Help Preservation While Social Distancing

We are living through history

By now you’ve likely received dozens of emails explaining how organizations and corporations are responding to the unfolding pandemic – and rest assured – Preservation Greensboro is taking every precaution and necessary step to protect the health of our employees and the continuity of our operations.

Architectural Salvage showroom and Blandwood Museum are CLOSED with reassessment by April 18th. And all events are cancelled or postponed through April 30th. Our Annual Tour Of Historic Homes has been postponed to August 29-30th. Visit our sponsors below.

Moving forward, we’ll continue to put our world in context – and use Greensboro’s past as a way to encourage and embolden you. We’ll do our bit – and we hope you’ll do yours by staying home and slowing the spread of this insidious virus.

Together, we will come through the worst, and we too will become a part of Greensboro’s history.

Top Ten Ways to Stay Engaged

We’ve been in existence for 54 years and want to be here for many years to come.

Prior to the COVID-19 outbreak we were informed that the long-standing funding we have been receiving from the city had come to an end. We have been searching for ways to repair this large gap in our annual budget and currently have no solution. Now we are experiencing the impact of Covid-19 which has necessitated closure of our income generating Architectural Salvage store and postponement of our spring fund raising events.

As one of the oldest preservation organizations in the state we are proud to have served the Guilford County area for the past five decades. As stated in our recent economic impact report, preservation has brought in over $18 million of building investments in Greensboro which translates roughly into more than 645 jobs. Your support will ensure that our work continues to maintain the wonderful historic fabric of Greensboro.
Finally, I want to thank you for your support of Preservation Greensboro. If you are a member who supports us throughout the year, THANK YOU. If you came to The Annual Meeting or Tour of Historic Homes, THANK YOU. If you visited once on a family vacation, THANK YOU. If you attended a special program or brought a school group, THANK YOU.

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Blog
Our blog has been going for 13 years and there is a world of Greensboro knowledge waiting for you.

Walking Tours Online
Want to walk around but don't want to go outside? Take a look at our guided walking tours online.

LANDMARKS Online
The Preservation Magazine of Greensboro
March 2020

Annual Meeting Recap
Awards and Traditional Trades
At our 54th Annual Meeting, Preservation Greensboro celebrated highlights of the past year by spotlighting ten activities that epitomize our organization’s mission to sustain. We were honored to give out 11 awards, recognizing the efforts of our members, volunteers, and the public. The most memorable moment of the evening was the presentation of the Mayor’s Award to Living Trabue Academy founder Nancy Fry of Lansing, Michigan, for her work in training students in heritage construction.

City Funding Update
After more than 25 years of financial partnership with the City of Greensboro, Preservation Greensboro staff have been

Newsletters
Download our Economic Impact Report

The Economic Impact of Historic Preservation in Greensboro, NC
Prepared for Preservation Greensboro Incorporated, Prepared by Marta L. Colpas, May 2009

Saving Greensboro’s Treasured Places
Many of our past newsletters are stored on our website. Martha Canipe put together a powerful Economic Impact Report on how preservation impacts Greensboro.

Social Media
We are ramping up our social media! Stay tuned to our Facebook and Instagram pages. Keep an eye out for fun national hashtags like #museumsfromhome and #museumalphabet.

Research
Want to do some house or genealogy research? Check out our research resource page. Fun Fact: Our website is searchable! In the top right corner is the magnifying glass where you can enter a word or a name and search our website.

Podcasts
Check out these preservation podcasts.

Youtube
Check out some cool preservation related videos!

Visit Our Sponsors
The Annual Tour of Historic Homes and Gardens has been postponed to August 29-30th. Check out this year’s sponsors. All sponsors are locally owned businesses.

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CT Wilson Construction
Downtown Greensboro Inc.
Heritage Greens Senior Living
Melissa Greer Homes
New South Associates
Studio Traveler
Taylor & Associates Appraisers
Teague Freyaldenhoven Freyaldenhoven Architects
Have a local business and want to sponsor the tour? Click the link below to see our sponsorship packet!

Sponsorship Packet