

ENTRY FORM, INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION

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River City Quilters' Guild Quilt Show "Autumn Splendor"

October 17, 18 and 19, 2008

Scottish Rite Temple, 6151 "H" Street, Sacramento, California

Entry Forms and Photos are due by Tuesday, August 19, 2008

Entry Forms can be delivered to the Quilt Show Entry Drop Box at the August 19, 2008 Guild meeting or
Mailed to: River City Quilters' Guild, Attn: Quilt Show Chair, P.O. Box 15816, Sacramento, CA 95852-0816

Entry Information: Please print clearly or type

Exhibitor's Name		River City Quilt Guild Member? <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> YES Member # _____	
Address	City	State	Zip Code
Email Address		Telephone Number	
Quilt entry, please check only one: <input type="checkbox"/> JUDGED and EXHIBITED <input type="checkbox"/> QUILT SHOW CHALLENGE <input type="checkbox"/> JUNIOR (Ages 17 and under) <input type="checkbox"/> EXHIBITED ONLY See Page 4 Please complete Page 5			
Quilt Maker's Name(s)		Quilter's Name(s)	
Title of Entry		Size in Inches: Width _____ Length _____	Date Completed
Entry Description – On page 2 of this form, please write a BRIEF (50 words or less) history or comments of interest of your item. Please print CLEARLY or type.			

Judging Categories: Please complete this section if your quilt will be judged. It is not necessary to complete this section if your quilt will NOT be judged. Please check only one box (the "Definitions of Categories and Sizes" are on Page 4):

1. Pieced: Small, Medium, Large
2. Appliqué: Small, Medium, Large
3. Scrap: Small, Medium, Large
4. Art: Small, Medium, Large
5. Folk Art: Any Size
6. Miniature: Maximum Perimeter 100" and to Scale
7. All Other Techniques: Any size
8. Adult First Quilt: Any size
9. Two-Person Quilt: Small, Medium, Large
10. Group Quilt: Any size
11. Wearable Art:
 Single Item - Size _____
 Ensemble/Dress - # of Pieces _____ Size _____
 Accessory
12. Quilt Show Challenge: See Page 4

Insurance Waiver and Assumption of Loss

Your homeowner's or business insurance policy may already protect your entry. The insurance policy that covers River City Quilters' Guild (RCQG) is a personal injury liability policy ONLY and DOES NOT provide any protection against property damage, loss or theft. We have always handled the entries with great care, observed quilt show attendees to prevent handling of quilts and provided security guards during the show. Nevertheless, we cannot accept financial responsibility for anything that may happen to the property of entrants. Therefore, we ask all entrants to sign the following statement, to acknowledge their recognition and assumption of risk, and to return with the entry form. By signing this statement as part of the entry form, I agree to release RCQG and Scottish Rite Temple, and their respective agents, employees, and members from all liability for any loss, damage, theft, injury, destruction to any article entered by me in the RCQG Quilt Show at the Scottish Rite Temple in Sacramento, California. I understand and assume the risk of all uninsured property, and that it is up to me to properly insure my property against any and all risks I choose.

Signature

Print Name

Date

Have you included the following:

- Signature on the insurance waiver and assumption of loss?
- Completed all areas of the Entry Form?
- Enclosed color photo of entry item, labeled with exhibitor's name and size?
- Enclosed \$10.00 entry fee for each judged item - check or money order payable to River City Quilters' Guild, do not send cash?

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Quilt Show Timeline

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Friday, September 19, 2008 – Entry form receipt and confirmation letter mailed to entrant by September 19, 2008.

Wednesday, October 15, 2008 – JUDGED ENTRIES MUST BE DELIVERED BETWEEN 7:30 am and 8:45 am to the Scottish Rite Temple, 6151 "H" Street, Sacramento, CA.

Wednesday, October 15, 2008 – Exhibited only entries (NOT JUDGED) will be accepted until 11:00 am at the Scottish Rite Temple, 6151 "H" Street, Sacramento, CA.

Thursday, October 16, 2008 – Set-up quilt show, 8:00 am until completed.

Thursday, October 16, 2008 – Preview Party for Guild members, 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm.

Friday, Saturday and Sunday, October 17, 18, and 19, 2008 – Quilt Show.

Sunday, October 19, 2008 – Beginning at approximately 5:00 pm and no later than 6:00 pm, pick-up all items by presenting your receipt at the Scottish Rite Temple. NO ENTRIES WILL BE RELEASED UNTIL THE QUILT SHOW IS COMPLETELY TAKEN DOWN! Please arrive by 4:00 pm to help take down the show.

Quilt Show Entry Rules and Procedures

1. Any RCQG member can enter a cloth quilt by submitting the entry form and a color photo of the entry. Photos should be clearly labeled with the exhibitor's name and quilt size in inches (width by length: width measurement is the side to side measurement of the quilt, length measurement is the top to bottom measurement of the quilt).
2. A non-RCQG member may enter a cloth quilt by submitting an entry form and color photo. Photos should be clearly labeled with the exhibitor's name and quilt size (width by length: width measurement is the side to side measurement of the quilt, length measurement is the top to bottom measurement of the quilt). Entries from non-members will only be accepted on a space available basis. Preference will be given to RCQG members.
3. Only ONE (1) entry per entry form.
4. Exhibitors are limited to four (4) entries total and only one (1) judged entry per category.
5. All entry forms, fees and photos are due by August 19, 2008. Exhibitors will receive confirmation by mail upon receipt of their application.
6. ALL ENTRIES MUST HAVE A 4-INCH SLEEVE SEWN ON THE TOP OF THE BACK OF THE QUILT.
7. All entries must be complete, undamaged and clean; free of smoke, odor, and hair/fur; and constructed of fabric.
8. All entries must have an official Quilt Show 2008 Entry Label (see Page 5) sewn on the lower right-hand corner of the back of the entry.
9. Quilts must be constructed and quilted by person(s) named on the entry form.
10. All quilts must be quilted.
11. Labels or other information identifying the quiltermaker/quilter on items to be judged must be covered with fabric or paper.
12. Entries displayed in previous RCQG quilt shows are ineligible.
13. All entries submitted for judging must include a \$10.00 fee per item.
14. Judged entries must be delivered by 8:45 am, Wednesday, October 15, 2008.
15. Exhibited only items must be delivered by 11:00 am, Wednesday, October 15, 2008.
16. Entry must be available for display from October 17 through 19, 2008.
17. The RCQG Judging Committee reserves the right to re-categorize any item or disqualify any item from the judging portion of the quilt show.
18. Junior quilts receive participation ribbons and complimentary judging comments. See Page 5.
19. QUILT SHOW CHALLENGE QUILTS MUST BE COMPLETED BY, DISPLAYED AT AND ARE VOTED ON BY GUILD MEMBERS AT THE SEPTEMBER 16, 2008 GUILD MEETING. Challenge participants who plan to exhibit their quilts at the Quilt Show must complete and submit an entry form by August 19, 2008. Challenge participants may also submit their quilts for judging. The Quilt Show Challenge instructions are on Page 4.
20. Photography is allowed during the quilt show.

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Quilt Show Challenge Instructions

Autumn Splendor – This year, 2008, the Quilt Show Challenge will be open to many avenues of quilting. It will include wall hangings (no larger than 25" x 30"), wearable art, table runners (approximately 15" x 30"), pincushions, purses, and potholders. Participants must use a fat quarter of the focus fabric (black background with colored leaves) and a fat 1/8th of the accent fabric (sage green). The focus and accent fabrics must be easily seen. Packets of the Quilt Show Challenge fabrics and instructions are available from the Janet Van Wert (916) 489-3097. Items must be finished by and exhibited at the September 16, 2008 Guild meeting to be judged by the Guild members. Three prizes will be awarded:

1. Best Use of Fabric
2. Best Interpretation of the Quilt Show theme "Autumn Splendor".
3. Viewer's Choice

With the creator's permission, items entered will be shown at the Quilt Show in October. See Page 3, #19.

Judging Guidelines for the RCQG Quilt Show

1. Judging will be by the elimination method.
2. First Place, Second Place, Third Place and Honorable Mention Awards MAY be awarded in each category at the sole discretion of the judges.
3. Judges determine award of the following Optional Special Awards: Best of Show, Best Use of Color, Best Hand Quilting and Best Machine Quilting.
4. Each Judge may present one Judge's Choice Award from any category of the items entered for judging.

Optional Special Awards are as follows:

Best of Show \$200	Judges' Choice \$100 (One Per Judge)
Best Use of Color \$100	Challenge Award \$50 – Chosen by Members at the 9-16-'08 Guild Meeting
Best Hand Quilting \$100	Harriet Merriam Award \$50 - Viewers' Choice
Best Machine Quilting \$100	Members' Choice – Chosen by Members at the Preview Party

Definitions of Categories and Sizes:

1. Pieced: Piecing predominates over appliqué or other technique either in amount or effect.
2. Appliqué: Appliqué predominates over piecing or other techniques either in amount or effect.
3. Scrap: Quilt top is comprised of 50 or more different fabrics.
4. Art: An original design meant to be used as a piece of art.
5. Folk Art: Folk art refers to the art of the people as distinguished from the elite or professional product of mainstream art. Folk art is also known as "primitive", "rough", "and un-schooled". Items in this category should capture cultural, primitive or country characteristics.
6. Miniature: Any quilt with a maximum circumference of 100" and is to scale.
7. All Other Techniques: Various techniques including stenciling, wholecloth, yo-yo, cathedral windows, ragged, crazy quilts, machine embroidery, etc., or a combination of techniques.
8. Adult First Quilt: Quilt must be a first quilt completed by an adult.
9. Two-Person Quilt: Any quilt made by two people (e.g. pieced by one person and quilted by another).
10. Group Quilt: Any quilt top made by three or more persons.
11. Wearable Art:
 - Single Item (e.g. vest, jacket)
 - Ensemble/Dress
 - Accessory (e.g. purse, tote bag)
12. Quilt Show Challenge: See Quilt Show Challenge Instructions on this page and Page 3, Quilt Show Entry Rules and Procedures #19

Small: Circumference* is 216" or less.

Medium: Circumference* is between 216" and 300".

Large: Circumference* is 300" or more.

*Circumference is the total outer boundary, also known as the perimeter, measurement of the quilt.

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JUNIORS: Ages 17 and under

Quilt Show Timeline for Juniors

Tuesday, August 19, 2008 – Entry forms and photos are due.

Friday, September 19, 2008 – Entry form receipt and confirmation letter mailed to entrant by September 19, 2008.

Wednesday, October 15, 2008 – JUNIOR ENTRIES MUST BE DELIVERED BETWEEN 7:30 am and 8:45 am to the Scottish Rite Temple, 6151 "H" Street, Sacramento, CA.

Thursday, October 16, 2008 – Preview Party, 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm: No admission charge for the Junior entrant and one guest.

Friday, Saturday and Sunday, October 17, 18, and 19, 2008 – Quilt Show.

Sunday, October 19, 2008 – Beginning at approximately 5:00 pm and no later than 6:00 pm, pick-up all items by presenting your receipt at the Scottish Rite Temple. NO ENTRIES WILL BE RELEASED UNTIL THE QUILT SHOW IS COMPLETELY TAKEN DOWN! Please arrive by 4:00 pm to help take down the show.

Quilt Show Entry Rules and Procedures for Juniors

1. Only ONE (1) entry per entry form.
2. A color photo of the entry must be included with the entry form. Photos should be clearly labeled with the exhibitor's name and quilt size in inches (width by length: width measurement is the side to side measurement of the quilt, length measurement is the top to bottom measurement of the quilt).
3. Please complete the Entry Information on Page 1.
4. The entry form must be signed on the bottom of Page 1 "Insurance Waiver and Assumption of Loss" by the Junior entrant's parent or legal guardian.
5. Exhibitors are limited to three (3) entries total and only one (1) entry per category.
6. ALL ENTRIES MUST HAVE A 4-INCH SLEEVE SEWN ON THE TOP OF THE BACK OF THE QUILT.
7. All entries must be complete, undamaged and clean; free of smoke, odor and hair/fur; and constructed of fabric.
8. All entries must have an official Quilt Show 2008 Entry Label (see Page 6) sewn on the lower right-hand corner of the back of the entry.
9. Entries displayed in previous RCQG quilt shows are ineligible.
10. Entry must be available for display from October 17 through 19, 2008.
11. Junior quilts receive participation ribbons, plus complimentary judging comments and award placement ribbons.
12. Junior entries are divided into two age group categories: "12 and under" and "13 to 17". Entrants must select an age group category.
13. Entry Description: On Page 2 of 6, please write a BRIEF history or comments of interest about your entry.

Categories

Age Group: 12 and under

1. Pieced: Small, Medium, Large
2. First Quilt: Small, Medium, Large
3. Wearable Art:
 Single Item - Size _____
 Ensemble/Dress - # of Pieces _____ Size _____
 Accessory

Age Group: 13 to 17

1. Pieced: Small, Medium, Large
2. First Quilt: Small, Medium, Large
3. Wearable Art:
 Single Item - Size _____
 Ensemble/Dress - # of Pieces _____ Size _____
 Accessory

Definitions of Categories:

1. Pieced: Piecing predominates over appliqué or other technique either in amount or effect.
2. First Quilt: Quilt must be the first quilt completed by an individual in the designated age group (i.e. 12 and under or 13 to 17).
3. Wearable Art:
Single Item (e.g. vest, jacket)
Ensemble/Dress
Accessory (e.g. purse, tote bag)

Definitions of Sizes:

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