



OUTREACH

VETERANS ADMINISTRATION

March 2016

Springing Forward!

The VA Martinez: 3 Years and On-going

CWA has made 62 OUTREACH programs at the Martinez VA!

The OUTREACH event of 2-17-16 at the Martinez **Recreational Therapy Department** was inspirational as the vets helped to mat their artwork to show. For most it was their first time matting work.

The matting transformed the works. Everyone admired and were inspired by the accomplishments and growth of individuals who have participated with our CWA OUTREACH program over the last three years.

When the show came down we selected a few to go in the entrance hallway VA display cases. Many people stopped to admire the work.



Painted by Wesley Eva

Upcoming Group Show

Our Martinez vets in the CWA OUTREACH program have been invited to join the About Face Veterans Group Exhibitions in Martinez by the AC5 commission in mid April. More to come on this event.



Big Smile at VA Oak

A Second On-going Outreach Program

Michael Anderson gave us a big smile when he learned that his sunflower painting would be featured in the CWA newsletter. Sun Flower he painted with CWA at the Oakland VA on 21st Street. We honor Michael Anderson who served his country in the 82nd Airborne as a combat medic, in the field, in Vietnam from '66-'69. We thank Michael and all our vet participants for their service and artwork.

Join us in taking watercolors to our Vets

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