



Our submission is extremely different and unique. With the thoughts of a raging pandemic in and outside of our community and our unfortunate facility shut down due to keeping our community safe, I envisioned artwork which was (and still at present) a total out-of-the-box thought and certainly 'Covid friendly' idea. This is when I went to our residents room by room, with the assistance from our activities department, asking them what it would mean to them if we painted together and formed one picture with their paintings to show how united we were even though being so far apart. With much communications door to door with our community members and internal calls to our unit phones discussing the idea with our healthcare heroes, our residents and staff were extremely up for the challenge!

Isolation and not being with families physically was and has been an extremely rough and bumpy road for our residents and our healthcare workers. Certainly 'uncharted' territory for which none of us (or our residents) could or would have ever imagined or thought to see within our time on this lovely planet we call Earth. However, we did see 'glimpses of hope' and, of course, we had this unique painting forthcoming which enlightened all that were involved ... we must be on the right track.

So, quickly I bought the wooden butterflies and compiled them when they arrived. Activities arranged to individually help each painter in their rooms due to the restrictions at hand at our facility. So, they went room by room, asking our community members to paint the butterfly which would form a picture on a canvas showing how really united our residents were even though being so far apart.

End results from each of our wonderful community members who participated -- bright and cheerful butterflies waiting to find their home on a canvas!

So, attached you will find designed and artistically envisioned butterflies depicting the *'Field of Fluttering Flight'; 'Looking from the inside, but bringing hope, positivity and warmth to all for a new day to dawn and for a brighter tomorrow.'*

I know that this is not just one person's painting, but a compilation of a many in which a community formed together to create such a beautiful scene. Their artwork is a compilation of their visions 'awaiting for a new day to dawn and for a brighter tomorrow.'