North Pittsburgh Quilters Guild Let's Go Crazy

April 19 - 21, 2024

Ross Township Community Center 1000 Ross Municipal Drive, Pittsburgh, PA 15237 npqg.org

Is this piece to be judged? Yes No Is this piece for sale? Yes No

ENTRY APPLICATION	(please	print all	information	clearly
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Name		NPQG Member Yes No					
Address							
City	State	Zip Phone _					
Email							
Title of Quilt			oleted				
Size of Quilt Width	Length	Total perimeter					
Maker(s) of Quilt (please credit everyone who worked on this quilt)							
Top constructed by		Quilted by					

Category: Select only ONE - See General Rules on the accompanying page

- o Large Bed Quilt (King, Queen), SOLO, any technique
- o Large Bed Quilt (King, Queen), COMBINED product of 2 or more persons, any technique
- o Small Bed Quilt (Lap, Crib), SOLO, any technique
- o Small Bed Quilt (Lap, Crib), COMBINED product of 2 or more persons, any technique
- Large Wall Quilt, SOLO, any technique
- Large Wall Quilt, COMBINED product of 2 or more persons, any technique
- o Small Wall Quilt, SOLO, any technique
- o Small Wall Quilt, COMBINED product of 2 or more persons, any technique
- o Modern, any size, any technique
- o Art / Innovative, any size, any technique
- Theme / Crazy Quilt, any sizes, any technique
- o Creative youth (18 years or younger), any size, any technique

Entries may exceed the number of quilts that can be hung and we may need to limit entries. If you are submitting more than 1 quilt, please rank your preference for hanging this quilt below.

I am submitting (circle) 1 2 3 quilt/s in total. This quilt is my (circle) 1st. 2nd 3rd choice to be hung.

Quilting Method, Select ONE: Hand Home Sewing Machine Longarm / Track mounted Machine

Registration Checklist:

- o Entry form: please submit one entry form per quilt, limit 3 entries per person
- A self-addressed stamped envelope, for acceptance/drop off information. If entering more than one quilt, one envelope will suffice for all.
- A full front view photo, labeled with the name of the entrant, name of quilt and quilt dimensions written on the back of the photo (need not be quilted for photo)
- o \$13 entry Fee: Make checks payable to NPQG. Members get 1 Free entry.
- o Provide a brief description of your quilt including inspirations design, teacher, pattern name, etc.

Send this entry form and check to Sandra Schott, 170 Renfer St. Pittsburgh, PA 15237.

Entry Deadline: March 20, 2024. All entries must be postmarked or emailed by this date. Note: You will receive, via your SASE, notification of acceptance, instructions for and location of quilt drop off, participant ribbon and pre-numbered quilt labels which must be affixed to your quilts prior to drop off.

Method of return:	Hold for pickup after show	Return by UPS	Return by US Mail						
Shipping cost is to be prepaid by quilt owner, including amount of insurance.									
I agree to abide by all guidelines stated in the application, general rules and information.									
Signature		-	Date						

Brief Description of Quilt (100 words or less): - Use additional paper if necessary

GENERAL RULES AND INFORMATION for Let's Go Crazy, 2024 Quilt Show,

- 1. Limit of three (3) quilts per entrant. All entries will be juried and judged, unless specified otherwise.
- 2. Each entry must be entered in ONE category

Large Bed Quilt (more than 300" perimeter), SOLO, any technique

Large Bed Quilt (more than 300" perimeter), COMBINED - product of 2 or more persons, any technique

Small Bed Quilt (up to 299" perimeter), SOLO, any technique

Small Bed Quilt (up to 299" perimeter), COMBINED, any technique

Large Wall Quilt, SOLO, (more than 200" perimeter), any technique, intended to be displayed on a wall

Large Wall Quilt, COMBINED (more than 200" perimeter), - product of 2 or more persons, any technique, intended to be displayed on a wall

Small Wall Quilt, SOLO, (up to 199" perimeter), any technique, intended to be displayed on a wall

Small Wall Quilt, COMBINED - (up to 199" perimeter), product of 2 or more persons, any technique, intended to be displayed on a wall

Modern, any size - The quilt may include, but is not limited to, the use of bold / solid colors, improvisational piecing, minimalism, expansive negative space and alternate grid work using modern quilting techniques.

Art / Innovative, any size - The quilt is non-traditional in construction or design such as the use of painting, photo transfer, significant amounts of embellishments, or unusual material. Not subject to traditional quilting techniques.

Creative youth - Any quilt made by a youth 18 years or younger.

Theme/Let's Go Crazy: This is a stand-alone category. Quilts in this category may not be entered in any other category. Quilts in this category may be fully traditional crazy quilt or a modification, reinterpretation or update of crazy quilting. All styles welcome. **Quilts in this category may be quilted or tied.** Judge will receive special instructions for this category. Based on entries received, this category may be sub-divided.

- 3. All entries must be quilted, **except quilts in the Theme/Crazy and Art/Innovative categories.** A quilted entry consists of three layers: a fabric top; a layer of batting or other material, and a backing, either hand or machine stitched through all three layers throughout the entry. Do not submit tied entries or entries constructed entirely in two layers techniques (such as Cathedral Window).
- 4. All entries must have been completed within the last 5 years between 2019 2024. Quilts entered in previous NPQG shows will not be considered.
- 5. All entry applications must be received no later than March 20, 2024. Applications received after that date will be returned unopened. Mail early.
- 6. All entries must be clean and free from animal hair or smoke odor. A 4" hanging sleeve must be sewn on the quilt. A cloth label with the name and address of the entrant must be sewn on the back left hand corner.
- 7. Shipping costs to and from the show are the responsibility of the entrant. Quilt drop off details will be included in your acceptance notification.
- 8. NPQG reserves the right to re-assign any entry or to eliminate a category.
- 9. Entry fees will not be returned. NPQG reserves the right to reject any entry at show time if we find the rules were not followed.
- 10. Security will be provided 24 hours a day during the show. Insurance during the show will be provided by NPQG. Large quilts valued at more than \$500 and small quilts valued at more than \$100 required an attached written appraisal. In addition to NPQG show insurance coverage, you should check with your insurance agent to make sure that your quilt is covered under your homeowners' policy while on display. Some companies require a temporary rider on the policy and others cover it while away from home for short periods of time.
- 11. Sale inquiries about your quilt will be given to you when your quilt is returned to you on Sunday.
- 12. Show hours: Friday 10 am 5 pm and Saturday 10 am 5 pm, Sunday, Noon 4 pm. Admission is \$10.00.
- 13. Entries made or quilted by winners of National awards will not be eligible for "Best Of" ribbons.