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**76<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL SAINT PATRICK'S PARADE**  
**SUNDAY, MARCH 1, 2026**  
**NASSAU COUNTY, NEW YORK**

December 2025

Dear Friends and Members,

In honor of the patron saint of Ireland, the Irish American Society will hold its 76th Annual Saint Patrick's Parade on Sunday, March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2026. We are proud to announce this year's Parade Grand Marshal is **John A. Doyle**, and 2026 Aides to the Grand Marshal are **Regina Begley, Meaghan Smith, John Finucane, Thomas R. Scanlon, Esq.**

This parade is sponsored by the Irish American Society and to help defray expenses we are publishing an attractive and skillfully printed Parade Journal. Your generous contribution to this journal will help offset the enormous cost of putting on a parade of this magnitude.

The Journal gives you an opportunity to advertise your business, to memorialize a friend or loved one, to pay tribute to our center or to the Parade Grand Marshal and Aides, or just to show how proud you are of your heritage.

The Journal will have a large circulation in Nassau, Suffolk, Queens, and the New York Metropolitan areas. Each page will urge our readers to support our advertisers.

We are enclosing a contract form, so please give special attention to this letter. The return date for all ads is February 3, 2026. Checks should be made payable to the 'Irish American Society'.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this very important matter.

Sincerely,

Jeff Clark  
**President/Parade Chairman**

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