

TOWN OF LEE, NEW HAMPSHIRE

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Lee, New Hampshire 03861

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August 15, 2014

2014 LEE FIRE & POLICE ICE CREAM SOCIAL AUGUST 12TH



SEE YOU NEXT YEAR!!!

**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.

SUPERVISORS OF THE CHECKLIST
will be in session at the Lee Public Library
on Tuesday, September 2nd from 7:00pm – 7:30 pm
to accept new voter registrations
& corrections to the Checklist.
Changes of party affiliation are no longer accepted
(the last date to make that change was June 3rd.)

NH STATE PRIMARY
Tuesday, September 9th
Polls open 7:00 am – 7:00 pm
Lee Public Safety Complex
George Bennett Road

NOTICE
**PUBLIC MEETING OF STRAFFORD COUNTY
DELEGATION EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

Cafeteria Conference Room
Strafford County William A. Grimes Justice & Adm Bldg
259 County Farm Road, Dover, NH
Friday, August 15, 2014 9:00 am

[CLICK HERE](#) for 2014 Strafford County 2nd Quarter 2014 Budget
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Report Meeting – August 15, 2014

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.



LAST DAYS 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, NEXT DATE AUGUST 16TH

10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Come see our new exhibits, and discover what upcoming events we have planned. Be sure to visit our booth at the Lee Town Fair. We will again host local fiber artists with spinning and weaving activities for all ages. We will also premiere a new exhibit on Ice Harvesting and have an old fashioned treat available. Our popular Old Fashioned Sack Races will occur throughout the day.

We are still looking for information and photos on Ice harvesting in town and early Town Schools. If you have any to share please call Jan Allen at 603-292-6143.

On October 4th, we will present another "Lee History Comes Alive" program. This time the Cartland family and several nationally famous guests will come "alive" at the Cartland House and Walnut Grove School on Cartland Road. Look for further information on this fun and informative family event.



HIKE IT, BIKE IT, LIKE IT - FINAL ACTIVITY AUGUST 24TH 10:00 AM - NOON

Join the Lamprey Rivers Advisory Committee to “like” the end of summer with a guided visit to Mary Blair Park in Epping. Study aquatic invertebrates, learn about floodplain mis-haps, and explore the recently installed history trail. For the real kids at heart, play on the new natural playground.

Meet at 10:00am at Mary Blair Park, just off Route 27. Please wear sneakers or sandals that can get wet: no flip flops. For questions, please contact spetersen.lrac@comcast.net.

SENIOR ADVISORY COMMITTEE UPDATE

Little River Park walks every Saturday continue, led by Catherine Fisher. This week the female cicada killers have emerged (wait until you see their tunnels - WOW!), the late summer and early fall flowers are at peak bloom and are busy with pollinators. Along the river the cardinal flowers are in glorious bloom. Crackles, redwings and rusty blackbirds are beginning to gather in flocks for the journey south. A few bird species are still rearing families; and in fact, Monday, a cedar waxwing was observed peeling bark off young locust trees and building her nest - waxwings are very late-season nesters. These walks are co-sponsored by SAC and the Lee Conservation Commission.

The 1st Saturday Nature Walk at Little River Park in September will be moved to September 13th due to the Lee Fair celebration being held on September 6th. **This walk will be at 9:30am instead of 8:00am.**

A Flu Shot Clinic will be held on October 20th from 10:00am ~ 2:00pm at the Public Safety Complex, sponsored by SAC and Walgreens. Bring your Medicare and/or insurance card. Walgreens will check to see if your insurance will cover the shot. All the customer will need to pay is the co-pay, if any. If you are not covered by insurance the cost of the shot will be \$25.09.

The Wednesday 9:00 am knitting sessions with Donna Kay continue to be popular, even in the summer months. After all, it takes a few months to knit those cold weather items! Co-sponsored by the Lee Library and SAC.

Catherine Fisher LLC, Shirley Walker SAC

**GOVERNOR & EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEETING
MINUTES FROM AUGUST 5TH**

[CLICK HERE](#) for the minutes

Next Governor & Executive Council Meeting
Wednesday, September 3, 2014 at 10:00 am
in District Two.

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 are on sale at the library and can also be purchased at the LPLCC Foundation booth at the Lee Fair for \$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. Be sure to stop by the library to see all the goodies in the farmers' market basket!

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

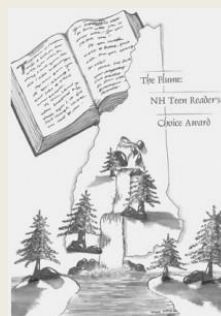
Saturday: 10:00 am – 3:00 pm

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

**WATCH FOR UPCOMING FALL PROGRAMS INCLUDING
*STONE WALLS, THE STORY ONE DRESS CAN TELL &
A VARIETY OF ART CLASSES* IN FUTURE E-CRIERS**

Our summer reading programs are over, but what fun we had – children, teens and adults participated. Adult readers reviewed 109 books in six weeks! 546 people attended the many fun events, classes and presentations in that same period! Great fun!

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.

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

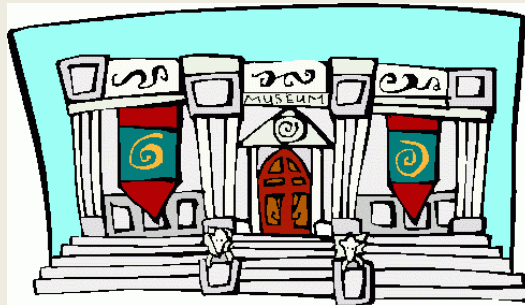
A drop-in group will meet at the library. Help is available from instructor, Donna Kay. All levels welcome.

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

STORY TIME RESUMES!

Thursday, September 4th 6:30 am

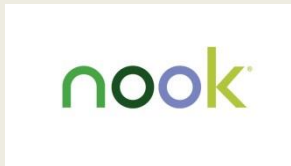
These fun 30 - 40 minute programs include stories, songs, finger plays, flannel board and a craft. Registration is not required.



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)



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!

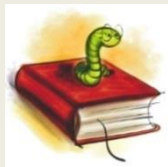


TENTS, TABLES AND CHAIRS TO LEND!

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](http://leenh.org) 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.straffordcap.org.



The photo shown here was taken at New England Telephone and Telegraph.

**BITS of HISTORY from
The NEWMARKET ADVERTISER
August 8, 1913**

Telephone users have noticed that since August 1st the telephone operators have been using a new form of response when asking for the number with which the calling party desires to speak. The old way has been to put the query “number” with a rising inflection. The new form is “number, please?” This operating feature has been adopted by the New England Telephone and Telegraph Co., beginning on the first of August. The two-word query will undoubtedly be more pleasing to the ear and the addition of the polite word “please” to the questioning “number” will give a fresh touch of courtesy to the service, to which the public will respond with a similar spirit.

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