

27th Annual Asheville Quilt Show

August 7- 9, 2009

at



Proudly presented by

The Asheville Quilt Guild



Theme "Carolina Blues"

Show hours:

Friday, August 7 — 9:00-5:00

Saturday, August 8 — 9:00-5:00

Sunday, August 9 — 10:00-5:00

The Show is located at The North Carolina Arboretum, Asheville, North Carolina

From I-26—Exit 33 South onto Route 191 S. Entrance is 2 miles on right.

From Blue Ridge Parkway—Mile marker 393 (Route 191) to entrance of Arboretum on left

For more information go to www.ashevillequiltguild.org

More than \$6,000 in Prize Money

Special Cash Awards

Best of Show
Outstanding Hand Workmanship
Outstanding Machine Workmanship
Best Theme Quilt
Best First Quilt
Viewers' Choice
Cranston Award

Calendar of Events

July 1 Deadline for quilt show entries
July 6-17 Shipped quilts must arrive between these dates
July 22 Hand-delivered quilts due at the NC Arboretum Visitor's Education Center, between 9 am and 2 pm
July 23-24 Quilt judging
August 6 6:00 pm - Awards Presentation and Opening Reception
August 7-9 Asheville Quilt Show
August 9 5:30 pm - Quilt pick up at the NC Arboretum Visitor's Education Center

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Quilt Show Rules

- **Please read the following rules and category definitions thoroughly.** Some rules, definitions and categories may have changed since your last entry.
- Any group or individual is eligible to enter. All entrants receive a free pass to the quilt show.
- Entries for judging must have been completed after 1/1/07 and not previously entered in the Asheville Quilt Show.
- Entry limited to one (1) entry per category and two (2) categories per person with the exception of category 13. This includes "Exhibit Only". The Quilt Show committee reserves the right to change the category of your quilt up until it is judged.
- Entry fee is \$10 per quilt. Exception: Current members of the AQG and Young Designer entrants, no fee.
- Entry must have three (3) layers (top, batting, and backing) with the exception of category 15.
- Entry must be quilted, not tied, with the following exceptions: Young Designer category and Crazy Quilts.
- Entry must have a label on the back with the quilt name, maker's name and address.
- **Label must have a temporary cover attached with safety pins.**
- **All quilts must have a sleeve**, with an opening of four (4) or more inches, attached to the top back of the quilt. Top of sleeve must not be more than 90 inches from the bottom of the quilt. Sleeves on miniatures must be at least 2 inches.
- Quilts made from kits will not be accepted.
- The AQG reserves the right to refuse and assumes no liability for entries that require special handling. NO fragile embellishment, special hanging apparatus, frames, etc. NO strong odors, e.g. smoke or mothballs. **With the exception of Miniatures, quilts must be able to be folded.**
- If you wish to sell your quilt during the Show, please state sale price. AQG charges a **20% commission** and will handle the sale.
- All entries may be considered for the Theme Award. The 2009 theme is "Carolina Blues".
- All entries must hang for the duration of the show.
- The Quilt Show Committee reserves the right to return entries not meeting quilt show rules. You will be notified if your item is not accepted.

Category Definitions

Definitions apply to the maker of the quilt.

Professional: Entrant who has taught quilting for a fee on a regular basis, published books on quilting, made money from quilting services or won top prize monies at a quilt competition.

Non-Professional: Entrant who does not meet any of the other category definitions.

Group or Team Quilt: 2 or more persons creating a quilt - exception: quilting services (see category 13).

Young Designer: Entrant is 16 years of age **or under**. Construction of top and quilting must be primarily the work of the entrant. Minimal assistance by an adult is acceptable.

Quilting Service: If you paid a quilting service, your quilt must be entered in this category.

Wearable Art: Individual articles of wearable art (vest, jacket, coat or hand bag for example) made using any quilt making technique.

Large Quilt: 115" (length plus width) or larger.

Small Quilt: less than 115" (length plus width).

Entry Categories

Professional

1. Pieced, Large
2. Pieced, Small
3. Appliqué/Mixed, Large
4. Appliqué/Mixed, Small

Non-Professional

5. Pieced, Large
6. Pieced, Small
7. Appliqué/Mixed, Large
8. Appliqué/Mixed, Small

9. **Art Quilt** - quilts created using quilt making techniques displaying an original nontraditional design and/or materials, with fabric as the primary medium.
10. **Miniature** - all aspects of the quilt are in reduced scale. Must not exceed 24" on any side. If the quilt is composed of blocks, they must not exceed 4".
11. **Group or Team** - excludes paid service.
12. **Juvenile** - quilt made for a child.
13. **Quilting Service** - paid service ineligible for Best of Show or Best Machine or Hand Workmanship. Show Committee reserves the right to limit entries in this category if limited space is an issue.
14. **Young Designer** - 16 and under in age.
15. **Wearable Art**
16. **Exhibit Only** - quilt will hang in the show but will not be judged.

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Entry Form

Deadline for mailing completed entry form and applicable fees to address below: July 1, 2009

A separate entry form, non-refundable entry fee of \$10.00 per quilt for non-members, check made out to Asheville Quilt Guild, and a color photograph of your quilt are **required** for each item entered. Photo printed on regular copy paper is acceptable. Photocopies of this form are permitted. **Please print a copy of your completed entry form for your records.**

Entrant's Name _____ AQG Member? Yes No
Street _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Email _____ Home Phone _____ Cell _____
Who constructed this quilt? _____ Construction Method: Handwork Machine
Who quilted it? _____ Quilting Method: Hand quilting Machine quilting Paid Service
Names of others who worked on the quilt _____
Is this your First Quilt? Yes No Consider your quilt for the Theme Award? Yes No
Name of quilt _____
Category (Circle One) 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16
Year completed _____ Size of quilt (inches) _____ Width _____ Length _____
Pattern/Design Source _____
Is this quilt for sale? Yes No Sale price \$ _____
Entrant's statement for the show program (**please limit to 25 words or less**) _____

I wish to enter the quilt named and described above and agree to abide by the rules and procedures of the Asheville Quilt Show. Although the utmost care will be taken of these quilts and security will be on hand, neither the Asheville Quilt Guild, nor any other sponsors, The NC Arboretum, nor the Show Committee will be held responsible for loss or damage to quilts. I understand that my signature below gives AQG the right to use a photo of it in any show publications, advertisements, or promotional materials.

Entrant's signature

Date

Please check all that apply:

My entry is to be: Hand delivered Shipped

My entry is to be: Picked up Shipped back

Shipping Method - Prepaid:

UPS US Postal Service Other

I have enclosed the following:

- Completed entry form. One form per entry.
- Check for \$10.00 per quilt (non-members only)
- A non-returnable **color** photograph of the quilt (no slides). Color photo printed on regular copy paper is acceptable.

Mail all of the above to:

Robin Brooks
99 Upper Moffitt Road
Asheville, NC 28805

quiltshow@bellsouth.net

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Quilt Delivery, Pick-up and Return Instructions

To ship your quilt to us:

1. Send quilt(s) in a returnable box - No Foam Peanuts
2. Enclose "Mail Return Check List" (below)
3. Enclose completed **Prepaid** Shipping Labels (both "TO" and "FROM")
4. Enclose pre-addressed, stamped postcard that will be returned when we receive your quilt(s).
5. All mailed quilts **must be received no earlier than July 6 and no later than July 17**. Quilts received after July 17 will be returned unopened.
6. All quilts must have a **sleeve**. Please refer to Quilt Show Rules.

Mail your quilt(s) to: **Sue Mueller**
9 White Oak Road
Asheville, NC 28803

If AQG is shipping your quilt back to you, it will be shipped within two days after the show closes.

Mail Return Check List

Enclose this form and return shipping labels in the box with your quilt(s).

Please specify your prepaid shipping preference - Prepaid UPS Prepaid USPS Prepaid FedEx
Enclose completed return shipping labels USPS, UPS or FedEx.

Optional: Insure quilt(s) for \$_____ (include proper prepaid and completed forms).

Quilt Name _____

Quilt Maker's Name _____

Address _____

City, State and Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

To deliver your quilt by hand:

Fill out the "Hand Delivery Quilt Receipt" (below) and bring it, along with your quilt(s), to the North Carolina Arboretum Visitor Education Center on **July 22 between 9 am and 2 pm**.

Please note: There is **No Arboretum Parking Fee** for people delivering quilts on this date.

To pick up your quilt by hand:

Each quilt must be picked up with the "Hand Delivery Quilt Receipt" (below) or postcard (see #4 above) on Sunday, August 9, after 5:30 pm at the North Carolina Arboretum Visitor Education Center. Judge's critiques, prize money/products may be picked up at the Asheville Quilt Guild Membership table at any time during the quilt show. Unclaimed prize monies will be mailed. No products will be mailed.

Hand Delivery Quilt Receipt

Complete one receipt per quilt and bring with you when you drop off your quilts.

Quilt Name _____

Quilt Maker _____

Do Not Write Below This Line

Quilt Number: _____

Quilt Received by: _____

Quilt Returned to: _____