely different ways. The 1st call involved a text to a person about an advertising job; driving a car that has been wrapped with an advertisement. The scammer sent a check requesting that the person deposit the check and then send some of the check to the car wrapping company. Luckily the bank held the funds until it was determined that the check was not from a valid account. The 2nd call involved the caller advising they were from the Department of Treasury and were monitoring the victim's address and requesting payment.

Please do not become a victim. Don't release any information or agree to accept a check where you have to forward part of the funds either back to the caller or to a 3rd party.

To report Department of Treasury or IRS scams:

Phone and e-mail Scams

If they claim to be from the Treasury (non-IRS), report it to OIGCounsel@oig.treas.gov. For any report of a fraudulent call, include:

The exact date and time that you received the call(s)

The phone number of the caller

The geographic location and time zone where you received the call

A description of the communication

If they claim to be from the Internal Revenue Service, report it to phishing@irs.gov, subject line: "IRS phone scam." You may also report these calls to the Treasury Inspector General for Tax Administration, which has jurisdiction over IRS-related matters.



**LEE FIRE RESCUE DEPARTMENT SEEKING
CALL FIREFIGHTERS AND EMTS**

[CLICK HERE](#) for more information

FIRE DEPARTMENT FEE SCHEDULE

Please [CLICK HERE](#) for the Fee Schedule

Please [CLICK HERE](#) for the Permitting Checklist and Reference Guide

BURN PERMIT

[CLICK HERE](#) for NH BURN PERMIT RULES AND REGULATIONS



**THE HISTORICAL SOCIETY MUSEUM
OPEN 3RD SATURDAY OF EACH MONTH
10:00 am – 2:00 pm**



LEE CEMETERY RULES

[CLICK HERE](#) for Rules



LEE TOWN COMMISSIONS AND COMMITTEES

[CLICK HERE](#) for Application

Hand deliver to Town Hall or email to Denise Duval, Town Secretary at dduval@leenh.org

COMMITTEE, COMMISSION & BOARD MEETING CALENDAR

Go to www.leenh.org/Pages/LeeNH_MeetingsCal/?formid=158

LIBRARY CALENDAR

Go to http://leenh.org/pages/LeeNH_LibraryCal/?formid=158



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 for more details about how to help your neighbor. **Volunteers from Lee are needed!**



FOOD PANTRY

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 1st & 3rd 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.

DISPOSAL OF PRESCRIPTION DRUGS

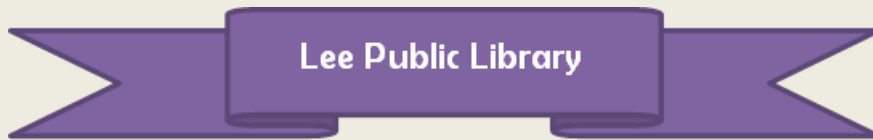
A drop-off is available at the Public Safety Complex to the left of the front entrance for unused and unwanted prescriptions.



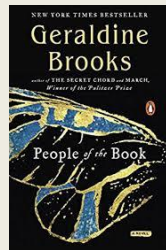
NEWS FROM THE LEE HERITAGE COMMISSION!

- The Lee Town Center is now sporting a bright new summer look, due to the Lee Heritage Commission asking our very own Lee artist, Amy Daskall, co-owner of Blue Bell Greenhouse, to design some colorful banners. Look for the “Lee Farmers Market” banners that are already up.
- There are also some eye-catching patriotic banners with swirls of red, white and blue stars and stripes, some “Welcome to Lee” banners and 2 “Little River Park” banners. Additionally, as you drive by the Town Hall you will see a very special banner honoring Randy Stevens’ retirement at the end of July. Thank you, Randy, for your 38 years of service as Road Agent/Highway Supervisor for the Town of Lee!
- The Lee Heritage Commission has recently updated its list of Lee Heritage Commission and Lee Historical Society publications. These books are for sale at the Lee Town Hall and the Lee Historical Society museum. Pick one up and enjoy the rich history of Lee!
 - *Land in Our Hands* (Burleigh-Demerit Farm) by Martha Butterfield - \$20 [LHC]
 - *Down The Mast Road* (reprint – J. M. Duncan’s 1956 book) - \$10 [LHC]
 - *Oliver C. Gilbert* by Jody Fernald and Stephanie Gilbert - \$10 [LHC]
 - *Lee, New Hampshire* by John Scales - \$4 [LHC]
 - *The Story of Peter Little Bear* by David Allan & Leslie Hamilton- \$10 [LRAC]
 - *Lee Historical Maps* - \$5.00 [LHS]
 - *Lee in 4 Centuries* by Ursula Baier - \$5 [LHS]
 - *The Annals of a Country Church* by David Allan - \$5 [LHS]
 - *The Railroad that Passed through Lee NH–1874 – 1934* by Randy Stevens \$12 [LHS]
 - *The Early Roads and Settlers of Lee, NH* by Melvin E. Jenkins - \$15 [LHS]
 - *Jeremiah Smith Grange Book* by Donna Eisenhard - \$20 [LHC]
 - *A Colored Man in Exeter* (With Sketches of Lee) by Michael Cameron Ward - \$20
 - *The Early Mills and Industry of Lee, NH* by Richard & Susan Wellington and Randy Stevens - \$20 [LHC]





Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday: 12:00 – 8:00 pm
Thursday, Friday: 10:00 am – 5:00 pm
Saturday: 9:00 am – 12:00 pm



ADULT BOOK DISCUSSION
PICK UP After July 15th
People of the Book
Geraldine Brooks

The book group has chosen this book for its summer read. On Monday, September 10th the group will gather to discuss this book and choose books for the coming year. All are welcome to participate.



2018 SUMMER READING PROGRAM
June 25th - August 11th

Libraries Rock is the theme for this summer's reading program. Come in any time to sign up and get your reading logs and calendar of events for this fun program!

Adult Summer Reading Program Too! Still 3 more weeks to go!

Write very short reviews (one or two sentences) about the books you read this summer to enter our weekly summer reading drawing!

Thanks to the Friends of the Lee Public Library for encouraging all readers to read by providing fun prizes.



PB & JAM SESSION
Tuesday, July 31st 3:30 pm

We've been making instruments all summer. Bring a lunch, make a few new instruments and jam out! Get the whole family drummin' and strummin'. Please register.



SUMMER READING PROGRAM FINALE
Cactus Head Puppets Present the
Bremen Town Musicians
Thursday, August 9th 11:00 am
Lee Church Congregational

Funding for this Kids, Books and the Arts event is provided by the Jack and Dorothy Byrne Foundation, Chilis, Cogswell Benevolent Trust, and is supported in part by a grant from the NH State Council on the Arts & the National Endowment for the Arts as well as funds administered by the NH State Library and provided by the Institute of Museum and Library Services.

[CLICK HERE](#) for ongoing events at the library as well as full summer reading program events on pages 3 & 4 of the current Bookworm Digest

Regional & State News & Events

GOVERNOR & EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEETING WEDNESDAY, JULY 11, 2018

[CLICK HERE](#) for the Minutes
Next Governor & Executive Council Meeting
Friday, July 27, 2018 10:00 am
Currier Museum of Art, Manchester, NH

LAMPREY RIVER ADVISORY COMMITTEE 2018 SUMMER NEWSLETTER

[CLICK HERE](#) for Newsletter

[CLICK HERE](#) for HAMMOCK TO 3K KAYAK PROGRAM DETAILS

Kayak Training & Meet-Ups Running July – August
Sponsored by Newmarket Rec and LRAC

CHECK OUT MAPGEO

A GIS Collaboration between the Strafford Regional Planning Commission and Lee bringing basic GIS (Geographic Information System) technology to your fingertips. GIS map data is now displayed on the MapGeo website. This website can be found by clicking [HERE](#). The site allows residents to search for tax map info, as well as view several different overlay layers.



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ATTENTION!

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