



AR Village Quilt Show 2024

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2024 Quilt Show Rules

1. Quilt registration will begin April 1, 2024 and end on July 15, 2024. An entry consists of the completed form and the non-refundable entry fee. Entries should also include a full-view photo of the quilt. This is for identification purposes only. If the photo is not available when the entry is submitted it may be turned in with the quilt on September 23, 2024.
2. All quilts must consist of three layers: top, batting, backing and must be quilted through all three layers. Exception to this rule are quilts entered in the Miscellaneous category.
3. A maximum of 200 quilts will be accepted for the General Exhibit in the order in which they are received. Entry forms and non-refundable fee must be received by midnight, July 15, 2024. The Special Exhibit space is limited. The number of quilts that can be accepted will depend on the size of the quilts submitted. If this exhibit is full when your entry is received you will be notified.
4. If your entry cannot be completed in time for the show please give the committee that information as soon as possible. Our program will be complete by September 1, 2024.
5. The show committee reserves the right to combine and/or divide categories based on the number of entries.
6. If the quilt is not an original design, credit must be given to the designer.
7. All quilts must be clean and free of pet hair, smoke, or other strong odors.
8. No tied quilts are allowed in any category.

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9. False backs are not allowed, except in the Miscellaneous category. See definitions.
10. A label with quilter's name, address and phone number must be attached to the bottom right corner on the back of the quilt (the bottom right when you are looking at the back). The label must be covered with a piece of fabric attached with basting stitches so that identification is hidden during the judging process. No pins are allowed.
11. Quilt Hanging Sleeve
 - Each quilt must have a 4-inch hanging sleeve attached. If the quilt is longer than 90 inches, the hanging sleeve should be placed so the quilt will hang 90 inches from the floor. Excess of the quilt will be draped over the top of the pole.
 - Quilts without a proper hanging sleeve will be judged, but will not be hung in the show, nor given ribbon consideration.
 - AQS has a tutorial for attaching a sleeve.
<http://www.quiltweek.com/hanging-sleeve-instructions>
12. **Four** quilts may be entered by the same entrant.
13. **Entrant must have actively participated in the construction and/or quilting of the quilt. No third-party quilts will be allowed.**
14. All participants who worked on the quilt should be listed on the entry form. The exception is the Group category where many people may have participated.
15. Quilt insurance is the responsibility of the entrant.
16. Quilt must be completed after September 24th, 2022.
17. Entry Fees:
 - A member of any Arkansas Quilt Guild - \$10 per quilt OR \$25 for three quilt entries, OR \$35 for four entries.
 - A member is defined as a paid member of their guild in good standing on April 1, 2024.
 - Non-member - \$20 per quilt
 - From Generation to Generation exhibit – no fee
18. The Best of Show award will be selected from the first place winners in each category except the BOM/Kit category and Generation to Generation exhibit.
19. Decisions of the judge(s) are final.

20. At “turn in” each quilt must be in a fabric pillowcase with the entrant’s name, address, and phone number clearly marked on the pillowcase. The quilt should easily slide into its pillowcase. You can use an old pillowcase or make a pillowcase style fabric case. **Quilts in plastic or paper cases will not be accepted.**
21. Quilt turn in will be from 1:30-4:00 on Monday, September 23rd, 2024. Location will be announced at a later date.
22. Entrants planning on shipping quilts will be contacted after the registration form is accepted. Shipping, both to and from the show, is the responsibility of the entrant. Also, shipping insurance is the responsibility of the entrant. Shipped quilts will be returned the week following the show.
23. Quilt pick up will take place at 5:00 PM on Saturday, September 28, 2024.

DEFINITIONS:

Perimeter: The sum total of all sides of the quilt.

False back: After the majority of quilting is completed, a final layer is added that shows minimal or no quilting.

Original Design: A design that does not copy the work of another designer, or quilt maker. Displays a new and unusual concept, layout, pattern, and/or design that has not been done before; shows a unique approach in style or design exclusive to the quilt maker.

Three-layer rule: Having three layers: top, batting, and backing.