# **TOWN OF LEE, NEW HAMPSHIRE**

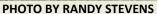
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August 12, 2016

Lee News & Upcoming
Events

### **CHECK OUT THE NEW GRILLS AT LITTLE RIVER PARK!**







**PHOTO BY LARRY KINDBERG** 

# ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL YEAR FOR THE FIRE ASSOCIATION'S ICE CREAM SOCIAL



PHOTO BY SCOTT BUGBEE





**PHOTOS BY CANDACE PRATT** 

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### **AUGUST SELECT BOARD MEETINGS**

Monday, August 15<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm and 29<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm
Go to <a href="http://leenh.org/pages/LeeNH">www.leenh.org</a> for more Town meeting dates
Go to <a href="http://leenh.org/pages/LeeNH">http://leenh.org/pages/LeeNH</a> LibraryCal/?formid=158
for the Library Calendar

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### BROX INDUSTRIES PAVING THESE ROADS IN LEE THIS MONTH:

CARTLAND ROAD, CLAY LANE, EPPING ROAD, FOX GARRISON ROAD, HAYES ROAD, NEWTOWN PLAINS ROAD AND PINKHAM ROAD



HERE'S PINKHAM ROAD
GETTING DONE THIS WEEK



**PHOTOS BY RANDY STEVENS** 





PHOTO BY SCOTT BUGBEE

# SETTLER'S JubiLEE DINNER – AUGUST 25<sup>TH</sup> GET YOUR TICKETS NOW!

Flag Hill Distillery & Winery
6:00 – 7:00 pm Music by Freese Brothers Big Band
6:00 pm Social Period Begins - 7:00 pm Introductions
7:15 pm Auction of the Official Semiquincentennial Bell
7:30 pm Buffet Dinner
8:15 pm Trivia Contest and Costume Party Awards
8:30 – 9:30 pm Music by Freese Brothers Big Band
9:30 pm Tour of Winery & Distillery
10:00 pm Festivities Conclude

Celebrating the agricultural history of Lee, the dinner, prepared by the Executive Chef at Flag Hill, will feature food exclusively grown in Lee. This will be a true *farm to table* event. To highlight this event guests are encouraged to dress in period correct (1766) attire (not required) and participate in a fun costume party with prizes awarded. The ticket price is just \$30.00 each for the 1<sup>st</sup> 150 tickets then they will be \$40 each. Ticket sales close on 8/18. This special event is limited to 200 and will be held under the tented event facility overlooking the beautiful vineyards at Flag Hill. Tickets may be purchased from Flag Hill by calling 603-659-2949, by emailing Frank Reinhold at freinholdjr@comcast.net or by visiting the Town Clerk's Office at 7 Mast Road.

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#### HOUSEHOLD HAZARDHOUS WASTE COLLECTION DAY

LEE – DOVER – ROLLINSFORD – MADBURY
Saturday, August 27<sup>th</sup> 8:30am – 12:30pm
Dover Community Services Garage, 271 Mast Road, Dover, NH
CLICK HERE for more information



# **LEE FAIR & FIREWORKS**

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10<sup>TH</sup> 10:00 AM – DUSK

<u>CLICK HERE</u> for flier

<u>CLICK HERE</u> for Schedule of Events

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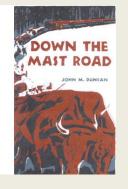


### A "Snapshot" of History - Lee in 1766

In 1766, 250 years ago this year, Lee became incorporated as a NH township. 1766 was also the 8th year of the French & Indian War, which would rage on for yet another year before the British and their allied Indian tribes (Mohawk, etc.) defeated the French and their allied tribes (Abenaki, etc.) - and gained control of the vast French held territory in North America. In 1766, American colonists - like the militia men of Lee - still considered themselves British citizens and fought alongside the British to win victory against the French.

It wouldn't be until shortly after the end of the French & Indian War in 1767 that the British colonists in America finally began to realize that not only had their loyalty to Great Britain during the war not won them full representation in Parliament, but that all efforts at diplomacy between the American Colonies and the British government continued to fail. By 1775, when Lee had only been an incorporated NH town for 9 years, the American colonists found themselves in a full-scale rebellion against their mother country. But that's a story for another day...





A reminder that the Lee Heritage Commission has 2 new publications out this summer and available for purchase at both the Lee Town Hall and the Lee Public Library: *The Land in Our Hands* by Martha Lamson Butterfield and a reprint of *Down the Mast Road* by John M. Duncan.

# YOU MAY STILL PURCHASE YOUR LICENSE AT THE PD IN SUPPORT OF THE 250<sup>TH</sup> CELEBRATION!



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#### THE LIBRARY TRUSTEES' CORNER

The Trustees would like to thank those who attended the Listening Session on Wednesday night to discuss options for the Lee Public Library. If you were unable to attend, please take this short survey — <a href="https://surveyplanet.com/575b254eae4716c05943027d">https://surveyplanet.com/575b254eae4716c05943027d</a>. This survey will remain online until mid-September. We need to hear from you — let us know what you think. Paper copies of the survey are available at the Library. THANK YOU!!

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#### **DON'T FORGET**

TO SEE THE PARADE & CELEBRATION IN FULL GO TO <a href="http://media.leenh.org/">http://media.leenh.org/</a> AND CLICK ON COMMUNITY VIDEOS

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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.

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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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# 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 <a href="mailto:dduval@leenh.org">dduval@leenh.org</a>. <a href="mailto:CLICK HERE">CLICK HERE</a> for Application



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

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### LOST AND FOUND

#### Located at the Lee Police Department - 20 George Bennett Road

Articles left behind at Little River Park and the Pavilion 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.



#### **POLICE DEPARTMENT NEWS**

The Lee Police Department has an "app" that can be downloaded through the Google App Store or the iPhone App Store. We use this app to post emergency information about road closures or other emergency events. The app is free.

https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.app leepd.layout

The Lee Police Department would like to remind everyone about scams that are still being used. Please do not become a victim.

- The caller advising that he is from Microsoft and wants to help you with a virus that is on your computer.
- The caller advising that he is from the IRS and you need to pay your back taxes.
- The caller advising that he is your grandchild and is in trouble in a different country and needs money wired to him.
- The caller, or a pop up message on your computer, advising that he is from the FBI and your computer contains child pornography, to unlock your computer you must pay a "fine".
- The caller advising that you missed a jury duty date and unless you pay a "fine" you will be arrested.
- The caller advising that you have won a lottery and you need to pay the taxes up front.

For more information, please check out the FBI's website <a href="https://www.fbi.gov/scams-and-safety/common-fraud-schemes">https://www.fbi.gov/scams-and-safety/common-fraud-schemes</a>

If you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact your local police agency, BEFORE, you provide any personal or banking information, or any money. Thank you.



#### **FIRE DEPARTMENT UPDATE**



Sparky the Fire Dog® NFPA.org

#### SAFETY EDUCATOR NEWSLETTER

<u>CLICK HERE</u> for the Summer 2016 Edition
<u>CLICK HERE</u> for IN THE NEWS JULY 2016 Edition

# **BURN PERMIT**

CLICK HERE for BURN PERMIT CHECKLIST

CLICK HERE for ONLINE FIRE PERMIT PRESS RELEASE

GO TO 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



#### **EMERGENCY NOTIFICATION SYSTEM**

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



#### **SUMMER HOURS**

Saturday: 9:00 am - NOON until 9/3/2016 Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday: 12:00 - 8:00 pm Thursday, Friday: 10:00 am - 5:00 pm



Lee resident Joan LaVoie has donated an oil painting for a raffle to benefit the library. Tickets will be available at the library from now until Lee Fair Day, Saturday, September 10<sup>th</sup> at which time the winning ticket will be announced. Tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5. The painting is currently on exhibit at the library along with others by the artist.



**Summer Reading Program** 

Much fun was had by all at the Hampstead Stage Company's wonderful performance of the Wizard of Oz. After this last summer reading program event, attendees enjoyed refreshments and children received free books for their reading efforts, courtesy of the Friends of the Lee Public Library. Congratulations readers!



Credit: Sky & Telescope Magazine Illustration

#### **Orion Telescope – Perseid Meteor Shower**

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. On **August 11**<sup>th</sup> & **12**<sup>th</sup> the Perseid Meteor Shower will take place. These showers are considered to be among the best annual meteor showers with up to 90 shooting stars per hour.

Please call the library at 659-2626 to check on the availability of the Orion telescope.



Jiggly Jellyfish Drop In Craft
Stop by anytime between August 6 and August 20 and make a jellyfish!



First Aid Wednesday, August 24<sup>th</sup> 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 http://www.cprsafe.org/#!calendar/c146o.



CPR Wednesday, September 7<sup>th</sup> 6:00 – 8:00 pm

The McGregor Institute of EMS will be teaching this American Heart Association CPR program. The program is free, but there is a \$20 materials fee. **To register**, go to McGregor's community calendar at http://www.cprsafe.org/#!calendar/c146o.

#### **COMING IN SEPTEMBER**



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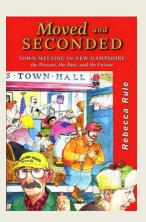
After Labor Day, the library will be offering the **Boston Aquarium pass** for Lee library patrons. **Many thanks to the Friends of the Lee Library for purchasing this pass.** 



### Adult Book Discussion Monday, September 12<sup>th</sup> 6:30 pm "The Museum of Extraordinary Things" - Alice Hoffman

"Hoffman breathes fiery life into an enrapturing fairy tale and historical fiction mash-up....Ravishing...Dramatic...Hoffman unveils both horror and magic in this transfixing tale of liberation and love in a metropolis of lies, yearning, and metamorphosis." (Booklist (starred review)

There will be a business meeting prior to the book discussion to choose titles for the coming year. Please come prepared with suggestions.



# Rebecca Rule – *Moved and Seconded*Tuesday, September 13<sup>th</sup> 7:00 pm Josiah Smith Grange

"Drawing on research from her book, Moved and Seconded: Town Meeting in New Hampshire, the Present, the Past, and the Future, Rebecca Rule regales audiences with stories of the rituals, traditions and history of town meeting, including the perennial characters, the literature, the humor, and the wisdom of this uniquely New England institution."

Hosted by the Lee Public Library and the Lee Historical Society. Made possible by a grant from the NH Humanities Council.

#### **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 August 17<sup>th</sup> 9:00 am

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



# 250<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 – <u>CLICK HERE!</u>

#### **GET AREA MUSEUM PASSES HERE!**

The Friends make it possible for Lee residents to visit area museums at a reduced charge. Stop by or call the library at 659-2626 to reserve your pass. Passes are available for:

Strawbery 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 & holidays

Children's Museum of New Hampshire: 50% admission

Boston Children's Museum (pass available at Durham library): 50% admission

Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum (available at Durham library): Discount admission

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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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# RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE Friday, August 12<sup>th</sup> 1:00 – 6:00 pm Lee Church, 17 Mast Road

You can donate blood or double red cells. Call 800-733-2767 or go to <a href="www.redcrossblood.org">www.redcrossblood.org</a> to schedule an appointment or to check if you are eligible to donate. Pizza, donated by Pizza Spinners, will be served. Remember your ID or blood donor card. For more information, call the church at 659-2861 or visit <a href="www.leechurch.org">www.leechurch.org</a>.

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#### THE EARLY CHILDHOOD WORKFORCE INDEX

First-ever comprehensive state-by-state analysis of early education employment conditions and policies outlines strategies for building a skilled and stable workforce to teach America's youngest children. CSCCE.BERKELEY.EDU

http://cscce.berkeley.edu/files/2016/Early-Childhood-Workforce-Index-2016.pdf



**CLICK HERE for** 

LAMPREY RIVERS ADVISORY COMMITTEE SUMMER NEWSLETTER

# 1<sup>ST</sup> ANNUAL LAMPREY RIVER SPLASH AND DASH KAYAK RACE

August 20<sup>th</sup>, 10:30 am Registration, Schanda Park



# 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 handicapaccessible 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

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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 <a href="mailto:info@readyrides.org">info@readyrides.org</a> for more details about how to help your neighbor. **Volunteers from Lee are needed!** 

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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.

### 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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To receive the E-CRIER via email EVERY WEEK go to <a href="www.leenh.org">www.leenh.org</a>, 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!