

# AQG 2008 QUILT SHOW ENTRY AND DISPLAY RULES

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### Entry Rules

- ◆ ENTRY FORMS MUST BE POSTMARKED OR RECEIVED VIA E-MAIL TO [entries@azquiltersguild.org](mailto:entries@azquiltersguild.org) BY JANUARY 15, 2008. *THERE WILL BE NO EXCEPTIONS TO THIS DEADLINE.*
- ◆ Arizona Quilters Guild members do not pay an entry fee. Non-member entry fee is \$25.00 per quilt. The non-member entry fee is waived for Youth entries. Checks should be made payable to Arizona Quilters Guild and must accompany non-member entry forms which should be sent by U.S. Mail. Non-member entries cannot be submitted by email.
- ◆ Quilts may be constructed by one individual or by teams or groups.
- ◆ Quilts consist of three layers: top, batting, and back. All judged quilts must be quilted by hand or machine. Tied or tacked quilts will not be eligible for judging or awards with the exceptions of Crazy Quilts, Cathedral Windows and Yo-Yo quilts.
- ◆ All quilts must arrive clean and undamaged. Incomplete, torn, soiled or odorous items will not be accepted by the Judging/Intake Committee. If there is any question about odor, air the quilt outside before delivering.
- ◆ Entries mounted on wood stretcher bars or framed (wood or metal) with or without glass will not be accepted. No accompanying items will be hung with the quilts i.e. glass or ceramic, storyboards, photographs, etc.
- ◆ **Quilts must be labeled** with the maker's name and title of the quilt sewn on the **BOTTOM LEFT CORNER OF THE BACK** (as you face the back). This is for the exhibitor's protection.
- ◆ Entries must have been completed since January 1, 2006 and not shown in a previous AQG show. This restriction does not apply to Chapter shows. If the quilt was completed within the time frame and shown as "Display Only" in a previous AQG show, it may now be entered in a judged category.
- ◆ Each entry must have a single category indicated on the entry form. If in doubt about the proper category, please contact the Show Chair at [quiltshow@azquiltersguild.org](mailto:quiltshow@azquiltersguild.org) or call the AQG office, 602 220-9889. However, final category placement is the decision of the Judging/Intake Committee.
- ◆ Online entries are encouraged for AQG members only. Entry forms are available at [www.azquiltersguild.org](http://www.azquiltersguild.org). Please follow the online instructions. Email confirmations will be sent. If an entry form is submitted online, please DO NOT duplicate the same entry by hard copy/regular mail.
- ◆ A completed entry form and a PHOTOGRAPH (non-returnable) must be submitted for **each** entry, for record-keeping purposes. Label photograph with the title of the quilt and the name of the exhibitor. Entry forms will not be accepted without a photograph. Entry forms submitted online MUST include a digital or scanned photograph. If a digital or scanned photograph cannot be provided, the entry should be submitted in hard copy by regular U.S. Mail with a traditional photograph. The submitted photograph must be of a **COMPLETED** quilt top. Entry photographs of uncompleted quilt tops will be returned.
- ◆ **Only one entry per judged category is permitted.** Additional entries should be marked as "Display Only" and will be hung as space permits.
- ◆ The AQG Show Committee reserves the right to combine any categories receiving fewer than ten entries with a similar category. This may result in an entrant having more than one quilt in the combined category.
- ◆ A confirmation letter detailing acceptance, drop-off procedures and quilt sleeve construction will be sent by February 6, 2008. If you have not received the letter by February 13<sup>th</sup> or have questions regarding it, please contact the office at 602-220-9889 or email [quiltshow@azquiltersguild.org](mailto:quiltshow@azquiltersguild.org).

### Display Rules

- ◆ Quilts MUST have a 4" sleeve SEWN to the top back edge of the quilt. Quilts received with less than a 4" sleeve will be rejected at intake.
- ◆ If the quilt is greater than 85" in length, the top of the sleeve MUST be placed no higher than 85" from the bottom of the quilt.
- ◆ Directions for sleeve construction will be included with the confirmation letter.
- ◆ Miniatures should have a sleeve or loops appropriate to their size.
- ◆ Quilts must not be wider than 108" on the "sleeve" side.
- ◆ Challenge/Round Robin quilts will be displayed together. If you wish a challenge quilt to be judged, enter it in the appropriate judged category and note the Challenge/Round Robin group to which it is related.