



Lee Public Library Bookworm Digest



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January/February Artist

Lee resident Sheila McCurdy is the featured artist for January and February. In summer 2014, she began to experiment with photography while working with the photography committee of the Piscataqua Garden Club. In 2014 and 2015, she exhibited at Garden Club of America shows in Easthampton, NY, Greenwich and Fairfield, CT, and Dedham, MA, and was fortunate to have photos juried into the Boston Flower Show, the Newport Flower Show, the Houston Flower Show and North Shore Garden Club Flower Show.



February 2016

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Loons in New Hampshire: Doing Quite Well, Thank You

Tuesday, February 16

7 p.m.

Lee Safety Complex

Presented by UNH professor Dr. Russell Congalton, this talk will focus on the last 25 years of information about the survival and distribution of the common loon throughout New Hampshire. Maps, generated using GIS (Geographical Information System), will be used to show population growth and spread over time. Data collection methods will be reviewed. Trends in the loon population, loon habitat, nesting habits, hatchling survival and dispersion patterns will be presented. Dr. Congalton's talk will conclude with the current status of loons in New Hampshire.



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.

Closed

**Monday,
February 15**

Essential Oils 101

Tuesday, March 1

7 p.m.

Join us for an informational/educational presentation about how you can use essential oils in your daily life.



Adult Programs

**Adult Book Discussion
Monday, February 8**

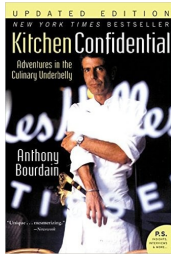
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Kitchen Confidential

By

Anthony Bourdain

Bourdain captures the world of restaurants and professionally cooked food in all its theatrical, demented glory. (USA Today)



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

**Healthy Soil - Soil Fertility: The Birds
and Beets**

Monday, February 22

7—8:30 p.m.

Jeremiah Smith Grange

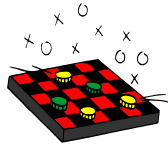
Eric Sideman, Organic crop specialist, MOGFA will talk about what makes soil fertile. Participants will learn about soil structure and the chemical and microbial makeup of healthy soil as well as how to test soil conditions.



**Sponsored by the Backyard Farming Initiative of the
Lee Agricultural Commission and the Lee Public
Library.**

**No Foolin' Just Fun: Adult Game Day
Tuesdays 9:30 a.m.**

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



Knitting Get Together

Tuesday Evenings

6:30-8:00 p.m.

Come and join other knitters for an evening of knitting and socializing.



Knitting for 50+

1st and 3rd Wednesdays of Each Month

9 a.m.

A drop-in group will meet at the library on Wednesday, **February 3 & 17**. Help is available from instructor, Donna Kay. All levels welcome.

**Offered by the Senior Advisory Committee and the
Lee Public Library.**



Children's Programs

Story Time

Story times for children **ages 2-6** are held on Thursday and Friday mornings at 10:30 a.m. These fun 30-40 minute programs include stories, songs, finger plays, flannel board and a craft. Registration is not required.



Rockin' Readers Book Club

For 5th and 6th graders, this club meets **the first Thursday** of each month from 3-4 p.m. 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. If interested, **sign up** by calling 659-2626.



Penguin Fun—Drop-In Craft

February 20-27

Some penguins live where it's snowy and cold. Drop by during school vacation week when it's snowy and cold here and make a cute penguin. It will feel right at home!



Library Legos

Our first session of Library Legos was so popular that we are continuing with another one! Kids in **grades 1-4** can have fun at the library building cool stuff with Legos! This program is ongoing on Fridays from 3:30-4:30 p.m. **until March 11**. 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.



Story Trekkers

This program for **ages 6-10** will be held on **Tuesday afternoons from 3:30-4:30 p.m.** 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. **Please register** by calling 659-2626.



Steve Blunt and Marty Kelley

Thursday, February 25

10:30 a.m.

Durham Public Library

Join us as musician Steve Blunt and author/illustrator Marty Kelley present a rollicking mix of songs and stories.



This show is cosponsored by the Friends of the Lee Public Library and the Durham and Madbury public libraries.

For more information visit us on



Or call 659-2626



February 2016 Calendar of Events



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Story Time

Thursday and Friday mornings
10:30 a.m.



February 4/5 - **Cats**

February 11/12 - **Tiny Pie**

February 18/19 - **Moles**



Story Trekkers

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

February 2 - **Groundhog Day**

February 9 - **Caldecott Winners**

February 16 - **Elephants**



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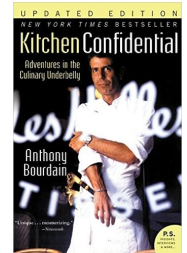
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