

TOWN OF LEE, NEW HAMPSHIRE

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October 7, 2016



SONGS AND STORIES OF WORLD WAR II

By Ramblin Richard Kruppa
Wednesday, October 12th 7:00 pm
Public Safety Complex

2016 marks the 75th anniversary of the end of World War II. In this interesting program Ramblin Richard brings to light the fascinating and unfamiliar stories about some of our most beloved American songs from 1941-1945. Songs like: "Chattanooga Choo Choo"; "Bell Bottom Trousers"; "Praise the Lord and Pass the Ammunition", to name a few. He will sing the songs and accompany himself with various instruments and directly engage the audience through a guessing game on the history and background of each song. The program is free and refreshments will be served following the show. Sponsored by the Lee Historical Society and the Lee Library.



Photo by Jerry and Marcy Monkman / EcoPhotography

**POWDER MAJOR FARM
CONSERVATION PROJECT**
Saturday, October 15th 9:00 am - 3:00 pm
Tibbets Field in Madbury: *Explore
Powder Major Farm & Forest Day*
[CLICK HERE](#) for Flyer Listing Guided Hikes
and much more!

Events will be held throughout the day which will include geocaching, orienteering, building fairy houses, lessons on sustainability and demonstrations. The Forest Society will have Docents on hand to give tours and answer questions at the historical spots on the trails! Activities for the children, music, and a delicious must stop will be the "Pie's for Powder Major" sales tent with all funds going directly to this project.

CLICK HERE for Foster's article <http://www.fosters.com/news/20160919/saving-history-saving-land>

CLICK HERE for more information <https://www.forestsociety.org/project/conserves-powder-majors-farm-and-forest-seacoast-region>

OCTOBER SELECT BOARD MEETINGS

Tuesday, October 11th & Monday, October 24th, 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



deadiversion.usdoj.gov

NATIONAL TAKE –BACK INITIATIVE

Saturday, October 22nd 10:00 am – 2:00 pm

Lee Police Department

The National Prescription Drug Take-Back Day aims to provide a safe, convenient and responsible means of disposing of prescription drugs while also educating the general public about the potential for abuse of medications. **The PD will take pill form prescription drugs only, no liquids or needles.** Place items in Drug Take-Back box to the left of the front doors.

TRICK OR TREAT

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



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

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.

**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. The trail walkers can point out interesting plants, cellar holes and other points of interest along the trail. 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

ATTENTION ALL THESPIANS

The Lee Historical Society is looking for people to perform in a **Lee History Comes Alive Program** on November 4th (dress rehearsal for school groups) and 5th (public program). The event will take place on site at the historic Cartland House, Walnut Grove School, and Cartland Family Cemetery, all on Cartland Road. The actual performances (in place discussions with 2-5 people) are only 8-15 minutes long, but will be repeated as groups rotate through the various sites. Depending on the number of people in the audiences it will take one or several hours.

Cast members needed: 6 men ranging from 16-50 years old; 3 women ranging from 16-60 years old; 2 men to play the famous anti-slavery orator Frederick Douglas and escaped slave Oliver Gilbert AND 4 guides. No experience is necessary. There will be 2-3 rehearsals in October so contact Jan Allen at jimpa85@aol.com for a script and more information as soon as you can.



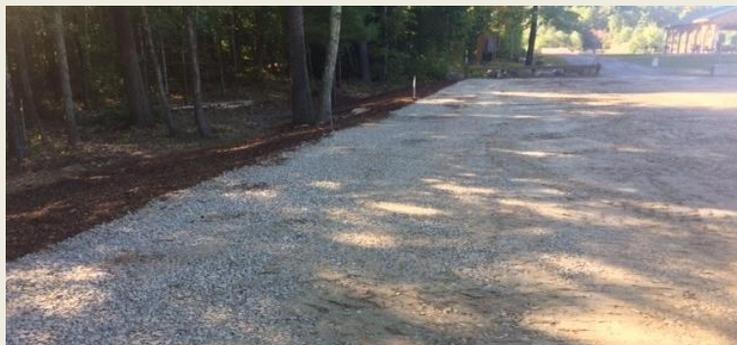
LEE HISTORICAL SOCIETY MUSEUM

OPEN 10am – 2pm every 3rd SATURDAY of each MONTH APRIL - NOVEMBER

**OLD FAIR PRIZES FOUND IN THE ANNEX ATTIC
TITLED *WESTERN NOVELTY BROOCH***



**PARKING LOT EXPANSION AT LITTLE RIVER PARK
Great Job Highway Department!**





Looking back at Lee in October - 1892

The years may go rolling by but the activities of autumn in New England haven't changed all that much in 124 years: apple picking, increased use of the Public Library, evening programs at the local schools, and enjoying a late-Fall bike ride before the weather turns too cold . . .

From the Newmarket Advertiser, October 1892

THE NEWMARKET ADVERTISER.
F. H. PINKHAM,
Editor and Publisher.

LEE.

Joseph Harvey fell from an apple tree last week and broke a couple of ribs.

One would almost imagine that all the apples in New Hampshire were being landed at Lee station.

It is expected that the public library will be opened some time this month; that is, open every Saturday from one till four o'clock. Lizzie Stearns, librarian.

An invitation has been extended by the So. Lee schools hereabouts to attend their flag raising Friday. In the evening an exhibition will be given in the hall, to which all are welcomed.

'Orrin Ellison and wife of Amesbur, stopped in town on their way home from an extended bicycle trip up country. They were equipped with fine safety wheels, and seemed to be enjoying their "silent steeds."

Sponsored by your Lee Heritage Commission

Please: **"Friend" us on Facebook**, **"Like" articles** we post that you find interesting, and **"Share" us with Your Friends!** And feel free to **post photos** and other items of interest to readers. This is how the number of people who have the chance to see our Facebook page will grow. Thank you!

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

This week's Lee Trivia Question: How many towns share a border with the Town of Lee, NH – and what are the names of those towns?

The answer to LAST WEEK'S TRIVIA QUESTION: In 1863, there were **7 school districts** in the Town of Lee: Turnpike, Mast Road & Pond Hill, Wednesday Hill, Hill, Hook, Wadley's Falls and Lang's.

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

ADVISORY BUDGET, AGRICULTURAL, CONSERVATION COMMISSIONS, ENERGY, RECREATION,
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!



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 PREVENTION WEEK OCTOBER 9TH – 15TH

[CLICK HERE](#) for Important Information



[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_twosidedhandout.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

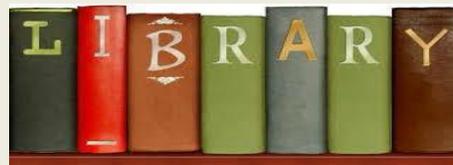
JOIN THE LEE FIRE RESCUE DEPARTMENT

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

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

Thursday, Friday: 10:00 am – 5:00 pm



Do you use a Kindle or other e-reader? Do you love to listen to books? New Hampshire Downloadable program through Overdrive has thousands of titles to read and listen to. They also offer magazines and video. Check out www.nh.overdrive.com and see what's available today! Convenient and free, it's another way to enjoy your favorite books, magazines and videos. From July 2015 through June 2016 Lee patrons borrowed over 5200 digital books and audiobooks! Please come see us at the library or call 659-2626 for more information.



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



SNAP CIRCUIT WEEK
OCTOBER 3RD – 8TH
ALL AGES

barnesandnoble.com

Snap circuits make learning about electronics easy and fun! Drop by during library hours 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 6** directly to the library after school. This program resumes on **Tuesday, October 4**. Please **register** by calling 659-2626.



**KNITTING FOR 50+
1st & 3rd WEDNESDAYS
October 19th 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 October 27th.**



**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 6** directly to the library after school. If interested, **sign up** by calling 659-2626. The first meeting is **Thursday, October 6**.



FRIDAYS 3:30 – 4:30 pm
September 30th – December 9th

Kids in **grades K-4** can have fun at the library building cool stuff with Legos! Except for October 7, November 11 and November 25, this program will be held on Fridays beginning **September 30th** and ending **December 9th**. A building theme will be suggested each week. Registration is not required. Mast Way students may arrange to ride **bus 22** directly to the library.

TINY TOTS LAPSIT

Fridays 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.



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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					3	
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.

**Regional & State
News & Events**



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

OYSTER RIVER COOPERATIVE SCHOOL DISTRICT START TIME PUBLIC FORUM

Thursday, October 13, 2016

Oyster River High School Auditorium 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm

[CLICK HERE](#) for flyer



[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!