

SIERRA QUILT GUILD OF TUOLUMNE COUNTY
Show Entry Instructions **Keep Page 1 & 2 – Turn in Pages 3 & 4**

SHOW DATES: Friday, September 15 through Saturday, September 16, 2023.

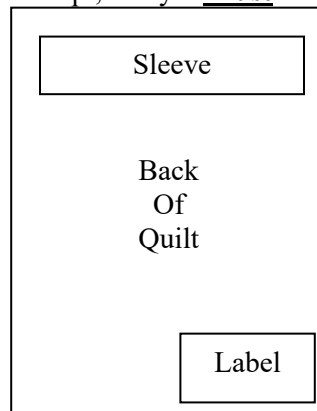
ENTRY FORM DEADLINE: August 14, 2023 (No entries will be accepted after this date).

QUILT DELIVERY (Intake) DATE: Thursday, September 14, 2023, between 8:00am and 11:00am at the Fairgrounds “John Muir Building”. **Entries must be completed prior to Intake.** You will be given an index card receipt, and you **must** bring it to pick up your entries.

QUILT RETURN: Quilts may be picked up Saturday, September 16, 2023, at **approximately 5:00 pm** at the Fairgrounds “Sierra Building”. *To avoid confusion* **NO ITEMS WILL BE RELEASED UNTIL ALL QUILTS HAVE BEEN TAKEN DOWN.** Bring your Index card receipt.

QUILT SLEEVE: All quilts **must** have a 4” wide sleeve stitched along the top of the back for hanging. **NO PINS PLEASE** – *sleeve must be securely stitched down along top and bottom edges.*

QUILT LABEL: *All quilts must have the owner’s name and address on the back.* Please use the label below for this. Label should be hand-stitched, to the lower right corner on the back of the quilt. Please bring your item folded with the label showing. **NO Safety Pins.**



IMPORTANT: Dimensions of the quilt are to be measured to the **nearest inch (not designated as king, queen, etc.)**. These details are to be included on **BOTH** the entry form and on the label. Note: It is the quilters responsibility to ensure all entries are: 1) complete, including the Quilt Priority #, and 2) have not been entered before.

QUILT PHOTOS: There are 3 options:

1. **Good Option:** Include photos of quilts (photos of unfinished tops are okay) so we can plan quilt placement in the show prior to setup (photos should be no larger than **5x7**, and in **color**. **Write your name, the name of the quilt and the dimensions on the back of the photo.** Photos will not be returned. Then mail the entry form, along with the picture, to the Post Office box (see page 4 for the address).
2. **Better Option:** Bring your quilt/top to the Guild Meeting in June, July, and August, and a digital picture will be taken. Have your entry form available to be turned in at this time. **You’re done, Easy!**
3. **Best Option:** Email your show entry form, along with a digital attachment (picture) of your quilt, making sure you provide enough information so I can identify the entry. Note: You may hand deliver or mail in the Entry Form, however **there is no need to mail in a picture if you have emailed it. You’re done, even easier!**

REMINDER: INDEX CARD RECEIPT REQUIRED TO RETRIEVE YOUR ENTERED ITEMS

Cut along line	Cut along line	Cut along line
<p>*Quilt Priority # _____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">LABEL</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Cut and hand-stitch to the lower right corner on the back of the quilt.</p> <p>NAME OF ENTRY _____</p> <p>NAME _____ PHONE _____</p> <p>ADDRESS _____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Dimensions: Width _____ inches & Length _____ inches</p>		

Quilt Category Descriptions

- ✓ A Child in Mind – a quilt designed and/or made specifically for a child (from infant to 18 years old).
- ✓ Art Quilts – Also known as mixed media or fiber arts quilt. They are an art form that may use both modern and traditional techniques. Mixed media is the use of more than one medium (such as fabric, paint, beads, threads). Fiber art is the use of a variety of fibers, which may include long, thin thread or yarn filaments, either natural or synthetic.
- ✓ Beginner Quilts – A category to encourage new quilters. Please limit this category to the first 3 quilts that you've completed.
- ✓ Handwork Quilts – a quilt where the majority of the techniques used are hand embroidery, hand applique, hand piecing, and/or hand quilting.
- ✓ Machine applique – a quilt where the majority of the technique used is machine applique.
- ✓ Panel quilts – a quilt design where the central design incorporates a panel (a design printed on fabric), that can be used as the entire piece, or cut up (fractured), and used in different areas of the quilt.
- ✓ Traditional Quilt – a quilt technique that frequently uses repeating shapes based on a grid, possibly symmetrical, with uniform borders and/or sashing. Color selection is usually planned and repetitive.
- ✓ Modern quilts – Definition from the Modern Quilt Guild: “uses asymmetry in the quilt design and relies less on repetition but rather the interaction of quilt block motifs, containing reinterpreted traditional blocks, embracing simplicity and minimalism. Modern quilts utilize alternative block structures and/or lacks visible block structure, and incorporates increased use of negative space, using modern art and architecture for inspiration; frequently using improvisational piecing, trendy color combinations and graphic prints.”
- ✓ Quilted Items – wearable art, 3D items – Clothing, hats, purses, pillows, and other items made using quilting techniques, as appropriate.
- ✓ Quilting – Stationary Machine-Free Motion – Quilting done by hand, by moving the fabric under the machine needle or by hand guiding the machine needle over the quilt. It may involve customized quilting for each quilt block or pieced shape. May include ruler work.
- ✓ Quilting – Computerized – Quilting accomplished by programming designs to be executed by a long arm or domestic machine and could involve edge to edge quilting (machine embroidery designs).
- ✓ Vintage Quilts - quilts over 50 years old.
- ✓ Bee challenges – quilts made according to challenge guidelines of a quilting bee, group of friends, or family members.
- ✓ Workshop projects – a quilt/project that is made according to our guild workshop.
- ✓ Guild Challenge – a project that has been designed around a particular concept and is open to guild members only. Not eligible for Viewer's Choice.
- ✓ Bed Turning Exhibit – large quilts, minimum of 60" X 70", up to a maximum of 100" X 100". Restricted to quilts that have won Viewer's Choice ribbons in our Guild, including Best of Show. This gives the public a chance to see past Viewer's Choice winners. Limited to the first 20 quilts entered, one entry per person.

2023 Show Entry Form

SUPPORT YOUR GUILD . . . Enter your quilt(s) and wearable art. Complete this entry form and return as soon as possible. Entry deadline: August 14, 2023.

EXHIBITOR: _____ **PHONE:** _____

ADDRESS: _____

CATEGORY OF ENTRY: (check which ONE best applies--Quilts are any size unless noted otherwise)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> A Child in Mind | <input type="checkbox"/> Art Quilts | <input type="checkbox"/> Beginner Quilts 1-3 quilts |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Handwork Quilts | <input type="checkbox"/> Panel Quilt (any size) | <input type="checkbox"/> Quilted Items-Wearable art-3d Items |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Machine Applique | <input type="checkbox"/> Modern Quilt (up to 45" Wide) | <input type="checkbox"/> Modern Quilt (Over 45" Wide) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Vintage Quilts | <input type="checkbox"/> Traditional Quilt (up to 45" Wide) | <input type="checkbox"/> Traditional Quilt (Over 45" Wide) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Quilting – Free Motion | <input type="checkbox"/> Quilting – Computerized (any size) | <input type="checkbox"/> Bee Challenges (any size) |

The 3 categories below are for display purposes and are not eligible for Viewer's Choice. Sleeves not required.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Workshop Projects (any size) | <input type="checkbox"/> Bed Turning Quilts (see details pg. 2) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Guild Challenge | |

Quilt Size (to the nearest inch): Width _____ inches & Length: _____ inches

NAME OF ENTRY: _____ ***Quilt Priority #** _____

Hand _____ / Machine _____ Quilted by _____

Hand _____ / Machine _____ Pieced by _____

Hand _____ / Machine _____ Appliquéd by _____

Is this your own personal original design? Yes _____ No _____

A BRIEF STORY/DESCRIPTION/PATTERN NAME/HISTORY OF ENTRY:

***NOTE: We will endeavor to hang all quilts, however if there are multiple entries from one Exhibitor, we will refer to your Quilt Priority # to determine the entries that can be accommodated. This number should correspond to the Quilt Priority# on the paper label affixed to the back of quilts. (See page 1)**

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RELEASE OF LIABILITY:

I understand that all possible care and effort will be made for the security of all articles in this show. I release the Sierra Quilt Guild, the Mother Lode Weavers and Spinners, and the Sierra Needle Artists from responsibility in the event of theft, loss, or damage.

Owner's Signature _____ Date _____

RETURN PAGES 3 & 4 OF ENTRY FORM AND QUILT PHOTO

(Unless a digital photo has been provided) TO:

SQG Show Entry
P.O. Box 43
Standard, CA 95373

OR

TURN IN AT OUR GENERAL MEETINGS ON *JUNE 12, JULY 10, OR AUGUST 14, 2023*

***** DEADLINE FOR ENTRIES: August 14, 2023 *****

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Questions? Call: Carol Scamara, 209-768-2472, with questions, or e-mail at cscamara@sbcglobal.net

Reminder! Anyone entering quilts in the show, or entering items into the boutique, is encouraged to volunteer their time during the quilt show to help with white gloves, security, ticket sales, opportunity quilt ticket sales, or in the boutique.

Please contact Lynn Blake, 209-770-3793, or e-mail at lynannb@gmail.com to volunteer to help.