

Lee Public Library Bookworm Digest



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April Artist

April 2015



Lee resident, Rebecca Hotz, learned to knit in kindergarten but did not seriously pursue knitting until three years ago. Since then, she's knit everything from scarves to stuffed animals. Her favorite thing to knit is lace potato-chip scarves, which she often makes as gifts. Rebecca is a sophomore at Portsmouth Christian Academy High School in Dover, NH. In addition to knitting, Rebecca enjoys reading, running, and playing the bassoon. She wants to be a professional musician someday, but will never stop knitting.

New Hampshire: A State of Mind

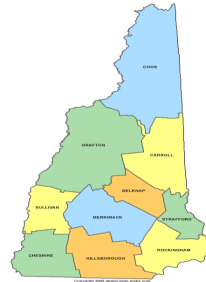
Thursday, April 2

7 p.m.

Lee Safety Complex

Carl Lindblade, a lecturer in the hospitality management department at the University of New Hampshire, will present a humorous romping look at NH from the time of King George II to the present. Highlights will include colonial days and NH political traditions and culture.

Cosponsored by the Lee Public Library and the Lee Historical Society.



Brian Hikes

Tuesday, April 28

7 p.m.

Lee Safety Complex

From February 14, 2014 to September 7, 2014 Brian Fersch thru-hiked the entire length of the Appalachian Trail from Springer Mountain in Georgia to Mt. Katahdin in Maine, a journey of 2185 miles. The Appalachian Trail was once described as a place "to see and see what there is to see" and the extent to which this saying rings true cannot be emphasized enough. Though filled with physical and mental challenges at every turn, hiking the Appalachian Trail is much more a lesson in discovering the natural world, friendship, acceptance and humanity. Brian will provide a brief overview of the Trail, share some great photos, and discuss these lessons and stories. Additionally, if you have any burning questions on long distance backpacking (thru-hiking) Brian will be thrilled to answer them.



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Hours

Monday
12-8 p.m.

Tuesday
12-8 p.m.

Wednesday
12-8 p.m.

Thursday
10-5 p.m.

Friday
10-5 p.m.

Saturday
10-3 p.m.

Adult Programs

Book Discussion Group
Monday April 13
7 p.m.

“The Round House”
By Louise Erdrich

Likely to be dubbed the Native American *To Kill a Mockingbird*, Louise Erdrich’s moving, complex, and surprisingly uplifting new novel tells of a boy’s coming of age in the wake of a brutal, racist attack on his mother. Drawn from real-life statistics about racially inspired attacks on our country’s reservations, this tale is forceful but never preachy, thanks in large part to Erdrich’s understated but glorious prose and her apparent belief in the redemptive power of storytelling.--Sara Nelson, *Amazon.com*



Copies of the book are available at the library. All are welcome to participate.

Backyard Farming Initiative Series 2015
Monday, April 27
7 p.m.

Jeremiah Smith Grange Hall

Five Nights, 10 Farms: Explore your Farming Dreams

Misty Meadows Herbal Center and Boulder Brook Stables are the featured presenters for April. Participants will learn about herbs & tea blends, herbal medicines, aromatherapy and herbal apprenticeships from **Misty Meadows**. **Boulder Brook** will present information about everything equine, including boarding, training, lessons and clinics.

Sponsored by the Lee Agricultural Commission and Lee Public Library.



Book Sale
Saturday, April 4
10 a.m.-2 p.m.

Lots of books for sale, @ 6/\$1.00 or 20¢ each.



No Foolin’ Just Fun: Adult GameDay

Tuesdays
9:30 a.m.

Come and make new friends and learn some new games! Open to all adults 18 and older.



Knitting for 50+
Alternate Wednesdays
9 a.m.

A drop-in group will meet at the library on Wednesday, **April 8 and 22**. Help is available from instructor, Donna Kay. All levels welcome. Offered by the **Senior Advisory Committee and the Lee Public Library**.

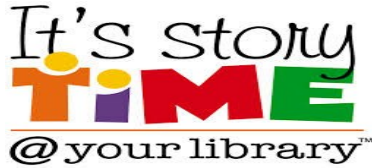


Knitting Get Together
Tuesday Evenings
6:30-8:00 p.m.

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. There are no instructors but if you need help with a project you’re working on there is a lot of expertise in the group.



Children's Programs



Story Time

Thursday and Friday mornings at 10:30 a.m. Stories, songs, finger plays and a craft.



Rockin' Readers Book Club First Thursday of each month 3-4 p.m.

5th & 6th Graders—Book Discussion. Read and discuss a different book each month.
Take **bus 21**. Please register.

Babysitting Certification Class Saturday, April 18 10:30-2:30 p.m.

Taught by the McGregor Institute, this class is designed to certify kids **ages 12-15** who already babysit or wish to babysit. The care and feeding of infants, how to handle emergencies and the business aspect of babysitting will be addressed. Attendees will also be trained in CPR and First Aid and will receive certification in these areas. Please bring a lunch. Fee is \$35.00. Although this class will take place at the library, please **register** by calling the McGregor Institute at 862-3674.

Flower Bouquet Drop-In Craft Saturday, April 11

Welcome spring by making a pretty bouquet of flowers.

Beautiful Birds Drop-In Craft April 25 - May 2

Stop by during school vacation week and make a beautiful bird.

Story Trekkers

Tuesdays, 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Read a variety of authors and award-winning books. Snacks, games and a craft included. Mastway students ride **bus 23**. Please register. This program is currently filled but we will add names to a waiting list.



Ribbet, Ribbet Frog Walk Thursday, April 9 3:30 p.m.

Join us for a frog story, a frog walk to a local bog led by Catherine Fisher of the Lee Conservation Commission and a fun frog craft. For preschool-grade 4. Mastway students may ride **bus 23** directly to the library, accompanied by a note giving permission to do so. **Please register**. This event will take place only if the snow melts and the frogs wake up. If not, it will be rescheduled for **Thursday, April 16** at 3:30 p.m.



Tim Von Egmond Thursday, April 30 10:30 a.m.

Join us during school vacation week for a fun, interactive performance by musician and storyteller, Tim Von Egmond. Cosponsored with the Madbury and Durham libraries, this event will be held at the **Lee Safety Complex**. Thank you to the **Friends of the Lee Public Library** for their support.



For more information visit us on

Or call 659-2626



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Calendar of Events



Children's Programs

Thursday & Friday mornings @ 10:30 a.m.

April 2/3 - **Turtles**



April 9/10 - **Mice**



April 16/17 - **No**

Story Time

April 23/24 - **No Story Time**

Story Trekkers - Ages 6-10

Bus 23

Tuesday afternoons

3:30-4:30 p.m.



April 7 - **Birds**

April 14 - **Rainy Days**

April 21 - **No Program**

April 28 - **No Program**

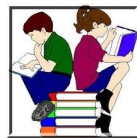


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