

TOWN OF LEE, NEW HAMPSHIRE

7 Mast Road

Lee, New Hampshire 03861

(603) 659-5414

August 8, 2014

ICE CREAM SMORGASBORD

Tuesday, August 12th 6:30 – 8:30 pm

Lee Public Safety Complex



Come support your local Fire Department by having ice cream with friends and neighbors!



CONGRATULATIONS TO OFFICER LYCZAK ON HIS PROMOTION TO SERGEANT

SEE THE RED-TAILED HAWK AT THE TRANSFER STATION



LEE CONSERVATION COMMISSION UPDATE ON THE MAUD JONES FOREST PROJECT

A new walking trail in the Maud Jones Memorial Forest began on Saturday, August 2nd. The trail conforms to the management plan that is in place for this certified tree farm. The path was initially located and cleared by UNH students earlier this year under the direction of Professor Donald Quigley. The work to be done includes signs, trail markings and path improvements. It has been proposed by Eagle Scout candidate, Will Stone of Troop 154, and approved by the Lee Conservation Commission and the Board of Selectmen. Will has responsibility for planning and directing the progress of the project, with the work to be done by members of the troop and their leaders. The trail will consist of an 0.8 mile loop that begins and ends at the Tree Farm sign and parking area along the west side of Garrity Road. Another work session is planned for **August 10th** with follow-up work to be scheduled in needed. Following the completion of the project, a public walk and celebration will be announced. Questions and concerns may be directed to Dick Weyrick at 868-2862 or dweyrick@comcast.net.

**CURRENT OPENING FOR THE LEE DELEGATE
TO THE SOUTHEAST WATERSHED ALLIANCE**

For information about the organization go to

<http://southeastwatershedalliance.org/>

To apply please call Lee Town Hall at 659-5414

**CURRENT OPENINGS AVAILABLE FOR
THE TOWN OF LEE**

- TRUSTEE OF THE TRUST FUNDS
- ADVISORY BUDGET COMMITTEE

Please apply in person at the Town Clerk's Office

Monday 8-6pm, Wednesday 8-4pm or
Friday 8-4pm.

**COME FOR A WALK ON WEDNESDAY MORNING
WITH THE CONSERVATION COMMISSION!**

SEE CONSERVED LANDS IN LEE!

Residents are invited to join members of the Conservation Commission every Wednesday morning through the summer and early fall while they conduct a site walk 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. Meet in the Town Hall parking lot at 8:45 am, dressed for walking in the woods. Standard precautions for ticks and mosquitoes are advised. Walks typically take 1½ - 2 hours.



COOL OFF at DURGIN PRESERVE

Durgin Preserve located on Rita Lane is accessed from Clement Way off of Calef Highway. Please be advised swimming is at your own risk and boating access is limited to carry in canoes, kayaks or row boats. Please note no vehicles or trailers are allowed beyond the parking lot!

LEE HISTORICAL SOCIETY MUSEUM



OPEN EVERY 3RD SATURDAY
10:00 AM – 2:00 PM

SENIOR ADVISORY COMMITTEE

EVENTS TO COME

Harvey Epstein will be presenting a program with Medicare information in September. SAC, along with Walgreens, will be hosting a Flu Clinic in October. More complete information to be listed here as these programs approach.

Patricia Jenkins, Catherine Fisher and Shirley Walker

READY RIDES: VOLUNTEER DRIVER PROGRAM

We currently offer free curb-to-curb rides to medical appointments to the disabled and over 55 residents of Lee. For more details please contact Meri Schmalz at 603-244-8719 or email info@readyrides.org.

Please join us as a VOLUNTEER or CLIENT! Thank you!



HISTORICAL SOCIETY UPDATE

As the Town of Lee gears up for the 250th birthday celebration in 2016, the Lee Historical Society plans to take a significant role in the planning and festivities. Right now they are working on an exhibit about ice harvesting in town. If you have any information about how and where ice harvesting happened here, or even better photos or stories of the process, please call Jan Allen at 659-5414.

Phyllis White is still looking for information, photos, personal accounts, or artifacts having to do with Lee schools or the Native American presence in town. Any help will be appreciated.

Jan Allen, President

The HERITAGE COMMISSION is SEEKING OLD PHOTOGRAPHS, POSTCARDS or NEWSPAPER CLIPPINGS of anything LEE! If you have such items please email them to dduval@leenh.org or bring them into Town Hall to be scanned.

THANK YOU!!!

LIBRARY TRUSTEES' CORNER

The Library Trustees are pleased to announce a fundraiser for the Lee Public Library Community Center Foundation: a Garden & Market Raffle. Prizes include a \$100 gift certificate towards landscape services, a garden design consultation and a basket of products from local farms. Tickets will be on sale at the library starting [August 12](#) and at the LPLCC Foundation booth at the Lee Fair. \$1 each or 6 for \$5. There will be three drawings, one for each prize. The drawings will take place after the Harvest Dinner at the Lee Fair [on September 6](#). You need not be present to win. The trustees want to thank Make a Difference Landscaping, Barbara McNamee and the Lee farms who contributed items for the raffle.

Working Together, Lee Can Build It!

LEE FARMERS MARKET

THURSDAYS 3:00 – 6:00 PM

[CLICK HERE](#) for details



www.facebook.com/LeeFarmersMarket



SAVE THE DATE for the LEE FAIR SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2014 TOWN FIELD

The Trot 4 Kids Road Race will be held in the morning prior to the start of the Fair, ending the Fair will be the Harvest Supper! There is limited vending space so be sure to reserve your space early. Any questions, contact Caren Rossi at 659-6783. See you in September!



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

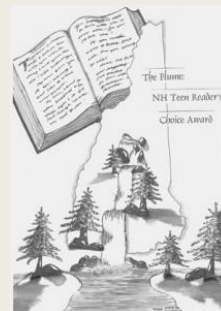
Saturday: 10:00 am – 3:00 pm

Summer Saturday Hours until Sept 6th: 9:00am – 12:00pm

WATCH FOR UPCOMING FALL PROGRAMS INCLUDING
STONE WALLS
& *THE STORY ONE DRESS CAN TELL*
IN FUTURE E-CRIERS

Did you know the library has a Kindle and a Nook available for checkout? Great opportunity to explore whether or not you like reading on an electronic device!

Can't find the book you want in our online card catalog? It is very likely we can get it from another library through **interlibrary loan**! If you are interested in requesting an interlibrary loan using your computer or mobile device, visit our website http://www.leenh.org/Pages/LeeNH_Library/index and click on the link that says "Request Interlibrary Loan", complete the form and send. It's that easy!



AWARD NOMINEE BOOKS

The 2014 - 2015 Great Stone Face (grades 4 - 6), Isinglass (grades 7 & 8) and Flume (grades 9 - 12) award nominees are all ready for eager readers! The students that read the books can vote on their favorite later on in the year.



ORION TELESCOPE AND THE LEE NIGHT SKIES

No time like the present to check out the night sky with our Orion telescope. Take your blanket and a comfortable lounge chair with you and be prepared to be dazzled. Below are some of the night sky events happening in August.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 13TH: The Perseid meteor showers peak from 1:00 am to dawn.

MONDAY, AUGUST 18TH at dawn: Jupiter and Venus will be visible near the horizon; see stars Aldebaran and the Haydes Cluster in Taurus as well as Venus and the Beehive Cluster in the low eastern horizon.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 20TH at dawn: The Beehive Cluster and Jupiter will be visible in the low eastern horizon.

ON GOING PROGRAMS



NO FOOLIN, JUST FUN - ADULT GAME DAY

Tuesdays 9:30 am

Cards, camaraderie and cookies. Come join the fun.



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.



LEARNING EXPRESS LIBRARY TAKE A CLASS THIS SUMMER!

Learning Express offers classes covering Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Office and internet use. If you're looking to keep up, stay competitive, or get ahead, you'll need to know how to use today's most popular computer programs and you can do so for free through the library. Visit our website and look for LearningExpress.



KNITTING FOR 50+

ALTERNATE WEDNESDAYS, NEXT IS AUGUST 20TH 9AM

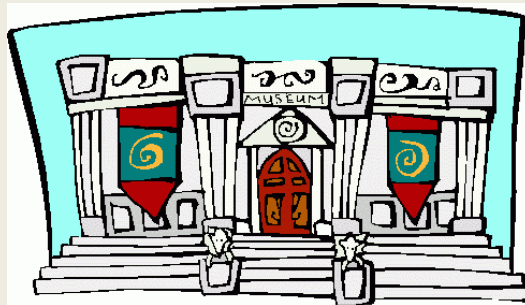
A drop-in group will meet at the library. Help is available from instructor, Donna Kay. All levels welcome.

Offered by the Senior Advisory Committee in conjunction with the Lee Library.

STORY TIME RESUMES!

Thursday, September 4th 6:30 am

These fun 30 - 40 minute programs include stories, songs, finger plays, flannel board and a craft. Registration is not required.



MUSEUM PASSES

Children's Museum of New Hampshire
Currier Gallery of Art
Isabella Stewart Gardener Museum
Museum of Fine Arts & Museum of Science
Seacoast Science Center
Strawbery Banke
Boston Children's Museum*
Isabella Stewart Gardener Museum*

*Please reserve these at the Durham Public Library (868-6699)

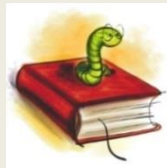


TENTS, TABLES AND CHAIRS TO LEND!

Reserve today for your end of summer event! We have two 10x10 tents, two long tables, two shorter tables and ten chairs to lend!

BOOKWORM DIGEST

Sign up for the Bookworm Digest: A monthly newsletter all about everything going on at Lee Public Library. Send an email to leelibrary@comcast.net to get the Bookworm Digest sent once a month.



Please visit the following link to view all the library's programs: leenh.org/pages/LeeNH_LibraryCal/?formid=158



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



LEE SCHOOLHOUSE 1900

LEE HISTORICAL SOCIETY DID YOU ATTEND A SCHOOL IN LEE?

Phyllis White is still continuing her research on the history of education in Lee. If you attended a One Room Schoolhouse, the Town Hall or Mast Way Schools, or if you are a former teacher or the owner of one of the town's Day Care/Nursery Schools, Phyllis would like to hear from you. She can be reached at 659-2883.



JOIN THE LEE FIRE RESCUE DEPT.

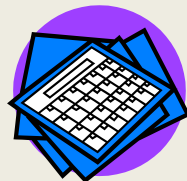
The Department is always looking for new members!

Please stop by the Safety Complex Monday - Friday 8:00 am to 4:00 pm or during one of our training meetings, held on the 2nd and 4th Thursday of each month at 7:00 pm.



EMERGENCY NOTIFICATION SYSTEM

The Town of Lee Police, Fire & Emergency Management will now utilize the emergency notification system known as CODE RED. [CLICK HERE](#) for instructions. Please visit leenh.org to sign up!



MEETING CALENDAR

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



CHANNEL 13

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



DISPOSAL OF PRESCRIPTION DRUGS

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



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.

STRAFFORD COUNTY CITIZEN CORPS HEALTH & SAFETY COUNCIL OF STRAFFORD COUNTY

Click below for good information about Influenza. Click on the "Senior" web page link for more information.

dhhs.nh.gov/dphs/cdcs/influenza/index.htm



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.straaffordcap.org.



**BITS of HISTORY from
The NEWMARKET ADVERTISER
August 5, 1893**

A former resident now on a visit here, complains of the dullness, says that when he lived here one could see a score of men each morning out in front of the grocery, where now are but two or three, if any. He misses those times when his boyish ears drank in the wild yarns told on those occasions. We will quote that like himself, "some have gone to lands far distant, and with strangers made their home. Some have passed from earth forever," and the few still remaining are afraid of the rheumatism or a scolding wife, so stay in away from the cold stone grocery step.

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