

MONDAY 11AM – 7PM	TUESDAY 11AM – 7PM	WEDNESDAY 11AM – 7PM	THURSDAY 10AM – 5PM	FRIDAY 10AM – 5PM	SATURDAY 9AM – 12PM
2 11:00am – 12:30pm Homeschool Teen Cultures Club 	3 3:30pm – 4:45pm – After School Lee Library Club Grab & Go Pick-Up 	4 10:00am – 12:00pm Knitting Group  11:30am – 12:00pm Toddler Time 2:00pm – 3:30pm Rummikub Club  6:00pm – 7:00pm Becoming Wolf: The Eastern Coyote in New England	5 10:30am – 11:30am – Preschool Story Time 3:30pm – 4:45pm – After School Lee Library Club 	6 10:30am – 11:30am – Sensory Station Story Time 	7 4:30pm – 6:30pm Friends of the Library Tree Lighting and Concert! 
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30 	31 LIBRARY CLOSING AT 1PM IN CELEBRATION OF NEW YEAR 	 <p>HAPPY HOLIDAYS!</p> <p>Lee Public Library Monthly Program Calendar December 2024</p> 			

Don't miss the Friends of Lee Public Library Tree Lighting & Holiday Concert... Saturday Dec 7th from 4:30pm. Happy Holidays!



Lee Public Library

Monthly Program Calendar

December 2024



Call the Library 603-659-2626, or email leelibrary@comcast.net to register or for more information!

IMPORTANT NOTE! Please be advised that due to fire safety regulations, all library doors must remain unlocked throughout the duration of the day. The children's room egress point leads directly into the parking lot. While we have added a bell to the door to alert us if it's opened, we ask you to please supervise your child/children **at all times**.

Monday December 2 & 9, 11:00am – 12:30pm - Homeschool Teen Cultures Club: We welcome teens to join us! Our theme will be Exploring the Arts through Music, Film, and Mixed Media. **This program is capped at 10 students. Call Sheri Griffith if interested to join 603-842-9303!**

Tuesday December 3, 10, & 17, 3:30pm – 4:45pm – After School Lee Library Club: Students will be walked from Mast Way and should be picked up from the old town hall before 4:45pm.

Wednesday December 4 & 18, 10:00am – 12:00pm – Knitters: Meet on the first and third Wednesday at 10:00am. Bring along your knitting and enjoy some friendly company! New knitters always welcomed.

Wednesday December 4, 11 & 18, 11:30am – 12:00pm – Toddler Time: This is our weekly lap-sit program suitable for babies and young toddlers! Join Miss Judy in the library children's room for songs, stories and fun.

Wednesday December 4 & 18, 2:00pm – 3:30pm – Rummikub Club: Join us for a 3-round game of Rummikub. It's easy to learn and lots of fun. There's a prize for the highest scoring player after 3 games!

Wednesday December 4, 6:00pm – 7:00pm – Becoming Wolf: The Eastern Coyote in New England: An eastern coyote is defined as much by its western coyote ancestry as by the DNA contributed more recently by the Eastern wolf. Eastern coyotes vary physically and behaviorally from its smaller relative – while still carrying the incredible adaptability of Wile E. Coyote. This program takes a deep dive into the ecology and behavior of this creature, its indefatigability and how it is the human who must adapt to coexist with the coyote. On the horizon, however, is a native carnivore which fled the northeast during wolf removal and now may be trying to return: The eastern wolf. A look-alike to the coyote, it has been killed mistakenly for its similarity of appearance to the coyote. We'll talk about how the wolf and coyote might negotiate a truce in the northeast and how we might do the same. **Held in The Old Town Hall and Sponsored by the Friends of the Lee Public Library!**

Thursday December 5, 12 & 19, 10:30am – 11:30am – Preschool Story Time: Join Miss Judy in the old town hall for stories, songs, games and fun! No sign-up necessary.

Thursday December 5, 12 & 19, 3:30pm – 4:45pm – After School Lee Library Club: Students will be walked from Mast Way and should be picked up from the old town hall before 4:45pm.

Friday December 6, 13, 20 & 27, 10:30am – 11:30am – Sensory Station Story Time: Join Miss Judy in the old town hall for stories, songs, movement, sensory activities and more! No sign-up necessary. **12/27 will be a free space Friday!**

Saturday December 7, 4:30pm – 6:30pm – Friends of the Lee Public Library Tree Lighting and Community Holiday Concert: Join us and the Friends of The Lee Public Library for the Tree Lighting and Community Holiday Concert! The tree lights will be turned on at 4:30pm in the

triangle, then it's off to the Grange for music with The Portsmouth Brass Quintet and some yummy refreshments.

Monday December 9, 6:00pm – 7:00pm – Adult Book Club: Our book group usually meets on the second Monday of each month at 6 pm. October's chosen title is 'Bird Hotel' by Joyce Maynard.

Wednesday December 11, 5:30pm – 7:30pm – Library Trustee Meeting: This is a public meeting, all welcome.

Friday December 13, 4:30 – 7:00 – Middle School Book Group: Read 'Wonderstruck' by Brian Selznick. We'll discuss the book, watch the movie to make comparisons, and enjoy some pizza and drinks! Books available at the library. **Call 659-2626 if you are in grades 7 and up, and would like to join us.**

Saturday December 14, 10:00am – 11:00am – Marine Mammals with UNH Extension: Bring the family along to this fun-filled interactive program. A team of UNH docents will teach us about whales, dolphins, porpoises, seals, sea lions, walruses and more.

Monday December 16, 11:30am – 12:00pm -Make a Quick & Fun Burlap Wreath: Join Hayley to make a fun winter themed burlap wreath. These are great for Christmas or as a fun winter decoration! Please Sign Up.

Wednesday December 18, 12:00pm – 1:30pm - Soup Social! Join us in the old town hall for some yummy homemade soup, tasty bread, company and fun. All ages welcome! This month's Soup Social is sponsored by The Library Knitting Group!

Friday December 20, 4:30pm – 6:00pm – Middlers Unite: Join us in the old town hall to eat snacks, do crafts, play games, hang out and have some fun. Call the library at 603-659-2626 to register, capped at 15.

Saturday December 21, 9:00am – 12:00pm – Author Visit and Book Signing with Jill Nooney of Bedrock Gardens: Bedrock: The Making of a Public Garden is a love letter from a woman to the 30 acre garden she spent 40 years creating in Lee, NH. Featuring about 300 photographs of the garden, sculptures, water features, and built structures, the book takes us from the garden's private origin to a public garden. Join us in the library to chat in person with Jill, and to have your book signed!

HAPPY HOLIDAYS! On Tuesday December 24, the library will be closing at 1pm, and will be closed on December 25 in celebration of Christmas! We will reopen on Thursday December 26 from 10:00am – 5:00pm:

Friday December 27, 4:30pm – 7:00pm – Children's Book to Movie Club: Read 'The Tale of Despereaux' by Kate DiCamillo. We'll watch the movie to make comparisons, and enjoy some pizza, drinks and snacks! Books available at the library. **Call us today at 603-659-2626 if you are in grades 2-6 and would like to join. Sponsored by the Friends of Lee Public Library!**

HAPPY NEW YEAR! On Tuesday December 31, the library will be closing at 1pm, and will be closed on Wednesday January 1 in celebration of the New Year! We'll be back on Thursday January 2 from 10:00am – 5:00pm.