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Spring Season Press Conference

Flushing, Queens, February 22, 2017: On February 25th the Queens Historical Society will host its Spring Season Events Preview. The Preview will include a press conference, introduced by The Honorable Councilman Peter Koo, as the guest speaker. The Society's staff will discuss upcoming programming in their respective departments. Event moderators will be Patricia Sherwood, QHS Board President and Branka Duknic, Executive Director.

Our Curator and Collections Manager, Richard Hourahan will discuss plans concerning various collaborations with local organizations to further explore and share Queens' history and diversity in all aspects of life. Our partners include Flushing's Chamber of Commerce, Flushing High School, Public Library, and Town Hall, as well as Queens College, and the Queens Botanical Garden.

Our Education and Outreach Director Daniela Addamo will discuss the Society's future school-related programming. Highlights include the revived and revitalized hands-on Archaeology Workshop from last year, and "Now It's Electric" pilot program for middle school students presented by Con Edison and geared towards Queens's youth.

Included this season will be a Special Offer, FREE family day the first Sundays of every month.

The Spring Season Preview will commence at 3:00 PM at the above address, with the press meeting soon after.

Our Mission at the Queens Historical Society

In an ever-changing borough that continues to undergo widespread development, the Queens Historical Society researches, records, and showcases issues that have had a profound impact on the history of Queens. As a repository of collections on the history of Queens and Long Island, the Society documents, preserves, and presents rich and diverse aspects of the history of the Borough of Queens for the education and enlightenment of its more than two million people.

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