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ALTOONA MUSEUM TO OFFER WATERCOLOR CLASS

Altoona – The Southern Alleghenies Museum of Art at Altoona will host a watercolor class with artist Lynne Magee in August. Scheduled for August 21, 23, 28 and 30, the class is designed for beginning and intermediate painters. Magee will offer a painting experience in a relaxed setting that will include demonstrations of watercolor painting techniques, basic design theory, individual painting time, feedback and constructive critiques.

The classes will be held from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Basic painting materials will be provided, but participants are invited to bring their own supplies if preferred. Libations and hors d'oeuvres will be served.

Cost for the classes is \$80 for all four sessions. Reservations are requested by August 17 and can be made by calling the Museum at (814) 946-4464 or emailing altoona@sama-art.org.

Magee, of Altoona, is a teaching artist with SAMA and the Pennsylvania Council on the Arts. She has a bachelor's degree in studio art and art education from William Smith College and pursued graduate studies at SUNY Brockport and Penn State University. She has taught art at public schools in New York and Pennsylvania for more than a decade.

The Southern Alleghenies Museum of Art at Altoona is located at 1210 Eleventh Avenue. Hours of operation are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and 1 to 5 p.m. Saturdays. The Museum is a handicapped-accessible facility and is open to the public free of charge. For more information, call the Museum or visit www.sama-art.org.