

**MOUNTAIN PIECEMAKERS QUILT GUILD RULES
FOR THE 2018 QUILT SHOW**

(Modified 7/7/18)

**Challenge Quilt Theme
“My Favorite Destination”**

Quilt Show Purpose:

Share the love of quilting with the public by displaying our works in a public place; offer information, inspiration and encouragement, to those who wish to start quilting; share information about our guild and encourage new people to join; and sell tickets for our raffle quilt.

The show also provides a venue for members to sell entered items. **Every Guild Member is encouraged to enter a quilt.**

Entry Categories:

- **Challenge Quilts** must be no smaller than 12” x 12” and no larger than 24” x 24”. Square or rectangular quilts are acceptable. A sleeve on the back is not necessary. Challenge Quilts do need a label with the maker’s name, title of the quilt and date made. Each member is allowed to enter one (1) challenge quilt.
- **Large Bed Quilts** may be Twin (68” x 89”), Full/Double (84” x 89”), Queen (90” x 94”) or King (98” x 106” Please no Kings over 100”x110”). These are the standard sizes for bed quilts. If your quilt is over by up to 2 inches, we will still accept your application.
- **Small Quilts** may be throws, lap or baby quilt sizes.
- **Wall Quilts** may be any shape and may be any size up to 50 inches.
- **Fiber Arts** items may be any shape and any size up to 50 inches. Must be primarily fabrics and must be similar in construction to a quilt (fabrics with or without batting) with any added embellishments, techniques, materials, etc.

Entry Rules:

- In addition to a Challenge Quilt, each member may enter two (2) items, one of which may be a bed quilt. Additional entries may be submitted and will be accepted if space is available. If space restrictions require, you will be notified of entries that cannot be displayed. You are asked to number your quilts in order of your preference for display. Challenge quilts will be a separate category and will not be considered one of your entries. You must complete an entry form for your challenge quilt. Each member is allowed to enter one (1) challenge quilt. **All entry applications should include a photo of your quilt.**
- All quilts must be pieced, appliqué or dye painted quilts with the exception of whole cloth quilts. (No Cheater Panels).
- All quilts must be clean and free of pet hair, stains and odors (including dryer sheet fragrance).
- All exhibited items may not have been shown at this show before and must have been finished in the past three (3) years.
- All quilt entries, except Challenge Quilts and Fiber Arts items, must have a three-inch or larger sleeve on the back of the quilt for hanging. All entries must have a label sewn on the back with the maker’s name, title of the quilt and date made.
- Winners of ribbons for each category are determined by Viewers' Choice votes only.

Deadline Rules for the Show:

- **All applications** for quilts to be included in the show must be received by **July 15, 2018**.
- **All completed quilts** must be delivered to the Town Center on **August 1, 2018 between 9:00 am and 12:00 noon**.
- All exhibit items will be picked up from the Town Center on **August 4, 2018 between 4:30 – 6:00 pm**. Please pick up your own items or give someone else written permission to do that for you. Items not picked up will be taken home by a member of the quilt committee, and you will be responsible for picking your item up from them.

Additional Rules for the Show:

- **Anyone with quilts in the show must work at least one half day at a festival or one half day at the quilt show.**
- Sales of quilts are the responsibility of the quilt owner. If your quilt is for sale you must provide the Admission Table staff with a phone number to reach you. You will be called to come meet a prospective buyer, and it is your responsibility to do the sale yourself. If a quilt is sold during the Quilt Show, it must remain in the show, and may be picked up between **4:30pm and 6:00pm** on the last day of the show.
- If a Quilt is sold during the Quilt Show, 15% of the sale price will be given to the Town Center by the Seller of the Quilt.
- Admission is \$3.00. Members do not pay, but other family members do. Children under 13 are free.
- **Members must not sell their previously assigned raffle tickets at the show.**

Please read these rules carefully and if there are any questions, please call Myrna Stephens at 682-7472 or email to mmstephens2@gmail.com. This will prevent confusion and problems for the Quilt Show committee as some requirements may differ from previous years.