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Frances Sheehan to Receive the 11th Annual Rebecca Lukens Award

Premiere of Exhibit "Sailing With Steel: Success in the America's Cup"

The National Iron & Steel Heritage Museum (NISHM) in Coatesville, PA, along with Coatesville Savings Bank, will present its eleventh annual Rebecca Lukens Award to noted community-builder, Frances Sheehan, President of Crozer-Keystone Community Foundation. For the past 15 years, Ms. Sheehan served as President and CEO of the Brandywine Health Foundation (BHF) in Coatesville and helped distribute $15 million in funding for services and programs to benefit Coatesville area's residents. She assumed her current role in January of 2017. Established by The Graystone Society's National Iron & Steel Heritage Museum to honor individuals who exhibit the qualities of Rebecca Lukens, the annual award will be presented to Ms. Sheehan at a garden party reception **May 10,** in the Lukens National Historic District.

*The Rebecca Lukens Award will be presented to Frances Sheehan at a twilight garden party reception in the Lukens National Historic District, on **May 10, 2017.***

Ms. Sheehan was born in England and became an American citizen as a teenager. A mother of two and a resident of Swarthmore, Frances learned early on the value of making the most of her time. She recalls her first job fondly, "I was a babysitter (with two sisters, the three of us were a Babysitting Machine!) and my mother taught us that even after the kids went to bed we needed to tidy up, wash any dishes in the sink, etc. In other words, we were still being paid and should be useful until there wasn't anything obvious to do and only then could we relax and watch TV. The lesson? Going above and beyond the call of duty pays off – we were in high demand!" That early lesson was not lost on Frances who later went on to become the Chief Executive Officer of Planned Parenthood of Chester County for twelve years (1990-2002) and the recipient of many community/regional awards, as well as serv-

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Award-Winning Cellist Sang-Eun Lee in Concert

Accompanied by Pianist Carlos Avila in Tri-County Concerts' April 23 Performance at Eastern University

*Tri-County Concerts presents award-winning cellist Sang-Eun Lee in concert on Sunday, **April 23,** at 3 p.m. at Eastern University's McInnis Auditorium. She will be accompanied by pianist Carlos Avila.*

Tri-County Concerts presents award-winning cellist Sang-Eun Lee in the fourth concert of its 2016-2017 season on Sunday, **April 23,** at 3 p.m. at Eastern University's McInnis Auditorium located at 1300 Eagle Road, St. Davids, PA. Sang-Eun will perform works by de Falla, Cassadó, Schumann, and Schubert. She will be accompanied by pianist Carlos Avila. Tickets are available online and at the door: $20 (general),

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Helge Speth's "Jungle Flower," 2017.

Main Line Meets Monte Carlo: "Grand Prix Gala" Features Art, Cars, & Glamour April 29

"Spring Gala Exhibition" April 30 - June 3, 2017 at Main Line Art Center
Sensory Garden Party & Artist Reception June 3

The elegance, speed, and style of the French Riviera is coming to Haverford for Main Line Art Center's "Grand Prix Gala" on Saturday, **April 29** from 6:30 to 10 p.m. Inspired by the Golden Age of Grand Prix racing and the glamourous atmosphere that surrounds it, the party kicks off the "Spring Gala Exhibition," which opens to the public **April 30** and runs **through June 3.** The "Grand Prix Gala" and art sales from the "Spring Gala Exhibition" support Main Line Art Center's programs, including its award-winning Accessible Art programs for children and adults with disabilities.

The magic of Monte Carlo will be brought to the Main Line as party goers mingle under the tent among beautiful new and vintage Porsches, Maseratis, and McClarens curated by Lead Partner RDS Automotive Group. In the gallery, guests are immersed in a world of sparkling cocktails and lavish hors d'oeuvres from Joshua's Catering, and music and dancing with All Around Entertainment. Guests are encouraged to dress in their interpretation of *Modern Monte Carlo Chic.*

The "Grand Prix Gala" is chaired by Pat Nogar, host of LMTV's Living Well with Pat Nogar, and Li Halpern, owner of Li Halpern Events. Doors will open at 6:30 p.m. for a VIP Champagne Preview and first reveal for $200 per person. General admission begins at 7 p.m. for $150 per person. Young friends/under 40 tickets are $100 per person or $150 for two tickets. Tickets can be purchased online at www.mainlineart.org or 610-525-0272 ext. 112.

During the "Grand Prix Gala," guests will enjoy an exclusive first look at the "Spring Gala Exhibition" featuring a wide range of stunning 2- and 3-D artwork in a variety of styles and price points. Juried by Ekaterina Popova, international artist & Publisher of *Create! Maga-*

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