



PRESERVATION WEEK 2019

NEWBURYPORT PRESERVATION TRUST
Linking the past with the present and future
NEWBURYPORT, MASSACHUSETTS, USA

Small Houses – Big History Friday-Saturday-Sunday ~ May 17-18-19, 2019



Friday, May 17

Keynote Speaker:
**"Beyond Brick and Mortar:
Preserving a Sense of Place,"**
with Chris Scoville, Boston Preservation Alliance.
St. Anna's Chapel of St. Paul's Church
166 High Street, Newburyport
7:00 p.m.
Admission: Free (Reception follows).

Saturday, May 18

Ships on State:
A Nautically-Themed Family Scavenger Hunt
Meet at the compass, Market Sq., Newburyport
10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Admission: Free.

Walking Tour:
Small Houses – Big History ... in the North End
Park and meet at the north end
of Cushing Park, Kent Street, Newburyport.
11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Admission: Free.

Saturday, continued ...

Open House & Sash Revival
at **Window Woman of New England**
44R Elm Street, Amesbury
10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Admission: Free.

Tour:
Powder House Park & Learning Center
Godfrey's Hill
57 Low Street, Newburyport
1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Admission: Free.

Concert:
Chris Walton Band
*A Fund-Raising Concert
for NPT's Youth Initiative*
St. Paul's Church
166 High Street, Newburyport
7:00 - 9:00 p.m.
Admission: \$22.00 in advance
at Eventbrite (www.eventbrite.com);
or \$25.00 at the door (cash/check only).
(Sponsored by the Institution for Savings)

Sunday, May 19

Walking Tour & Interior House Tours:
Small Houses – Big History ... in the South End
Meet at 9 Madison Street, Newburyport
1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.
Admission: \$50.00 donation (limit 15;
advance online registration only at the "events"
page of www.nbptpreservationtrust.org).

**2019 Preservation Awards
Presentation & Reception**
Custom House Maritime Museum
25 Water Street, Newburyport
4:30 p.m. reception,
followed by awards ceremony.
Admission: Free. (Preservation Trust members and
guests only, and Custom House Maritime
Museum members only.)

**FOR COMPLETE
SCHEDULE DETAILS,
SEE OTHER SIDE!**



FRIDAY, MAY 17

Keynote Speaker:

"Beyond Brick and Mortar: Preserving a Sense of Place,"

Chris Scoville, Boston Preservation Alliance.
 St. Anna's Chapel of St. Paul's Church
 166 High Street, Newburyport
 7:00 p.m.

This year's Preservation Week keynote speaker is Chris Scoville, board chairman of the Boston Preservation Alliance. His presentation – and *conversation* – considers the important contributions small houses make to the aesthetics, affordability, and ambiance of a community, and about the social values and dynamics that create and sustain a sense of place. As board chairman of the Boston Preservation Alliance, Chris leads a nonprofit organization that brings people and organizations together to protect historic resources and influence the future of Boston's historic buildings, landscapes, and communities. He is Senior Vice President of Community Development Lending at Eastern Bank, and also serves on the board of Homeowners' Rehab, Inc., a nonprofit affordable housing developer.

Admission: Free (Reception follows).

SATURDAY, MAY 18

Ships on State:

A Nautical-Themed Family Scavenger Hunt
 Meet at the compass at Market Square, Newburyport
 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

From the compass at Market Square, we will navigate up State Street and through the South End, led by a series of rhyming clues to the final prize. This is a family event that will be especially fun for elementary-aged kids accompanied by history-loving grownups who can help decipher the clues and cheer the kids on to the finish line – where refreshments and prizes await!

Admission: Free.

Walking Tour:

Small Houses – Big History ... North End
 Park and meet at the north end of Cushing Park, Kent Street, Newburyport.
 11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Join us for a history-packed architectural walking tour of neighborhoods in Newburyport's North End. Acres of homes throughout the city's National Register Historic District were built in the mid-19th century to house the growing population of mill worker families. Since then, adaptation has enabled these compact structures to continue serving as fully functional homes in the 21st-century. Tour leader is author and museum/history professional Reg Bacon, who will walk, talk, gesture, point, and perhaps even pirouette *at the same time* – so prepare to step lively.

Admission: Free.

Open House & Sash Revival:

Workshop Tour & Demonstrations at Window Woman of New England
 44R Elm Street, Amesbury
 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Tour the workshop; watch demonstrations of window glazing, glass cutting, stained glass creation, and blacksmithing; and enjoy food and music at Window Woman of New England's Open House.

Admission: Free.

Tour:

Powder House Park & Learning Center
 Godfrey's Hill
 57 Low Street, Newburyport
 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Enjoy a tour of the restored 1822 Powder House, which opened in fall 2012 after nine years of planning, research, and restoration. Discover a unique part of Newburyport history at this nationally recognized recipient of an Award of Merit from the American Association for State & Local History (AASLH).

Admission: Free.

Concert:

Chris Walton Band
A Fund-Raiser for NPT's Youth Initiative
 St. Paul's Church
 166 High Street, Newburyport
 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.

The music of the future meets the architecture of the past when the vibrations of this fun-loving five-piece rock and rhythm-'n'-blues group tune up the ancient Rockport granite of St. Paul's Church. Don't miss the chance to see The Chris Walton Band, from Berklee College of Music, before they hit L.A., New York, and Nashville. Iowa native Chris Walton is a singer-songwriter – and classically-trained pianist and cellist – who blends soul, blues, and pop in the vein of John Mayer. This band's name will surface many times in the years ahead, so see them this time and you'll be able to say: "I saw them in Newburyport!" This concert is a fund-raiser for NPT's Youth Initiative, and is made possible through a grant from the Institution for Savings Charitable Foundation.

Admission: \$22.00 in advance at Eventbrite (www.eventbrite.com); or \$25.00 at the door (cash or check only).
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SUNDAY, MAY 19

Walking Tour & Interior House Tours: Small Houses – Big History ... South End
 Meet at 9 Madison Street, Newburyport
 1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Join preservation architect and Newburyport Preservation Trust founder Linda Miller for a brief architectural walking tour of the South End ... and – thanks to the generosity of three NPT members and small-house homeowners – enjoy interior tours of historic homes on Madison, Marlboro, & Union Sts.

Admission: \$50.00 donation (limit 15; advance online registration only at www.nbptpreservationtrust.org).

2019 Preservation Awards Presentation & Reception
 Custom House Maritime Museum
 25 Water Street, Newburyport
 4:30 p.m. reception, followed by awards ceremony.

Every Preservation Week, the Newburyport Preservation Trust recognizes the finest preservation efforts across the city during the past 12 months. Join us for the celebration!

Admission: Free. (Preservation Trust members and guests only, and Custom House Maritime Museum members only.)

Preservation Week is an annual community-wide event sponsored by the Newburyport Preservation Trust to celebrate Newburyport's historic character and unique architectural legacy.

We thank this year's Preservation Week Partners: the Institution for Savings (for generous sponsorship of NPT's youth program initiatives), St. Paul's Church, the Custom House Maritime Museum, and Window Woman of New England.



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