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### PRESS RELEASE

#### ***JACALYN BEAM: IMPRESSIONS***

Chadds Ford, PA. , March 31, 2018: Barbara Moore Fine Art Gallery invites you to attend and view, ***Jacalyn Beam: “Impressions Exhibit” ... Opening Wednesday, April 18, 2018, 5:00pm 8:00pm ... “The Talk”, opens the following Wednesday, April 25<sup>th</sup>, 5:00pm to 7:00pm (Be part of an interactive dialog with the artist, Jacalyn Beam)*** – the exhibit continues through Wednesday, May 2<sup>nd</sup>. Barbara Moore Fine Art Gallery is located at the Chadds Ford BarnShops, 1609 Baltimore Pike, Ste 400A, Chadds Ford, PA. ... No Entrance Fee ... Open to the public ... Accepts Major Credit Cards ... Closed Mondays and Tuesdays ... For more information call 484.776.5174 or visit [Barbara@barbaramoorefineart.com](mailto:Barbara@barbaramoorefineart.com).

Jacalyn Beam painting Plein Air, is seen on many a roadside, barn, farm, forest or boat yard ... locally and nationally, in the sun, rain and snow, but not in the wind. Fascinated, the owners of the land or those just traveling by, Jacalyn gives us ***Impressions*** of sites we see daily, but don't get to stop and visit. She paints with oils, on Belgian linen, with her heavily paint coated easel, hands and clothing is living proof of an artist capturing the light, as it continues the taunt of change. Jacalyn Beams artworks are found in Corporate and Private Collections.

“I paint outdoors because the world is rich with beauty and it's the optimal way to see three dimensional objects, the subtleties of light and shadows ... atmosphere perspective and real colors. PleinAir painting is also a lot of fun! You meet new friends – animal and human, having fleeting conversations with bicyclists, joggers, experience the sounds and smells of the outdoors.”

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A Chester County native, Jacalyn Beams's early training in art was rooted in the beauty and history of the Brandywine Valley, she was also impressed with the artworks of the Wyeths, Sorolla, Sargent, Sotter, Schofield and Thayer. For a time, education led her in another direction, but always keeping her passion for painting. Jacalyn holds a B.S. in Music, a Masters in Education and Ed. D. Jacalyn is a member of the American Impressionist Society, Oil Painters of America, Washington Society of Landscape Painters and the Mid-Atlantic Plein Air Painters Association (MAPAPA). She served on the Board of Director of MAPAPA for eight years, Jacalyn initiated the Chadds Ford Historical Swociety Plein Air Event. She participates in juried local and national Plein Air events while gaining awards ... including a Second Place in the Bucks County Plein Air and the Artist Choice Award in Brandywine Plein Air. Having returned from, Jacalyn's most recent honor was to exhibit in the juried selection of the 2018 American Impressionist Society National Show in Cleveland, Ohio. Jacalyn Beam is included in the book, *100 Mid-Atlantic Plain Air Painters*, Published by Schiffer, and also featured in *Brandywine Valley Reflections*, as an artist helping to preserve the Brandywine Traditions.

NOTES: *Jacalyn Beam: "Impressions Exhibit"*

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