

# Museum of Newport Irish History

March 14, 2020

**Dear Museum Members,**

This month marks the [43rd Annual Newport Irish Heritage Month](#) and today would have been the 64th annual Newport Saint Patrick's Day Parade.

As you are all aware by now, the parade was cancelled, along with numerous other events, given concerns about the COVID-19 outbreak.

Today, we are announcing the postponement of our **March 24 lecture** by Steve Marino. We are also announcing the postponement of our two April events, the **April 16 lecture** by Dr. Joseph Lennon from Villanova U. and our **Apr. 19 Annual General Meeting**.

The lectures, in particular, are large-scale gatherings of 150+ and are attended by many seniors. The 150 of you who reserved for March 24 will be asked to re-reserve for Steve's lecture when we are in the position to set a new date. The guest list had not yet been started for the Apr. 16 lecture nor the Apr. 19 Annual Meeting.

Per the below information, our Interpretive Center remains opened, as planned, at this juncture.

Please feel free to contact me directly should have any questions or concerns. Stay well.

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**NOTE:** As is the case with a number of other local attractions, the **Museum's Interpretive Center** remains open at this time. Our uncrowded venue with no-touch exhibits is deemed low-risk, so please feel free to come on down to 648 Lower Thames Street.

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**NOTE:** Those of you with Annual (vs.LIFE) memberships are due for renewal at this time. A formal renewal communication will be forthcoming, but feel free to renew now, online, using the above button. If you are unsure of your membership status, please write Ann at [tpm1@earthlink.net](mailto:tpm1@earthlink.net)

HAPPY  
St. PATRICK'S  
DAY

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