The Art of Northern California Veterans: Reflections of the Veteran Experience

During the month of May the Museum of Northern California Art, aka monca, will offer the public an exhibition of works by veterans depicting their experience while in service to their country.

Exhibition Dates: May 6 – May 24  Location: 215 Main Street in Chico, CA

While monca has a future home at the Veterans Memorial Building at 900 Esplanade in Chico and is working to raise funds to renovate the interior of that iconic structure, it continues to take art to the community by creating Pop Up Museums. Pop Up Museums are temporary art installations in nontraditional settings, like vacant retail stores. Pop Ups spark conversation, actively engage audiences and never last long enough to get stale. This veteran exhibition will be one of those Pop Ups!

Eligible artists: Open to any living veteran in Northern California, Sacramento/San Jose to the Oregon border, coast to the Nevada border. Art may reflect combat experience, surroundings, fellow service members, state-side service locations, or reflection of the impact of service upon returning home.

Submit art in any medium: painting, sculpture, ceramic, jewelry, fabric, video, photographs, 3D limited to 50 pounds and all art must be able to fit through a door 6’8” x 3’ wide.

Submission forms & more information: may be found online at www.monca.org

In order to assist us with preplanning the exhibit space please contact Trudy Duisenberg if you intend to submit a work of art. Phone 530 343-8980 or trudyduisenberg@yahoo.com. You may also call Trudy if you have any questions regarding art submission.