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## THINGS TO DO

## March 15, 2021

#### **ART**

<u>Firstsite's Great Big Art Exhibition</u>. View the art, and perhaps submit some of your own!

#### **MUSEUMS**

The Library Company History Museum in Philadelphia. Women Get Things Done is one of their current online exhibitions, but there are many more to peruse!

THEATER, MUSIC, OPERAS, POETRY, BALLET, DANCE, MOVIES ONLINE

#### **Dance**

**Jerusalema.** Africana Kids Best Dance Contest. Great dance moves from the younger set! (below)



**Irish Dancing.** An Irish dancing flash mob in a shopping center outside London.

Yablochko. All male Russian dancers in the Igor Moiseyev Ballet.

#### Music

**Singing in the Rain.** We had a bit of rain recently despite the beginning of a drought. Sing along with Gene Kelly and maybe we'll get a bit more! (below)



A compilation of music from 1940s female American singers. About an hour of music with some video clips throughout.

YMCA. Sing and dance along!

How about a few Irish tunes? It's almost St. Patrick's Day after all.

- The Orange and the Green. The Irish Rovers.
- Molly Malone. The Dubliners.
- Seven Drunken Nights. Celtic Thunder. A long story!
- A Place in the Choir. Another great favorite from Celtic Thunder. Easy to watch again and again! (below)



Renee Fleming and Dimitri Hvorostovsky in concert in Moscow in 2006. Amazing chemistry between these great singers—not to mention great voices. The concert runs about 1 ½ hours.

SF Opera's Virtual Ring Cycle and Festival. Each weekend in March, for 48 hours, SF Opera is doing free streaming of its 2018 production of *The Ring*, in sequence starting with Das Rheingold. Plus, throughout March the Opera will be hosting a diverse array of immersive events including lively panel discussions and events. Timeframe is March 5 – 8, 2021. Festival events (other than the operas themselves) require a pass which costs \$99 (\$69 for current subscribers and donors of at least \$75).

**Offenbachanalia.** Sunday, March 21, 2:45pm. A virtual gala and celebration of Donald Pippen's 95th birthday. Songs from *La Vie Parisienne*, *Tales of Hoffman*, and *La Belle Helene*. Yes, it's a fundraiser, but it is free to attend. Register <a href="here">here</a>.

### Movies and Documentaries

**Anthony Fauci: Virus Hunter.** Save the date: Friday, March 19 at 8:00pm on KQED

Lark Theater Drive-In reopens March 18! The north parking lot at the Village at Corte Madera. Order your tickets before they sell out! Tickets are only available online. \$15 for single person in a car, \$30 for a carful.

<u>Life with Father</u>. A fun classic movie with Irene Dunne and William Powell.

ARMCHAIR TRAVEL

<u>Costa Rica, in search of the quetzal</u>. National Geographic armchair travel.

## AMAZING, FUN OR CUTE ONLINE VIDEOS/CLIPS Baby border collies learn to herd

Bird-eating fish!

#### 20 impossible sports moments (below)



# CLASSES, ONLINE GROUPS, TALKS, WEBINARS, PODCASTS, BLOGS, EDUCATIONAL ARTICLES

Alasdair Neale in conversation with Richard Worn, assistant principal bass in the Marin Symphony. Who knew how butter might help an aspiring musician?

#### 125 Amazing Women Who Changed the World

The Electric Typewriter. A collection of great articles and essays.

Home Cooking. A podcast with Samin Nosrat and Hrishikesh Hirway. Samin is the acclaimed author of *Salt, Fat, Acid, Heat.* This is a really fun series. How to use those cans on your shelf, among other things!

The Conversation. A wealth of articles from scientists about the

Coronavirus and vaccines.

<u>Gratitude</u>. Louie Schwartzberg in a TEDxSF presentation.

How to Move a House! A San Francisco Victorian changes location.

**OLLI spring session coming up!** Premium Member registration opened March 1 and Basic and Session Member registration opens March 8. Classes start March 22. Some scholarships may be available. Check out class offerings here.

**ESCOM spring sessions at College of Marin coming up!** Scholarships may be available. Check out ESCOM activities here.

#### **EXERCISE**

<u>Intergenerational Center Classes</u>. Check the Intergenerational Center website for information on classes.

<u>Seven-Minute Workout for Seniors</u>. Seven-minute workouts are all the rage these days. This one is for seniors.

Strength First Fitness Wellness University classes. Lots of different classes to choose from. A friend of Marco's is teaching the Arthritis Foundation Exercise Program. A monthly subscription is required. Most subscriptions run about \$50 per month.

## RESOURCES ON RACISM AND SOCIAL JUSTICE ISSUES IN AMERICA

The Courage to Lead: Narratives of Women Leaders in Marin. Free webinar sponsored by WLPC at Dominican, AAUW Marin, and the Marin Women's Commission. Tuesday, March 16, noon to 1:30. Register <a href="here">here</a>.

Lily white: a string of racist incidents in Marin. From the Pacific Sun.

Marin City: historic enclave at risk. Gentrification and displacement risks.

<u>Déjà Vu: Race, Health and Epidemics</u>. The Library Project; click on the square second from the left in the top row of squares under Exhibitions Available Online.

The Japanese Tea Garden. A Mill Valley Library virtual event.

#### HUMOR

### Are we getting older?

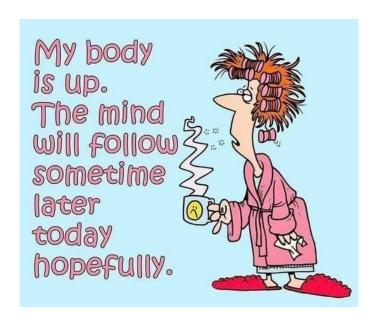
I didn't make it to the gym today. That makes five years in a row.

When I was a child I thought "nap time" was a punishment. Now, as a grownup, it feels like a small vacation.

The biggest lie I tell myself is, "I don't need to write that down, I'll remember it."

Of course I talk to myself. Sometimes I need expert advice.

Actually I'm not complaining because I am a Senager (senior teenager). I have everything that I wanted as a teenager, only 60 years later. I don't have to go to school or work I get an allowance every month. I have my own pad. I don't have a curfew. I have a driver's license and my own car. And I don't have acne. Life is great.



THE FACT THAT MY
ENTIRE BODY CRACKS
LIKE A GLOWSTICK
WHENEVER I MOVE
AND YET REFUSES TO
ACTUALLY GLOW IS
VERY DISAPPOINTING.



# LOOKING FOR SOMETHING ELSE, OR SOMETHING ON A PRIOR LIST?

You can look back at recent lists on our website.

For the online items noted in this list and previous lists, we've done our best to make sure the links work. But if they don't, we suggest you Google the name of the place or activity to get to the site. Most of these activities are free, and most are not time-sensitive (although a few have a minimal charge or a deadline).







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