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**SAMA TO HOST ARTIST PRESENTATION AS PART OF FOURTH
LIGONIER ART WALK**

Ligonier – The Southern Alleghenies Museum of Art at Ligonier Valley will host a presentation and demonstration with batik artist Jeanne Wagle as part of the fourth Ligonier Art Walk. Scheduled for Saturday, November 7, the Art Walk features a full day of activities and receptions at SAMA and six Ligonier galleries. The presentation at SAMA begins at noon.

A Pittsburgh native, Wagle currently lives and paints in Somerset County. She is known for her bright and striking florals, as well as beautiful rural landscapes and forest scenes. Her work has been shown at Dressler Art Center in Somerset, Mountain Playhouse Art Gallery in Jennerstown, and the Community Arts Center of Cambria County in Johnstown. Wagle also teaches watercolor workshops at Ligonier’s Main Exhibit Gallery.

Also participating in the Ligonier Art Walk are Allegory Gallery, 215 East Main St.; Conte Design-Lifestyle Gallery, 113 East Main St.; Dovecote Ligonier, 136 West Main St.; G-Squared Gallery, 138 East Main St.; Jaime Cooper Gallery & Studio, 212 West Main St.; and Main Exhibit Gallery, 301 West Main St. The event is open to the public free of charge.

The Southern Alleghenies Museum of Art at Ligonier Valley is located at One Boucher Lane and Route 711 South in Ligonier. Hours of operation are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and 1 to 5 p.m. weekends. The Museum is a handicapped-accessible facility and is open to the public free of charge. For more information, please call the Museum at (724) 238-6015 or visit www.sama-art.org.