

Cuyamaca Legacy Project

Cuyamaca Legacy Project: The goal of this project was to involve the Cuyamaca community in all aspects of a designing and creating a large mosaic in the Cuyamaca Gardens at Cuyamaca Community College. I was commissioned to oversee the effort which involved leading several hands-on workshops to train many volunteer participants in the art of creating mosaics. Over several months we created this ambitious, 8-sided centerpiece planter (4 x 6ft). It is important to note that the participants had never created mosaic art previously. The legacy project was an amazing success with each side of the planter depicting a different type of garden; wildflowers, high desert and low desert flora, English topiary, and vegetables. I reserved one panel to recognize the many volunteers and, on this panel, installed individual tiles showing the name of each participant.







