



OFFICIAL QUILT ENTRY RULES

Boise Basin Quilters Guild

2024 Quilt Show

Theme: "Leap Into Quilting"

September 27-28, 2024

**PLEASE READ THESE
INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY**



GENERAL

- 1) A quilt shall be composed of three layers: a top, batting (filler) and a backing and be hand and/or machine stitched.
Backing/Batting Exceptions: Category 1900 - Other Techniques By One or More
- 2) Each maker (entrant) may enter only 1 (one) quilt per judged category.
No limits on Category 2400-2600 (Non-Judged-Exhibit Only).
- 3) Quilts displayed in previous BBQ shows cannot be entered. The finished quilt must have been completed within two years at the time of the show (after September 30, 2022.)
- 4) Quilts must be in clean and excellent condition. They must be free of all stains, pet hairs, lint, and **odors**. When evidence of **pet hair, lint, or odors** is identified, the quilt **will be isolated without being judged or shown**. No entry fee will be refunded.
- 5) No quilts larger than 110" by 110". See specific [Categories](#) for smaller size requirements.
- 6) Quilts will be folded during processing.
- 7) To ensure fairness in judging, you must check the appropriate boxes on the Entry Form. Note that all kitted quilts (or equivalents = **A quilt made faithfully following a designer's pattern and following the designer's color way using your own fabrics is considered a kit**) are to be entered into the Category 100 WORKMANSHIP and could be disqualified if entered into any other category. WORKMANSHIP quilts ARE NOT eligible for Best of Show.
- 8) The decision for the category entered is the sole responsibility of the maker (entrant). Quilt may **not** be moved by an entrant to another category after the entry form is processed. Any quilt in the wrong category will not be judged and no entry fee will be refunded. However, the Quilt Show Committee and/or the judges reserve the right to divide or combine categories, move entries to a more appropriate category or not display a quilt deemed inappropriate for the show. Judges' decisions regarding awards are final.
- 9) Unless otherwise stated in a category, quilt perimeters should not exceed 440 inches, that is no more than 110 inches per side. The perimeter is the outside measurement of the quilt. For a rectangular quilt, (width + length) X 2 = perimeter. (Please be accurate with your measurements.)
- 10) Our pipe-and-drape exhibit can accommodate quilts up to 88" long and 105" wide. Longer/wider quilts **will be folded** to hang.
- 11) Quilts longer than 88" must have a 4" sleeve on bottom back so a rod can be inserted to keep the quilt from laying on the floor. Feel free to attach sleeve by hand stitching or with safety pins.
- 12) **AGAIN THIS YEAR! – Quilts for Sale** If you wish to sell your quilt, indicate yes on the entry form and state the price. BBQ will collect 15% of the sales price. Allow 2 weeks to receive your proceeds.

ENTRIES AND FEES

- 1) There are four (4) different ways to enter a quilt.
 - a) “Judged” Entry: Categories 100-2000, 2200, and 2300
 - b) “Youth” Entry: Category 2100 (**entrant making the quilt must be no older than 17 years of age at the time of the Quilt Show**)
 - c) “Exhibit Only” Entry: Categories 2400 and 2600
 - d) “Small Group Challenge” = Category 2500
NOTE: All group challenge quilts must be turned in together as a group. Each quilt must have its own entry form. One person should physically deliver the quilts and will pay one fee for the whole group.
- 2) Entry Fees (non-refundable)
 - a) **Youth Entry** – Category 2100 - there is no fee for a youth quilt. Only one quilt per maker may be entered.
 - b) **BBQ Members**
 - i) **Judged**: Each maker (entrant) may enter **only one quilt per category**. The fee is \$5.00 per quilt.
 - ii) **Exhibit Only** - Category 2400 and 2600 - There is no limit on the number of quilts you enter in these categories. No fee required for guild members. Category 2500 Small Group challenge entries are entered by one person who pays no fee if they are a member of the guild.
 - c) **Non-Members** - ALL adult entries: The entry fee is \$40 per first entry and \$10 per quilt after that first entry in all categories, including “Small Group Challenge” Category 2500 and “Exhibit Only” Category 2400-2600. (If no members of the Small Group are guild members, the fee is one fee of \$40 for the entire group entry.)
- 3) Quilts with ‘false backs’ will be accepted for “Exhibit Only.” In the Judged categories the quality and workmanship on a quilt must be evaluated from both the front and back without barriers, i.e. backing paper, cloth, etc. Framed work will not be accepted.
Backing/Batting Exceptions: Category 1900 Other Techniques By One or More where quilting is not traditional, i.e. Crazy Quilts, Yo-Yo Quilts, etc.

ENTRY FORMS

- 4) Every effort will be made to judge all quilts entered for judging. Due to time constraints, all ENTRY FORMS (no quilts) must be received before or on **August 15, 2024**. Quilt submission not required until September 23, 2024. (see #6 on page 3).
- 5) **Every entry whether printed or downloaded must include:**
 - a) A fully completed and signed entry form indicating;
 - i) **Category Number**: For category descriptions, [CLICK HERE](#). **Please read** the descriptions carefully and if there are any questions as to the appropriate category, contact Vicki Francis. (see page 3).
 - ii) **Physical size**: Refer to the definitions for each category to determine appropriate category. The perimeter is the outside measurement of the quilt. For a rectangular quilt, (width plus length) X 2 = perimeter. Please be accurate with your measurements.
 - iii) Quilt Label should be attached to bottom, left-side on back of quilt. Find quilt label [HERE](#).
 - iv) Type of Quilting: see information on quilt label.

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- b) Entry fee must accompany entry form.
 - c) A COLOR Photo of each quilt must be included. For identification and security purposes, no entry form will be accepted without a photo.
 - i) **PRINTED SUBMISSIONS: A Color Photo 4" x 6"** of the quilt top **must be attached** to every paper form. Please indicate "TOP" of quilt on printed photo.
 - ii) **ONLINE SUBMISSIONS:** The online form requires a color photo upload.
 - d) The completed entry form(s) and photos **must** be submitted on or before the **August 15, 2024** membership meeting. Completed form(s) can be mailed to Jennifer Price – (see address below). Quilts will be received separately, see #6 **Quilt Take-in'** below.
- 6) **QUILT TAKE-IN: NO LATE QUILTS WILL BE ACCEPTED – NO EXCEPTIONS**
- a) NO quilts will be accepted at the September general meeting.
 - b) Quilt take-in is **September 23, 2024**.
 - c) Quilts **will be** accepted:
 - i) On Monday, **September 23, 2024**, at "Western Town," Expo Idaho, 5610 N Glenwood St. Boise, ID 83714 between the hours of **12:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.**
Western Town is located at Expo Idaho behind the quilt show venue
(Free parking is available at Western Town)
If you are unable to bring your quilt to Expo Idaho at this time,
please make arrangements for someone to bring it for you.
 - ii) Shipped **quilts** must be received by **September 20, 2024**, to Jennifer Price (see address below) with required paper label attached as per directions on label sheet. In addition, return shipping label and insurance fees **MUST** also be provided if the quilt will not be picked up in person on **September 28** (see Quilt pick-up, #7 below).
- 7) **Quilt pick-up** will be on Saturday, **September 28**, between **6pm & 7pm**. **The person picking up the quilt must present the claim check identifying the quilt. If you do not have your claim check receipt, you must wait until all other entries have been picked up before your request will be processed and your entry returned to you.**

CONTACTS:

General questions: Jennifer Price 951-532-9138 quiltshow@boisebasinquilters.org

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