

TOWN OF LEE, NEW HAMPSHIRE

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November 18, 2015

Lee News &
Upcoming Events

SELECTMEN'S OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON
NOVEMBER 19TH & 20TH SO THAT THE STAFF MAY ATTEND THE
NH MUNICIPAL ASSOCIATION CONFERENCE

NOVEMBER SELECT BOARD MEETINGS

Monday, **November 23rd** at 6:00 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

HAPPY THANKSGIVING



Town Offices will be Closed
November 26th & 27th for the
Thanksgiving Holiday
Transfer Station will be open as normal
Saturday November 28th 7am – 6pm



SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 21ST 7:30 – 9:00 AM
PUBLIC SAFETY COMPLEX

Bring the kids!...Join your friends and neighbors for the annual Lee Breakfast with Santa sponsored by the Lee Fire Association and the Lee Church. Free horse drawn wagon rides from the Safety Complex to the church and back will be provided for all. Pancakes & sausage will be served along with huge helpings of Holiday Cheer! Price for age 12 and up: \$5.00; age 5 -11, \$3.00 and under 5, free!



7TH ANNUAL MAST WAY HOLIDAY SHOPPING BAZAAR
Saturday, November 21st, Mast Way School, 9am – 2pm

This once a year event features the best one-stop shopping around! Come and visit our school, meet its community and enjoy a relaxed shopping experience with over 35 incredible area businesses and talented local artisans selling everything from jewelry and apparel to crafts! The PTO will be selling a variety of refreshments including baked goods and hot soups for you to enjoy! There will be a children's room, complete with babysitting, where they will stay busy with crafts and face painting, while you enjoy shopping and supporting the local community.



4TH ANNUAL OYSTER RIVER HIGH SCHOOL
BOYS HOCKEY MATTRESS FUNDRAISER
Saturday, November 21st 10:00 am – 4:00 pm
Oyster River High School, Durham, NH
SAVE UP TO 50% OFF RETAIL!

END 68 HOURS OF HUNGER

All day at the Transfer Station, November 28th



The Lee Police Association has joined forces with the Oyster River Cooperative School District to take part in the End 68 Hours of Hunger program. We will be collecting food and donations for the program at the Lee Transfer Station on November 28th. Below is a list of the foods that are needed. The End 68 Hours of Hunger program is a registered 501(c)3 so if anyone is interested in making a monetary donation, a receipt will be provided for your tax records. Checks should be made out to ORCSD End 68. For more information please go to end68hoursofhunger.org. Hope to see you on the 28th!!

SUGGESTED FOOD DONATIONS:

- Whole Grain Cereals (Low Sugar)
- Cans of Tuna, Chicken, or Turkey
- Cans of Fruit or Packets of Fruit Cups
- Soup (large or small cans): Tomato; Vegetable; Chicken Noodle
- Canned Beans; Black Beans; Baked Beans
- Canned Vegetables: Mixed; Green Beans; Corn
- Canned Tomato Sauce for Pasta
- Packs of Pudding Cups
- Small Jars of Peanut Butter
- Packets of Hot Cocoa (Prepared with water)
- Boxes of Triscuits
- Cans of Beef Stew
- Cans of Pasta: Ravioli; Spaghetti-O's, etc.
- Cans of Chili
- Boxes of Pasta
- Individual Packets of Trail Mix
- Packets of Oatmeal
- Jelly

CLERK'S OFFICE NOTICE

Don't forget tax bills are Due Friday, **December 4th**!



Holiday Bazaar

COME SHOP LOCAL!!

Saturday, December 5th 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

Oyster River Middle School, Multi Purpose Room, Durham, NH

Join us at the upcoming annual Oyster River Holiday Bazaar. Entrance to the Bazaar is in the back of the school through the doors to the right of the building, near the gymnasium. We have over 40 artisans and vendors attending this year so come do all your holiday shopping and enter raffle chances to win products from each of our artists!!

TREE LIGHTING & HOLIDAY CONCERT

Town Triangle & Lee Grange Hall

Sunday, December 6th 4:30 – 7:00 pm



The Friends of the Lee Public Library invite you to attend the annual tree lighting and holiday concert. Great Bay Sailor will perform a couple of tunes at the tree lighting ceremony and then follow up with a concert at the Grange. This year they have added a young fiddler, Jordan Tirrell-Wysocki and a well-known singer/songwriter, Taylor Whiteside to the band. We hope you will join us for this holiday musical celebration.

PAVILION UPDATE!



SAND & WATER AVAILABLE

There is water available for residents at the Transfer Station; it is located along the right wall in the main building. There is also a water faucet near the employee parking. The Fire Station has a 24 hour water fill station on the east side of the building. As always there will be sand available for residents at the Highway Garage clearly marked with a triangular sign "For Lee Residents". The Transfer Station also has containers of winter sand available.

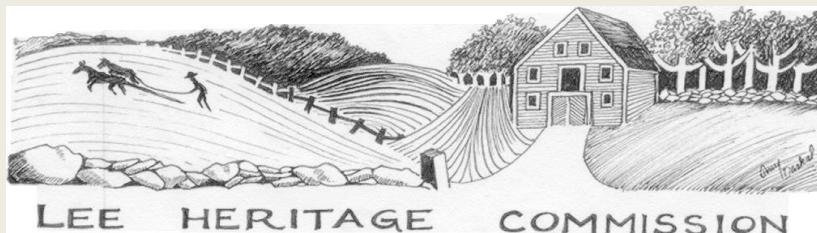
**CELEBRATE THE 250TH ANNIVERSARY
OF LEE'S INCORPORATION!**

**LICENSE PLATES ON SALE AT THE PD & THE LIBRARY
FOR ONLY \$20!**

**UPDATE: ANY NH REGISTERED VEHICLE MAY DISPLAY THIS
PLATE. YOU DO NOT HAVE TO BE A LEE RESIDENT.**



**ALSO ON SALE AT THE LIBRARY:
MUGS, HATS, T-SHIRTS, TOTES AND WOODEN NICKELS**



LIKE US ON FACEBOOK!

The Lee Heritage Commission is looking for family photos and documents related to people and events in the Town of Lee. Let us help you scan your treasured family photos or documents. You keep the originals and LHC will place copies of the scanned photos & documents into our electronic archives.


The LHC is also working with the Lee Municipal Records Committee to create a new records management system for the Town of Lee. When non-confidential records no longer need to be retained by the Town, some of them will be made available to the LHC so that physical and/or digital copies can be placed in the Lee archives and made available for those doing historical or family history research.

Contact Denis Hambucken at dhambucken@comcast.com or Denise Duval at dduval@leenh.org for more information.

FIRE DEPARTMENT NEWS


[CLICK HERE](#) for State Fire Marshal's Carbon Dioxide Safety Press Release

Durham Professional Firefighters
Local 2253
in conjunction with Lee and
Madbury Fire Departments
have partnered up with



We need your support! Please keep in mind this is not a coat drive. We gratefully accept monetary donations. Without your help, our goal of reaching as many children as possible is diminished. Please help us make a difference, help local children in need.

For more information please visit:
www.operationwarm.org/durham2253



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.

Please note there is a \$3.00 user fee for obtaining a fire permit through the online system. Fee is used to offset the costs of development, as no state funds were used towards this service.

[CLICK HERE](#) for CodeRED Brochure





VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR THE SENIOR ADVISORY COMMITTEE

The SAC is helping the Heritage Commission with promoting the 250th celebration and they need your help! Four of their most generous volunteers have moved from town. Can **YOU** help out?



READY RIDES NEEDS DRIVERS from LEE!

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. You will need to complete a volunteer application that includes a motor vehicle and criminal background check. Please call Meri Schmalz at 224-8719 or email info@readyrides.org for more details about how to help your neighbor.

OPEN POSITIONS ON TOWN COMMITTEES AND/OR COMMISSIONS LISTED BELOW

**LAMPREY RIVER ADVISORY COMMITTEE
RECREATION COMMISSION
SENIOR ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

[CLICK HERE](#) for Application.

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

Directions on How to Drive a Multi-Lane Roundabout
http://www.nh.gov/dot/projects/lee15692/documents/lee_multi_lane_roundabout_nosliplanes.pdf

Navigating a Multi-Lane Roundabout

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CEhNboz5Gpk>

Complaints about the new Lee Traffic Circle may be directed to the NH Dept of Transportation at www.nh.gov/dot/ or call 271-3734.

Regional & State
News & Events

**NOTICE OF STRAFFORD COUNTY EXECUTIVE
COMMITTEE 3RD QUARTER BUDGET MEETING**

[CLICK HERE](#) for details



[CLICK HERE](#) for the 2015 - 2040 Metropolitan
Transportation Plan Survey



**CALLING ALL WANNA-BE POP STARS TO THE
2ND ANNUAL COUNTYWIDE LIP SYNC CONTEST**

Friday, November 20th 6:30pm, Spaulding High School, Rochester
Community Action Partnership is seeking acts for its 2ND Annual Countywide Lip Sync Contest to benefit Community Action Partnership of Strafford County. So grab a group (or go solo), pick a family-friendly song and register by October 22nd. Kids, teens and adults are all welcome!

Local celebrity judges for this event will be Mayor Karen Weston of Dover, Mayor Dana Hilliard of Somersworth and Mayor T.J. Jean of Rochester. Afternoon DJ Jadd of Z107 will be the MC for the night. Refreshments will be served during intermission.

To enter the contest or buy tickets, visit www.straffordcap.org. Deadline to register your team is October 22nd and costs \$25. Tickets to attend the show are \$5 a person or \$15 for a family of four. There will be a limited number of tickets available for pre-purchase online. Tickets will also be available the night of the show at the door starting at 6 pm. Email Suzanne Weete with questions at sweete@straffordcap.org or call 603-436-2500 ext. 2350.

Follow the fun on Twitter at #CAPLipSync2015 and Facebook.com/capofstraffordcounty.

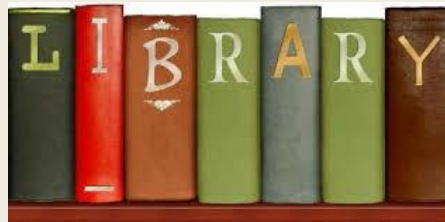


EVERY KID IN A PARK INITIATIVE

Every Kid in a Park Initiative helps to engage and create supporters and advocates of nature's environment and provide an appreciation of America's history and culture. The initiative is an administration-wide effort to provide an opportunity for each and every 4th grade student across the country to experience their public lands and waters in person throughout the 2015-2016 school year. For more information go to www.doi.gov/everykid/index.cfm.



You like us at the library, now like us on Facebook!



LIBRARY HOURS

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

Thursday, Friday: 10:00 am – 5:00 pm

Saturday: 10:00 am – 3:00 pm



250th COMMEMORATIVE MEMORABILIA ON SALE AT THE LIBRARY
WOODEN NICKELS, LICENSE PLATES, COFFEE MUGS, T-SHIRTS,
TOTES and HATS

NH MADE RAFFLE

The Lee Library Friends and Foundation are sponsoring a raffle of NH made crafts to benefit the library. Tickets are \$3 each or 5 for \$10. Stop by the library to take a chance on your favorite items. Drawing of tickets will take place at the concert on December 6th following the tree lighting ceremony.



LIBRARY LEGOS Grades 1-4

Fridays, beginning October 2nd – November 20th 3:30 – 4:30 pm

A building theme will be suggested each week. Registration is not required. Mast Way students may arrange to ride bus 6 directly to the library.



THANKSGIVING DAY CENTERPIECES

Saturday, November 21st 10:00 am – Noon

Tina Sawtelle of Pinewoods Yankee Farm will guide participants in creating a centerpiece for their Thanksgiving table. All decorative items will be provided, but you are welcome to supply your own container and bring items to personalize your creation. **Ages 15 and up. Please register by November 14. There are 3-4 spaces left so call 659-2626. Sponsored by the Friends of the Lee Public Library.**



WINTER STARS

Tuesday, December 1st 6:30 – 8:00 pm

Join library director Ruth Eifert for a family holiday craft evening making festive stars. **Please register. Younger than age 12 must be accompanied by an adult. Space is limited.**



GRAHAM CRACKER HOUSE

Saturday, December 5th 10:30 am

Families are invited to come to the library to create a holiday graham house. This edible treat makes a great holiday centerpiece. Come and join the fun! **Please register at 659-2626.**

ON - GOING PROGRAMS



NO FOOLIN, JUST FUN – ADULT GAME DAY

Tuesdays at 9:30 am

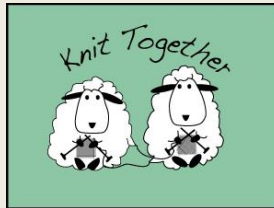
Come join the fun, make new friends and learn some new games. All are welcome! Open to all adults 18 and older.



KNITTING FOR 50+

ALTERNATE WEDNESDAYS, 12/2 & 12/16 AT 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 and the Lee Library.



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. Sorry, no instructors.



Thursdays & Fridays 10:30 am

These fun 30-40 minute programs for children ages 2-6 include stories, songs, finger plays, flannel board and a craft. Registration is not required. **This month's themes are dinosaurs, hibernation and soup.**



ROCKIN' READERS BOOK CLUB

1ST Thursday of each month, 3:00 – 4:00 pm, 5th & 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. Please **register** by calling 659-2626.



STORY TREKKERS

Tuesday Afternoons, 3:30 – 4:30 pm, ages 6-10

Children will be introduced to a variety of authors and award-winning books. A snack, games and a craft will also be included. Mast Way students may arrange to ride **bus 6** directly to the library after school. This program begins **Tuesday, October 6**. Please **register** by calling 659-2626.



This is a new library program that encourages Lee families to read 1000 books with their young children before they enter kindergarten. It's easy - just register and keep track of how many books you've read on a reading log. We'll help you celebrate the first 100 books milestone with the gift of a canvas book bag. And at each 100 books mark, you'll get a 100 books sticker. Reach 1000 and you'll receive a copy of Miss Bindergarten Gets Ready for Kindergarten! Registration is ongoing.



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!](#)

More About Lee

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



JOIN THE LEE FIRE RESCUE DEPT.

Please stop by the Safety Complex Monday - Friday 8am- 4pm.



EMERGENCY NOTIFICATION SYSTEM

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



CHANNEL 13

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

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.



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.

To receive the E-CRIER via email EVERY WEEK 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!