

TOWN OF LEE, NEW HAMPSHIRE

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October 28, 2016

Lee News & Upcoming
Events



BEAUTIFUL LEE ROADS ON A CRISP FALL DAY – WHO CAN TELL WHERE THESE ARE TAKEN?

EMAIL dduval@leenh.org or call Denise at 603-659-5414

TRICK OR TREAT

Sunday, October 30, 2016 5-7:00 pm



Get Your **FREE** Glow Necklaces again this year from Police & Fire

NOVEMBER SELECT BOARD MEETINGS

Monday, November 7th and 21st, now starting at 6:30 pm

Go to www.leenh.org for more Town meeting dates

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

for the Library Calendar



From the Supervisors of the Checklist

The Supervisors of the Checklist will be meeting in public session for additions and corrections to the checklist on **Saturday, October 29th from 11:00 to 11:30am** at the Lee Library. This will be the last day to accept voter registration applications until Election Day, November 8th. In order to register to vote, residents must be 18 years of age by Election Day, an American citizen and domiciled in the Town of Lee. A driver’s license, passport, birth certificate, or mail are all useful things to bring as proof of these requirements.

LEE REMEMBERS II

Thursday, November 10th 7:00 pm

Lee Safety Complex

In April 2016 the 250th Committee hosted the popular “Lee Remembers” Program. It was well attended and folks asked for more.

On November 10, 2016 a second evening of shared memories will occur where committee members will present photos, videos and stories about the Semiquincentennial Events. Trivia questions, such as those found in the Heritage Commission section of the E-Crier, will inspire lively discussions and jog memories.

We hope that many attendees will also share memories of their lives, and of their families and ancestors, who have lived or spent time in Lee over the past 250 years. We welcome any photos, slides, videos or stories. Nothing to share? Just come and enjoy learning about your town and neighbors.

Would you like to share your collection with the town, but not give up your originals? Stations will be set up for scanning to digital formats so that the town can archive them for future generations, but you can still pass on the originals to your descendants.

Refreshments will be served.

FREE LAST MINUTE FLU SHOT CLINIC

Hosted by Walgreens at Lee Public Safety Complex

Tuesday, November 15th Noon – 2:00 pm

For every shot that is administered, Walgreens will donate a vaccine through the UN to an impoverished area of the world.

THE LEE HISTORICAL SOCIETY
Guided Tour of Cartland Road Property
Saturday, November 5th 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

Have you heard about the Cartland House on Cartland Road in Lee? Exciting things happened there over the years. Famous people like the poet John Greenleaf Whittier, a cousin to the Cartlands, visited often, one building was originally a Quaker Meeting House, then the Walnut Grove School. Abolitionist Frederick Douglas spoke there. The family home once housed a station on the Underground Railroad. The tour will include stops at the house, school and cemetery, to be reached by hay wagon. The tour ends with an exhibit at the barn, where refreshments will be served. There are many interesting facts about the Cartland family and home site. For instance, did Moses Cartland actually have a part in naming Lee? We'll give you the story; you decide. The tour is free, although donations will be accepted.



LEE HISTORICAL SOCIETY MUSEUM

OPEN 10am – 2pm – Last Day Open NOVEMBER 19TH

JOIN IN LEE'S FINAL 250TH ANNIVERSARY EVENT

IMAGE-IN-LEE

Sunday, December 4th 12:00 -4:00 pm

Public Safety Complex

Everyone welcome to attend and/or submit their project entries

[CLICK HERE](#) for information and entry form

LEE TRAILS COMMITTEE MAPPING PROJECT: TRAIL WALKERS NEEDED!!

Walkers needed to walk with the Lee Trails Committee as they collect GPS data on Lee trails. Please contact Sharon Meeker 659-5441 if you'd like to help get our trails mapped. These are the trails that need to be walked: Little River Park, Oyster River Reserve, Old Mill Reserve, Five Corners Reserve, Newtown Plains Reserve and Powder Major Farm.

FROM THE CEMETERY TRUSTEES

Cold weather is fast approaching. The cemeteries are being prepared for winter. At the Lee Hill Cemetery the water has been turned off and watering cans collected. When visiting your plots, please remove all potted plants and trim any planted perennials to the ground that have been planted by your stone. Also, please remove any metal flower holders. If they are still there when the Cemetery Trustees do their final clean up, they will be placed by the cemetery shed for you to pick up. The Cemetery Trustees have reviewed the use of metal flower holders and voted unanimously to not allow the use of them beginning fall of 2016. We have found that it takes our mowing crew longer to trim and mow around them, driving them into the ground runs the chance of hitting a vault, and they can fall over and chip stones. This rule has been added to the revised Cemetery Rules and Regulations which will be posted in the E-Crier and also in the cemetery bulletin board. Thank you so much for your cooperation.



The Lee Heritage Commission is very happy to announce that it's been awarded a NH Moose Plate Historic Preservation Grant – and we want to thank all of you who support these grants by sporting Moose plates on your cars!

The grant will be used to have Lee's archival collection of historic town documents and donated private papers assessed by a professional archivist from the Northeast Document Conservation Center (NEDCC) in order to make best-practice recommendations for the organization and conservation of the Lee Town archives that are in the care of the Lee Heritage Commission.

The goal is that these records will not only be organized and conserved, but also may be made readily available to the public for research purposes. The historic Lee archives include town records dating back to the 18th century as well as private papers of many individuals and families who have lived in Lee and donated documents to the town for safekeeping, such as the journals and records of the historically significant Cartland, Piper, Plumer and Towle families.

SUBMIT YOUR PHOTOS FOR OUR NEW 2017 WALL CALENDAR!!

- ✚ Do you enjoy taking pictures of our beautiful town? Share them with us, and they may be featured in Lee's 2017 photo calendar.
- ✚ We're looking for recent photos of historic homes, barns, farms, as well as landmarks, natural settings, and other special features of Lee. We want to see all the seasons, too-- Winter, Spring, Summer and Fall.
- ✚ Any submissions not used in this year's calendar will be considered for future calendars and publications.
- ✚ Along with each photo, please send a brief description of the subject of the photo and where it was taken in Lee. If you did not take the photo yourself, please list the photographer so proper credit can be given in the calendar.

Photos can be sent to LeeNHcalendar@gmail.com. All submissions must be received by 10/31.



Mast Wheels in the July 16, 2016 Lee 250th Celebration Parade. (Photo by Anne Jennison)

Please: "Friend" the Lee Heritage Commission on Facebook, "Like" the articles we post that you find interesting, and "Share" us with Your Friends!

<https://www.facebook.com/LeeHeritageCommission>

This week's Lee Trivia Question: What was the name of the book written by John M. Duncan, a Madbury resident, about a story about boy named Obadiah Merritt who goes on a masting?

The answer to LAST WEEK's TRIVIA QUESTION: [The Webster \(NH\) Historical Society](#) loaned Lee a set of mast wheels to use in our Lee 250 parade on July 16, 2016.

**OPENINGS ARE STILL AVAILABLE ON THE FOLLOWING TOWN BOARDS,
COMMITTEES AND COMMISSIONS:**

AGRICULTURAL, CONSERVATION, & RECREATION COMMISSIONS; ADVISORY BUDGET, ENERGY, LAMPREY RIVER ADVISORY, SUSTAINABILITY, and FACILITY COMMITTEES

Hand deliver to Town Hall or email application to the Town Secretary at dduval@leenh.org.

[CLICK HERE](#) for Application



**AGRICULTURAL COMMISSION IS LOOKING FOR DONATIONS
ONE LARGER SIZE *FOOD PROCESSOR AND COOKING UTENSILS***

If you have these items to donate to the Ag Commission please either bring them to the Town Hall or call Erick Sawtelle at 603-234-7907. Thank you!

ATTENTION LEE RESIDENTS

The 2016 Final Property Revaluation Values have been completed. They can be viewed on the Town's website at www.leenh.org under News & Events.

THANK YOU FOR CONSERVING WATER

Due to the ongoing dry conditions, the Lee Select Board is asking Residents to voluntarily restrict their use of water for outdoor irrigation. Go to <http://tinyurl.com/nhwaterbans> to view the current State drought conditions.



Effective immediately, the DES is recommending that NH residents reduce their water use. [CLICK HERE](#) for more information.



POLICE DEPARTMENT NEWS

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

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. The most recent one going on is where the Caller ID shows the Lee Police Department (603) 659-5866 and the caller is trying to scam the people into sending them money. **Please do not become a victim. WHEN IN DOUBT, DON'T GIVE IT OUT.** For more information, please check out the FBI's website <https://www.fbi.gov/scams-and-safety/common-fraud-schemes>

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT TRICK-OR-TREAT STOP

This year the fire department will have a drive-thru trick-or-treat stop on Sunday, October 30th from 5pm - 7pm (during Lee's trick-or-treat hours). Show off your fun and spooky costumes to your local firefighters who will be handing out candy. See you then!

Halloween Safety Tips by the National Fire Protection Association

[CLICK HERE](#) for the TIPS



MARSHALL, PAW PATROL
pawpatrol.com/bio_marshall.php

Fire Prevention Week



Thank you to everyone that came out to visit us for Fire Prevention Week. We were able to provide fire safety classes to over 100 children this past week.



Lt. Eaton, Firefighter Skerry, and Firefighter Arsenault showing the 1st Grade class from Mast Way Elementary School what the firefighters need to wear to be safe in a fire. Picture by Chief Nemet.

Sparky the Fire Dog® shows how to find out the age of a smoke alarm

<https://youtu.be/xCp4xjm1TZY>



[CLICK HERE](#) for the OCTOBER FIRE MARSHAL SAFETY EDUCATOR!



[CLICK HERE](#) for the OCTOBER FIRE MARSHAL ONE STOP EDUCATOR

WHAT IS SUPPLEMENTAL ALI?

https://www.nh.gov/safety/divisions/emergservices/documents/20160112_suppali_twoside_dhandout.pdf

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

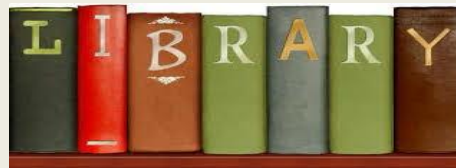
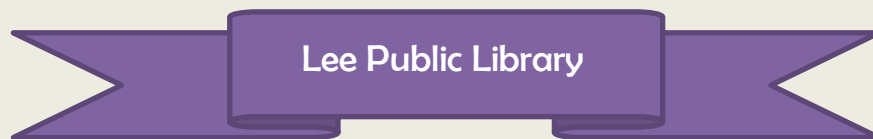
JOIN THE LEE FIRE RESCUE DEPARTMENT

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 leenh.org to sign up!



FALL AND WINTER HOURS

Saturday: 10:00 am – 3:00 pm

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

Thursday, Friday: 10:00 am – 5:00 pm

NOVEMBER HOURS

CLOSED NOVEMBER 11TH FOR VETERANS DAY

OPEN 12-5PM WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23RD

CLOSED NOVEMBER 24TH AND 25TH FOR THANKSGIVING

Drop by the library and pick up the latest issue of your favorite magazine to read. Below are **some** of the titles we own:

All Recipes

Better Homes and Gardens

Consumer ReportsCook's Illustrated

Cooking Light

Craft Ideas

Eating Well

Everyday with Rachel Ray

Family Fun

Good Housekeeping

Health

Horticulture

Martha Stewart Living

Money

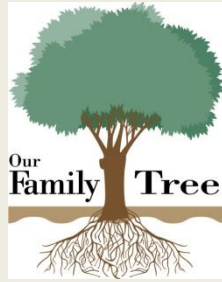
More

NH Home

New Yorker

Oprah

People



BEGINNER'S GUIDE TO GENEALOGY RESEARCH
Wednesday, November 9th & 30th 9:00 am

Come to the library and learn how to research your family history using Ancestry's library edition as well as Family Search. **Please register.**

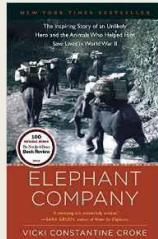


DROP IN - THE FLOWER BAR: BUILD YOUR OWN COLOR SPRAY
An Adult Program of Flower Arranging
Saturday, November 12th 11:00 am – 1:00 pm

Drop by the library any time between 11 am and 1 pm. and make a hand-tied bouquet or an arrangement in a vase to take home. Tina Sawtelle will provide the flowers, vases and the flower arranging know how!



TURKEY DROP-IN CRAFT
Saturday, November 12th



ADULT BOOK DISCUSSION – *ELEPHANT COMPANY*
Monday, November 14th 7:00 pm

“Splendid . . . Blending biography, history, and wildlife biology, [Vicki Constantine] Croke’s story is an often moving account of [Billy] Williams, who earned the sobriquet ‘Elephant Bill,’ and his unusual bond with the largest land mammals on earth.”—*The Boston Globe*



FRIDAY, November 18th
FRIDAY, December 2nd
FRIDAY, December 9th
3:30 – 4:30 pm

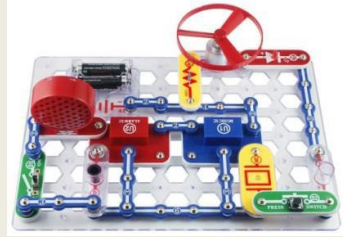
Kids in **grades K-4** can have fun at the library building cool stuff with Legos! A building theme will be suggested each week. Registration is not required. Mast Way students may arrange to ride **Bus 30** directly to the library.

TINY TOTS LAPSIT

Friday, November 18th at 10:30am

Children up to 2 years of age

This 20 minute program offers songs, stories, music and movement with relaxed time afterwards for play and socializing. Registration is not required.



SNAP CIRCUITS

Saturday, November 19th

All Ages

barnesandnoble.com

Snap circuits make learning about electronics easy and fun! Drop by and use snap-together circuit components to create a variety of different projects.

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.



STORY TREKKERS

Tuesdays, 3:30 – 4:30 pm

Grades K-4

Children will be introduced to a variety of authors and award-winning books. A snack, games and a craft will be included. Mast Way students may arrange to ride **Bus 30** directly to the library after school. Please **register** by calling 659-2626.



KNITTING FOR 50+

1st & 3rd WEDNESDAYS

November 2nd & 16th 9:00 am

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



Thursdays 10:30am
Ages 2-6

These fun 30 -40 minute programs include stories, songs, finger plays, flannel board and a craft. Registration is not required. **No Story Time on Thursday, November 24th.**



ROCKIN' READERS BOOK CLUB
1st Thursday of the Month
3:00 – 4:00 pm

For 5th and 6th graders, participants will read and discuss a different book each month. And—pizza will be served. Students may arrange to take **bus 22** directly to the library after school. If interested, **sign up** by calling 659-2626.



The library now offers the **Boston Aquarium pass** for Lee library patrons. The pass will admit up to 4 adults for \$10 each. Children under 3 are free. Regular admission price is \$26.95 for adults, \$18.95 for children 3-11 and \$24.95 for seniors. **Based on the children's ages, a family of 4 can save from \$50-\$70 with the pass.** **Many thanks to the Friends of the Lee Library for purchasing this pass.**

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.

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 (available at Durham library): 50% admission

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



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 – [CLICK HERE!](#)

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

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.



RELAY FOR LIFE ORGANIZATION IS HOSTING

A FALL SHOPPING BAZAAR

Saturday, November 5th 10:00 am – 3:00 pm ORHS Cafeteria

There will be 20+ vendors with a variety of products! Feel free to bring the family, as there will also be soup and cornbread muffins for sale!

[CLICK HERE](#) for flier



LAMPREY RIVERS ADVISORY COMMITTEE PRESENTS
LIVE AND FORMERLY-LIVE INVERTEBRATE ANIMALS
Saturday, November 12th 11:00 am – Noon
Newmarket Public Library

Participants can view and handle the samples found in our rivers and ponds while learning some cool facts about their habits and biology. Entry is free! Copies of the just-published *Chick and Dee-Dee's Lamprey River Adventure* will be on sale for \$10.00.



Mental Health First Aid Course for Community Members

You can assist someone having a mental health crisis to get the help they need. Register today for a free 8-hour course that teaches you how to identify, understand and respond to signs of mental illnesses and substance use disorders.

- October 12, 2016 8:30am-5pm * Wentworth Douglass Hospital
- November 17, 2016 8:30am-5pm * Frisbie Memorial Hospital Conference Center
- December 8 @ 8:30 am - 5:00 pm * Wentworth Douglass Hospital

For more information and free registration visit:
www.communitypartnersnh.org



COMMUNITY PARTNERS
BEHAVIORAL HEALTH & DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES OF STRAFFORD COUNTY

Additional questions can be directed to Mary Sanker at Community Partners, 516-9300

THE BENEFITS OF FARM TO SCHOOL

[CLICK HERE](#) to learn more



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

SEACOAST RELIABILITY PROJECT

This project will extend Eversource's transmission system approximately 13 miles between two existing substations (Madbury and Portsmouth.) A map of the proposed route can be seen here: <https://www.eversource.com/Content/images/default-source/default-album/seacoast-map.jpg?sfvrsn=0>

A calendar of other upcoming meetings can be viewed on the New Hampshire Site Evaluation Committee's calendar at <http://www.nhsec.nh.gov/>

**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! Call 1-800-582-7214 or 659-2424 Monday - Friday, 8am - 4pm or go to lampreyhealth.org/index.php/patient-services/transportation_program



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!**



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

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go to www.leenh.org, 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!