

TOWN OF LEE, NEW HAMPSHIRE


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Lee, New Hampshire 03861
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September 28, 2018

Lee News & Upcoming
Events

PUBLIC SAFETY DAY
October 20th
10:00am – 1:00pm
Lee Public Safety Complex

Presented by: Lee Police Department and Lee Fire & Rescue Department
With assistance from: Lee Police Association and Lee Firemen's Association



Events to include:

- Fire Extinguisher Training
- Cooking Fires Training
- Children's Fire Gear
 - Child ID Kit
- Touch-a-Truck including Fire Apparatus and McGregor Memorial Ambulance
 - CPR on the Streets taught by McGregor Memorial Ambulance
 - Child Safety Seat Inspections
- Strafford Sheriff Department Drone
- Strafford County Tactical Teams Bearcat and Police related vehicles

Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, and Fries will be served

BOSTON POST CANE

The Town is seeking the oldest resident to be the next Boston Post Cane holder.
Please contact Town Secretary, Denise Duval at 659-5414 to nominate a resident by **October 19th**.





LIKE PLAYING HOOPS?

Join our Adult Pick-Up Basketball League @ Mast Way School in Lee

Tuesday & Thursday nights 8:00 – 10:00 pm

We play fun games of 4 on 4 on a “short court”; semi-competitive. Please email Tim Munroe at tmunroe009@gmail.com for more information.



Photos by Judy Von Feldt, Strafford County Master Gardener since 2007

The Concord grapes are ripening and are available for picking at the Garden of Native NH Plants. You will find them on the grape arbor and along the back chain-link fence. If you are not familiar with the Garden, it is located on the right side as you enter the Transfer Station. Thanks to Carolyn Bassage and a number of other dedicated Lee gardeners, it was created about eight years ago and is funded and maintained by the Master Gardeners of Strafford County for the benefit of Lee residents. If you have any questions about being a Master Gardener or if you have any gardening questions, check out our website at scmga.wordpress.com. Enjoy the grapes.

<p>LEE COOPERATIVE FARMERS MARKET 3-6 Thursdays</p>	<p>The Lee Farmers Market is Celebrating 11 years!</p> <p>May 31 through Sept/Oct 2018</p>
<p>Find us at the Corner of Mast Rd (Rt155) and Recycle Center Road in Lee, NH</p> <p> </p>	<p>Mark your calendar for every Thursday afternoon!</p> <p>vegetables fruits bakery items flowers cheese local meat honey syrup plants crafts soaps herbs fudge and more!!</p>

GO TO <https://www.facebook.com/LeeFarmersMarket/> for UPDATES
[CLICK HERE](#) for the 2018 Lee Agriculture and Farm Brochure



[CLICK HERE](#) for TRANSFER STATION POP QUIZ

LEE HISTORICAL SOCIETY UPCOMING EVENTS – Free to all

www.leenhhistoricalsoc.org



NORTHEAST WOODLAND STORIES

By Anne Jennison

October 3rd 7:00pm

Lee Public Safety Complex

Lee resident and NH storyteller, Anne Jennison, will share stories and cultural traditions of the Northeast Woodlands. Interwoven with song, drumming, basket weaving, drama and humor. Anne is a dyed-in-the-wool New Englander with both European and Abenaki heritage. Her storytelling skills have been polished by 30 years of experience. She brings a wealth of cultural and historical knowledge to her storytelling. Abenaki basket craft will be on display, as well as other artifacts which reveal the rich history of these ancient people. Light refreshments will be served.



Photo by Candace Pratt

THE RAILROAD IN LEE

By Randy Stevens

November 7th 7:00pm

Lee Public Safety Complex

Lee resident and local historian, Randy Stevens, will present a program through photos and stories that tells the railroad's history and how it served Lee and the surrounding towns. Light refreshments will be served.

OCTOBER SELECT BOARD MEETINGS
Monday, **October 8th & 22nd** starting at 6:30 pm

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

SWAP SHOP VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The new swap shop still **NEEDS** more volunteers to assist with the day-to-day operations. **If volunteers are not found to work the hours needed then the swap shop hours of operation will be restricted.** If you wish to help, please call Shirley McKeon at 603-659-8163 or email her at smckeon123@aol.com.

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS VACANCY

A vacancy is available with the Trustees of Trust Funds. Any one with an interest in serving on this vital board should contact the Town of Lee Secretary, Denise Duval, to be considered for appointment by the Select Board. Please call 603-659-5414 or email dduval@leenh.org.

LEE TOWN COMMITTEE AND COMMISSION VACANCIES

Energy Committee, Lamprey River Advisory Committee and Conservation Commission have immediate openings to be filled. If you are interested contact the Town Secretary Denise Duval at 603-659-5414 or email dduval@leenh.org. [CLICK HERE](#) for Application.



LEE HISTORICAL SOCIETY - A PAINLESS WAY TO DONATE

Would you like to support the Lee Historical Society but can't make one more financial donation? Do you shop at **Amazon or Amazon Prime**? By using **Amazon Smile**, and **registering the Lee (New Hampshire) Historical Society as your charity of choice**, you will be making a valuable donation to this organization without spending an extra cent. Amazon donates .05% of your purchase to the Lee Historical Society. Thank You for helping.

VISIT THE MUSEUM ON SATURDAY, October 20th or November 17th 10 am – 2pm



LEE FIRE RESCUE DEPARTMENT SEEKING CALL FIREFIGHTERS AND EMTS

[CLICK HERE](#) for more information

[CLICK HERE](#) for Safety Educator September 2018

[CLICK HERE](#) for One Stop Educator September 2018

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



POLICE NOTICE

In follow up to our request and plea that residents properly number their homes, [CLICK HERE](#) for the Ordinance that applies. We will be canvassing the town to compile a list of homes that are not complying with this ordinance. We will make contact with the homeowners and hopefully get everyone into compliance to help make it easier for us to locate a residence in case of emergency.

DO NOT FORGET!

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

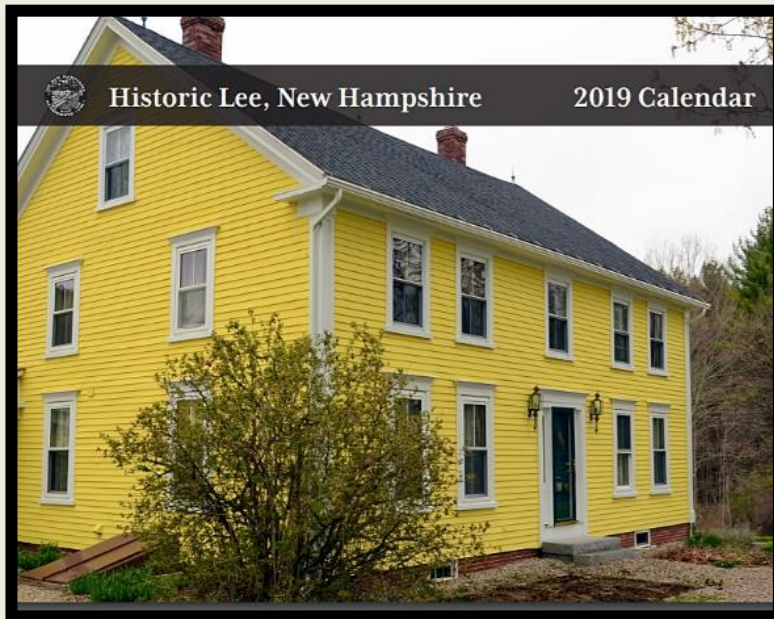
The scammers are still out there working hard to steal your money and your identity. Please do not release any information or agree to accept a check where you have to forward part of the funds either back to the caller or to a 3rd party.

Report Treasury (non-IRS scams) to OIGCounsel@oig.treas.gov.

Report IRS scams to phishing@irs.gov.



NEWS FROM THE LEE HERITAGE COMMISSION!



NEW 2019 Historic Lee Wall Calendar is Now on Sale!

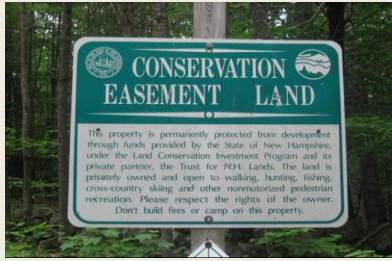
Listening to many requests from our fellow Lee community members, the Lee Heritage Commission was determined to get the calendar to press 2 months earlier than usual this year. Happily, and thanks to the diligence of Commission members Liz McCaffrey and Cord Blomquist, the new calendar is ready!

You may purchase the calendar at the Lee Town Hall or at the Lee Library. They are \$10 each.

Stock up now for the upcoming holidays!

The farmhouse at Velvet Pastures Elk Ranch on Wednesday Hill Road is our 2019 calendar cover photo – and also the featured photo for March 2019. Look there for more details about the farm. Photo by Gerald Sedor.

NEWS!! A NEW LEE TOWN HISTORIAN HAS BEEN APPOINTED! We are delighted to announce that, upon his retirement after 38 years of service to the Town of Lee, the Lee Heritage Commission invited Randy Stevens to accept the position of honorary Lee Town Historian. Happily Randy has accepted our invitation and the Lee Select Board has approved the appointment! Throughout his years of service to the town, Randy has also had an avid interest in researching and writing about the history of Lee in his “spare” time. One of his books, *“The Railroad that Passed through Lee NH – 1874 – 1934”* by Randy Stevens is available at the Lee Town Hall and the Lee Library for \$12.00. We can hardly wait to see what his next project will be! Whenever you next see Randy - please give him a hearty *“Congratulations!”* on his appointment!



**COME WALK WITH THE
CONSERVATION COMMISSION TO SEE
CONSERVED LANDS IN LEE!
EVERY WEDNESDAY MORNING**

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.

A LEE FIRE AND PLANNING & 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 REGARDING SIGNS

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. 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.

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



LEE CEMETERY RULES

[CLICK HERE](#) for Rules

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

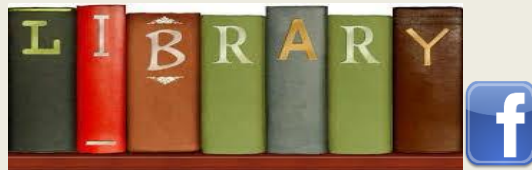
17 Mast Rd

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.

Lee Public Library



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

Thursday, Friday: 10:00 am – 5:00 pm

Hours 10am – 3pm

CLOSED Monday, October 8th in Observance of Columbus Day



MARBLING WORKSHOP

Saturday, September 29th

10 am - 1 pm

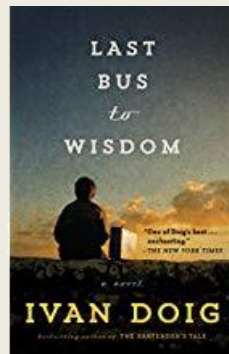
Lee Public Safety Complex

Marbling paper, leather or textile involves floating paint on a thickened water bath. The water is thickened with carrageenan—a seaweed extract. Acrylic paint is applied using brushes to spatter the paint or by dropping paint onto the bath using a pipette. Once the desired color combinations are achieved, the paint is drawn and combed with specialized tools to produce a wide variety of one-of-a-kind prints. In this workshop participants will learn about the marbling process, the history, materials and patterns. Each participant will create at least five marbled papers of various designs—some traditional, some free form. **All materials will be provided. Workshop participants should wear old clothes. The process can be messy and wet. It is also helpful if students can bring a few old newspapers. Registration is required. Class is limited to 10.**



Are you an Artist or a Creative Craft Person?

We would love to display your art on our tiny but visible space. Help beautify the library! Call 659-2626 and ask for Ruth or Cheryl.



ADULT BOOK DISCUSSION
Monday, October 10, 2018
7:00 pm

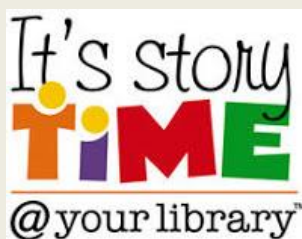
"*Last Bus to Wisdom* is a treasure; one suspects that the beloved Ivan Doig--a red-haired boy who lived with his grandmother and grew up to tell stories--chuckled as he plotted to leave his readers a part of himself." -*Shelf Awareness* (starred). The book is now available at the library to pick up. All are welcome to participate.



ADULT GAMES
Tuesdays 9:30 am



KNITTING GROUP
Tuesdays at 6:00 pm



STORY TIME
Thursdays @ 10 am
Fridays @ 11 am

Reading, crafts, puppets, music and more. Who knows where next week's adventures may take us? Large groups and families welcome.



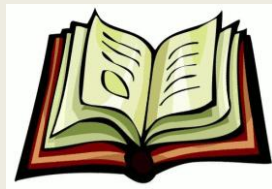
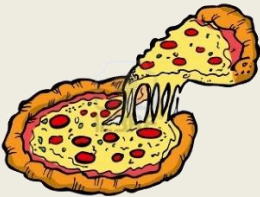
BABY LAPSIT
Fridays @ 10 am

Silliness, songs, scarves, rhymes and of course...reading. This baby story time is full of age-appropriate activities to facilitate learning and bonding. Give it a **GO**.



ELEPHANT and PIGGY PARTY
Saturday, October 6th
1:00 pm

Come on in to the library for books, crafts, snacks songs and games to celebrate the wonderful Mo Willems' Elephant and Piggy.



YOU CHEWS BOOK CLUB
2nd Thursday of each month starting
October 11th
3:30 – 4:30 pm

This monthly book club will talk about a new member-selected group read over pizza each time we meet. Books may alternate between regular books and graphic novels. It is facilitated by Inga, the Youth Services librarian but will be largely group led. Register [here](#) or call 659-2626.

[CLICK HERE](#) for ongoing events at the library

Regional & State
News & Events



LAMPREY RIVER ADVISORY COMMITTEE
GUIDED PADDLE ALONG LAMPREY RIVER
Saturday, October 13TH

The Lamprey Rivers Advisory Committee will be offering a guided paddle along 5 miles of largely unexplored river between Epping and Lee. Learn about the recent project to improve passage for paddling and the wild places and wildlife along the way. The event is free, but pre-registration is required. Visit www.lampreyriver.org and click on the calendar for contact information.

[CLICK HERE](#) for the Lamprey River Advisory Committee Fall Newsletter



[CLICK HERE](#) for Your Estuaries Partnership News for September 2018

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.



To receive the E-CRIER via email every week go to www.leenh.org, click on **Subscribe to E-Alerts** in the left hand column & follow the directions to subscribe. It's that easy!

ATTENTION!

If you do not have the internet please come to Town Hall for a **printed copy** or go to the Library to view it there. If you cannot leave your home please call Town Secretay Denise Duval at 659-5414 to have it mailed!