



Lee Public Library Bookworm Digest March 2023



Top Stories!



Volunteer Opportunity! The Lee Public Library Trustees are looking for volunteers to help with grant writing, fundraising, social media and marketing. With the renovations about to begin, we need all the help we can get! If you have a skillset you would like to share with us, please consider volunteering

and joining our Community Center Foundation. To sign up, or for more information, please contact us at leelibrary@comcast.net or 603-659-2626.

The mission of the Lee Public Library Community Center Foundation is to generate funds for capital improvements to the Lee Public Library. Their vision is for a stronger, more connected community that will enhance the quality of life for residents of Lee, NH.

Thank you! A huge 'Thank You' to our Public Works Director, Steve, and his team for doing such a great job when our pipes burst in the program space last month! It was a lot of work, but they came to the rescue, THANK YOU! We also want to thank our children and families for bearing with us when we cancelled programming. Your understanding was much appreciated.



Wednesday March 1, 6:00pm – 7:00pm: Meet the Candidates: Join us in the program space or via zoom to meet the candidates. Email us for zoom link. For the protection of the meeting, you must log into your zoom account to join the meeting. The format will include a short statement by each candidate followed by questions from attendees. We hope to see you there!

Saturday March 18, 9:00am – 1:00pm – CPR/AED: This course is designed to prepare students to provide First Aid+CPR and to use an automated external defibrillator (AED) in a safe, timely, and effective manner. Heart saver courses are intended for anyone with little or no medical training who need a course completion card for job, regulatory (e.g., OSHA), or other requirements. These courses can also be taken by anyone who wants to be prepared for an emergency in any setting. Please visit our website to sign up!



SAVE THE DATE! Saturday April 1, 9:00am – 11:00am (or until flowers are gone!) – Friends of Lee Library Flower Bar Fundraiser: Join us for the Friends of Lee Library Spring Flower Bar Fundraiser! Tina Sawtelle of Pinewoods Yankee Farm will bring her wonderful flowers to our spring tables, so come on over and make your Easter bouquet! Due to the rising cost of flowers and supplies, *a minimum donation of \$10 is required for each bouquet*. A raffle ticket will be given to you for each minimum donation bouquet you choose to make before you enter the Flower Bar. When you leave with your bouquet/s you will drop your ticket/s in our "Thank You" Bucket for a chance to win a lovely basket of goodies as a Thank you! We will pick a lucky winner when the Flower Bar is over and notify you by phone or email, whichever you give us. Donations always greatly appreciated.

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Book Requests

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Library Hours

Monday 11-7

Tuesday 11-7

Wednesday 11-7

Thursday 10-5

Friday 10-5

Saturday 9-12

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Adult Programming Highlights!

For full program list, see our Monthly Calendar!

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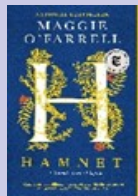
Wednesday March 1, 7:00pm – 8:00pm - Oil, Ice, and Bone: Arctic Whaler Nathaniel Ransom with presenter Helen Frink– Virtual program in partnership with Lee Historical Society and NH Humanities to Go: Join us! Email for Zoom link

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Monday March 13, 6:00pm – 7:00pm – Book Group: Our book group usually meets on the second Monday of each month at 6 pm.

February's title is *Hamnet* by Maggie O'Farrell. Copies are available at the library!



Come on over!

Monday March 20, 6:00pm – 8:00pm – Soup & Golden Oldie Movie - Casablanca: Join us for our Golden Oldie! This month we will watch Casablanca (PG Rated, 1942). We'll provide the soup & bread. You just need to come along, eat and enjoy!

Wednesday March 15, 12:00pm – 2:00pm - Soup Social! Our Knitting Group is hosting our last soup social of the winter! Join us in the program space for some yummy homemade soup, tasty bread, music, company and fun.

All welcome!

Thank You Knitters!



Wednesday March 22, 7:00pm – 8:30pm – Lee Backyard Farming Initiative at Misty Meadows: This month we will meet Dave Vargas and Brian Ferguson who will be talking about live versus dead foods! We will taste some delicious foods, share some recipes and have a lot of fun at Misty Meadows, 183 Wednesday Hill Road.



Monday March 27, 6:00pm – 8:00pm – Crafty Creations, Virtual or In-Person Crafting for Adults: Join us (via zoom or in person) as we create wonderful decorations for your home or garden. Pick up your supply program kit from the library and tune in to zoom or come in to the library and create in person! This month we'll be creating Easter egg masterpieces! Please call or email to sign up.



Friday March 17, 1:00pm – 2:00pm – Adult Craft - St Patrick's Day Wreaths: Happy St Patrick's Day! If you would like to create a green-themed wreath with Hayley, drop us an email or call us to sign up. Space is limited to 8 adults.





Kid's Programming Highlights!

For full program list, see our Monthly Calendar!

Call the Library 603-659-2626 to register or for more information!

Thursday March 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30, 10:30am – 11:30am – Preschool Story Time: Join Miss Judy in the program space for stories, songs, games and fun! No sign up necessary.



Tuesday March 7, 14, 21 & 28, 3:20pm – 4:45pm – Afterschool Creators Club: Students will stay at Mast Way and should be picked up from the school at 4:45pm.



Friday March 3, 10, 17, 24 & 31, 10:30am – 11:30am – Sensory Station Story Time: Join Miss Judy in the program space for stories, songs, movement/station/sensory activities and more! No sign up necessary.



Saturday March 11, 9:30am – 11:30am – Free Space Saturday: Join Miss Judy in the program space for free play and fun! Miss Judy will set up the room with a variety of fun things to do. **All Ages Welcome!**



Thursday March 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30, 3:20pm – 4:45pm – After School Story Time & Craft: Join Miss Judy in library of Mast Way School for a chapter book reading and fun craft. Students will stay at Mast Way and should be picked up from the school at 4:45pm.



Saturday March 25, 10:00am – 11:00am – Squid Dissection with UNH Extension: Back by popular demand! Bring the family along to this fun-filled program. A team of UNH docents will lead us in identifying external parts of the squid, then guide us through a careful dissection and identification of internal anatomy.



Tuesday March 7 & 21, 2:00pm – 7:00pm – Grab & Go Craft Kit Pick Up: Come and pick up a kid's craft kit while supplies last!



Kits go out on the **1st** and **3rd** Tuesday of each month. Don't forget to pick up! yours.

Friday March 31, 5:00pm – 7:00pm – Children's Book & Movie Club: Read the book "How to Eat Fried Worms" by Thomas Rockwell before book club and we'll watch the movie to make comparisons. We'll also enjoy pizza, drinks and snacks! A supply of books is available. **Call us today at 603-659-2626 if you are in grades 2-5 and would like to join.**



Friday March 17, HAPPY ST. PATRICK'S DAY!



Friday March 3, 4:00pm – 7:00pm – Middle School Book Club: We are working our way through the Harry Potter Series. We will meet to discuss our reading and watch the related movie. **Call the library at 659-2626 if you are in grades 5-8 and would like to join .**



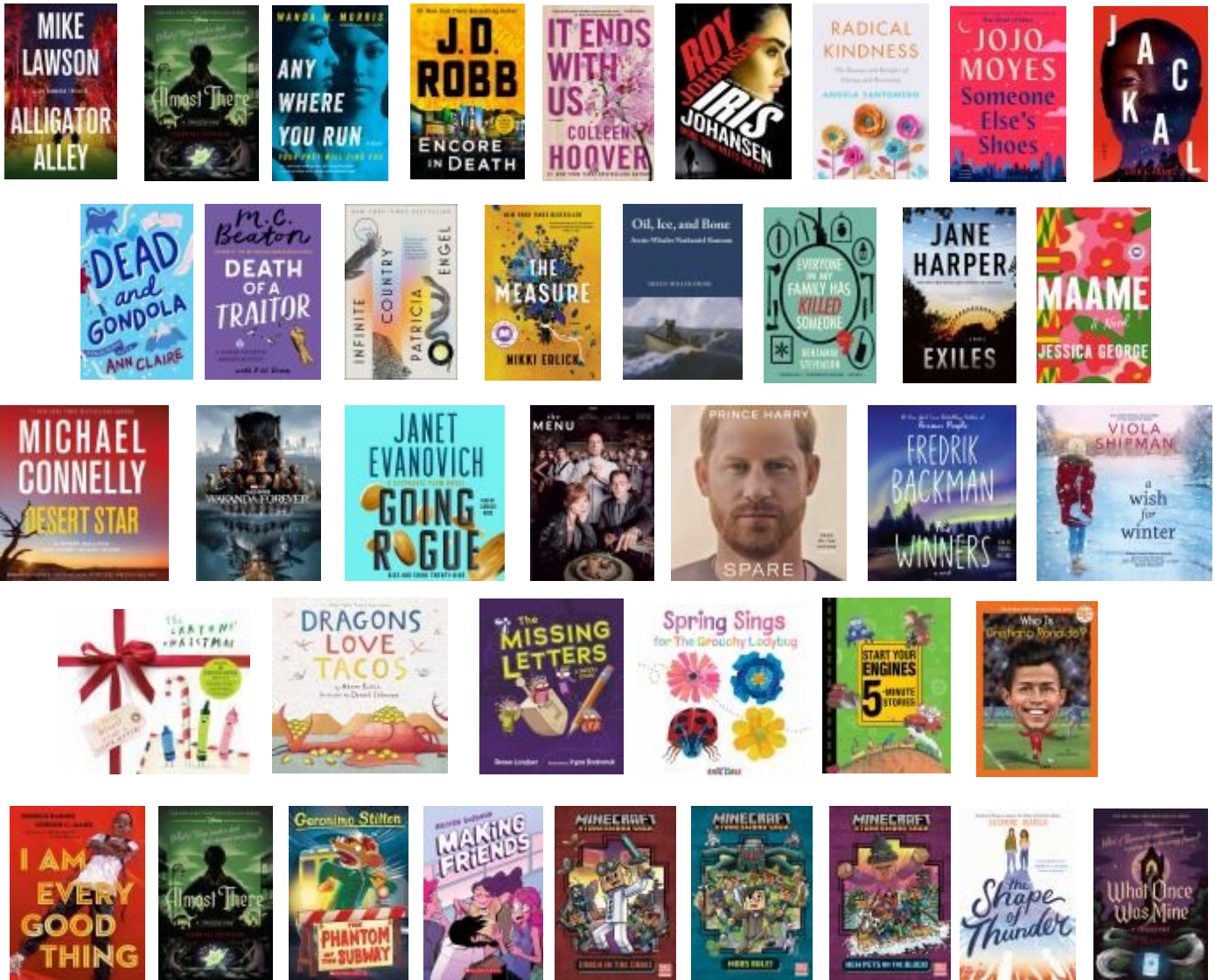
New Items!



During the Month of February we have added a whole bunch of new items to our collection including books, audio books, DVDs and magazines!



Here are just a few of the new additions!



Pop into the library and check out our 'New Items' book stand, or visit our online Catalog to see more!

<https://lplnh.booksys.net/opac/lpl/index.html#menuHome>