

Lee Historical Society Speaker Series: Daniel Shays's Honorable Rebellion

Author Daniel Bullen will give an illustrated talk from his book, *Daniel Shays's Honorable Rebellion*, on Thursday, September 25, 2025 at 6:30pm at the Lee Senior Center, 21 Crossway Street, Lee.

In 1786 thousands of Massachusetts farmers, including hundreds from Berkshire County, angry about the flagrantly unjust taxation policies that were forcing them off their land, rose in protest across the Commonwealth.

Bullen will tell the story of the protests from the people's perspective, including those certain events which took place in Lee and surroundings. Today historians largely agree that Shays's Rebellion was one of the events that precipitated the Constitutional Convention and the writing of the Constitution. Bullen will have copies of his book available for sale at the conclusion of the presentation.

This presentation is free and open to the public and is part of the Lee Historical Society Speaker Series. Look for the lanterns near the entrance. Parking is available along the North entrance to Crossway Village as well as on Academy Street. Refreshments will be served.

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