

Press Release

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The Residents of Old Wilmington (ROW) is pleased to announce the unveiling of an original painting by Mary Ellen Golden, created especially for the 2011 Back Door Kitchen Tour, and featuring one of the homes on this year's tour. This is the sixth year for the popular kitchen tour, which will be held on Riverfest Weekend - Saturday, October 8, 2011 from 12:00 noon – 5:00 p.m.

The unveiling will take place on Friday, August 26th at The Golden Gallery located within the Cotton Exchange in downtown Wilmington. Mayor Bill Saffo will be on hand at 4:00 pm for a televised recording of the unveiling by WWAY-NewsChannel 3 which will be broadcast later on its evening newscasts. The public unveiling will take place at 6:00 pm as part of the Fourth Friday Gallery Night. Refreshments will be served.

The painting will be on display at The Golden Gallery, 311 N. Front Street, in the Cotton Exchange during the month of September. Raffle tickets for the painting will be sold at the Golden Gallery for \$5 each. The winning ticket will be drawn at the end of the tour on October 8.

Back Door Kitchen Tour tickets will be available at the gallery, on line at <http://rowilmington.com/> and various retail outlets for \$20 for adults and \$10 for children 12 and under.