

2023 HSQG Quilt Show Entry Rules and Definitions

RULES:

1. **Deadline for submission of entry forms is January 19, 2023. No late entries accepted. Completed entry forms must include photo and hang tag statement and be received by January 19th. Be cautious of the deadline if mailing.**
2. You must have a current HSQG membership to enter.
3. The entry must have been made by the guild member in whole or part.
4. You may enter only one quilt *per judged category*. Judged quilt entries must not have been judged in any other HSQG show.
5. You may enter multiple quilts for *Display* (not judged.) Entries will be accepted on a space-available basis.
6. The Show and Design Chairs reserve the right to limit the number of quilts per person if necessary.
7. A color photo must be submitted with your entry form; 3 x 5 to 4 x 6 only, cut to this size. Write your name, quilt name, width and length on the back of the photo. The Design Committee will assign hanging space using your photo.
8. An entry will be rejected if it is not clean and free of smoke odors and pet hair.
9. All quilts must have a 4-inch hanging sleeve **sewn** to the back of the quilt. Small quilts can use a 2 inch sleeve.
10. Quilts must have a label with quilter's name and quilt name, sewn on. If the quilt is being judged, the quilter's name must be covered with fabric secured by basting or safety pins.
11. **All entries** must be brought to the **Ethel Berger Center, 2950 E. Tacoma**, on Wednesday, March 1st, from 9:00 - 11:00 am. The Committee will be responsible for getting all quilts to Buena High School on Friday.
12. All entries must be picked up on Sunday, March 5th, from 3:45 – 4:30 pm with the receipt you are given at check-in.
13. The show chairs may re-categorize any entry to comply with the definitions.
14. All quilts purchased at the show will pay the Guild a 10% handling fee as per the bylaws.
15. Entry forms must be turned in to Georgia Mastin at any meeting or mailed to her home. (see roster)
16. **Please don't submit an entry unless you are sure it will be ready for the show!**

CATEGORY DEFINITIONS:

Pieced: A quilt that is more than 50% pieced.

Appliqued: A quilt that is more than 50% appliqued.

Mixed Techniques: A quilt that contains more than one technique in **equal amounts**.

Group: A quilt made by three or more people.

Non-traditional: A quilt created as a work of art, reflecting innovative construction techniques, subject matter and/or materials and using no commercial pattern.

Machine Embroidery: A quilt that is more than 50% machine embroidered, all sizes.

Hand Quilted: Quilts of all sizes and techniques that are hand quilted. (You may also enter hand quilted items in other categories.)

Modern: Any techniques may be used but quilts in this category must feature at least one of the following criteria:

- 1) a significant amount of negative space, 2) dense graphic quilting, 3) the majority of fabrics used should read as solid.

Other: Techniques not listed such as yo-yo, cathedral window, whole cloth and tied, apparel and home décor.

(Rigid framed quilts may not contain glass and may not be larger than 48 inches.)

2023 AWARDS:

Awarded by the judge:

- First, Second, Third and Honorable Mention ribbons as earned for each category
- Exemplary Hand Quilting, Exemplary Computer Assisted Machine Quilting, Exemplary Free Motion Machine Quilting
- Best Modern Quilt, Best Use of Color, Best of Show, Judge's Choice

Awarded based on the quilt show attendee votes: Viewer's Choice Ribbons

Awarded by the Quilt Show Chair: HSQG Heart Award