



20<sup>th</sup> Biennial

# 2018 Quilt Entry Instructions

## ENTRANT INFORMATION

Name			
Address	City	State	Zip
Phone	Email		WMQG Member? Y / N
Quilt Name			

## QUILT INFORMATION

Top Made by <i>(list all)</i>	
Source of pattern <i>(Book, Magazine, Traditional Block, Original Design)</i>	
Quilted by <i>(list all)</i>	Size (WxL)
If Digitized: Pattern Name & Designer	
Appraised Quilt Value*	

\* If your quilt is not appraised, please use cost of materials and, if applicable, long-arming cost.

### Categories *(choose one)*

Judged \_\_\_\_\_ Exhibition Only \_\_\_\_\_ Youth \_\_\_\_\_ Special Exhibit \_\_\_\_\_

### If your quilt is to be judged, please answer the following 3 questions:

#### 1. How many people were involved in making this quilt? *(check one)*

- \_\_\_\_\_ INDIVIDUAL (one person completed all techniques used in making this quilt)
- \_\_\_\_\_ TWO-PERSON (two people completed all the techniques used in making quilt)
- \_\_\_\_\_ GROUP (a quilt made by more than 2 people; i.e. block exchanges & round robins)

#### 2. How is it quilted? *(check one)*

\_\_\_\_\_ Hand Quilted (completely) \_\_\_\_\_ Machine Quilted (can have some hand quilting)

#### 3. If an individual or two-person quilt, circle the one category that best describes it:

- A. KIT QUILT Regardless of technique, any quilts made from pre-packaged commercial/store kit, kits purchased for class project, Block of the Month pattern, pre-printed red work, etc.
- B. PIECED - Piecing predominates over other techniques in amount and/or effect.
- C. APPLIQUÉ - Appliqué predominates over other techniques in amount and/or effect.
- D. MIXED - a quilt made with an even amount of piecing and appliqué in developing design.
- E. OTHER - a quilt made with special techniques, such as whole cloth, embroidery, novelty technique such as cathedral windows, crazy quilt or yo-yo.
- F. FIRST-TIME ENTRANT - The top maker has not entered a judged quilt show; any technique.
- G. MODERN - A quilt with 2 or more of the following features: Large-scale design, use of negative/blank space, simplicity, solid colors or large-scale prints and/or improv. piecing.
- H. MINIATURE - All aspects of design must be reduced in size, and can't measure more than 24"x24".
- I. ART-PICTORIAL - A quilt designed and made solely by the maker to represent a person, place or thing. No commercial patterns. Can be two or more layers.
- J. ART-ABSTRACT - A quilt designed and made solely by entrant to represent a thought or emotion, or is non-representational. No commercial patterns. Can be two or more layers.

### Description for Show book and display card

**Photo Release** - WMQG has permission to use my quilt in it's advertising this show or future shows, and/or including in a Photo CD: Yes / No.

**Mail this completed form along, with a photo, no later than July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018**

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**KEEP THIS SECTION FOR FUTURE REFERENCE  
TO REMEMBER DATES, TIMES AND QUILT NAME**

NAME OF QUILT ENTERED \_\_\_\_\_

## GENERAL INFORMATION

West Michigan Quilters' Guild has sponsored a charity based quilt show every other year for 40 years. WMQG hires NACQJ judges to evaluate the judged quilts. Written comments forms will be returned to the entrant after the show. Ribbons/Awards are given at the discretion of the judges. Judged entries are eligible for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and Honorable Mention ribbons in their qualifying category. In addition, all judged entries will be eligible for Best of Show (Large) or Best of Show Medium/Small, Best Hand Quilting or Best Machine Quilting, Best Appliqué, Best Pieced, Judges' Recognition, and Viewer's Choice.

## ENTRY RULES

1. Due to constraints, we must limit the show to the first 250 judged entries or entry forms postmarked by July 1, 2018, whichever comes first. Entries with postmarks after that date may be returned. If the number of entries received with the proper postmark date exceeds the maximum of 250 quilts, priority will be given to WMQG members.
2. All entries must have a completed entry form (one quilt per form) including a photograph showing the full quilt including borders. Photos may be of the full but unquilted quilt top. Entry forms without a photo will be returned. Forms are available at [wmqg.org](http://wmqg.org). Quilt value must be stated on the form; please remember quilt value is either an appraised value or cost of materials and if applicable long-arm fee. Please sign the form and initial the photo release. Make a copy for your records!
3. All entries must be in good repair, clean, free of smoke, odor, and pet hair and constructed of 3 layers fabric and quilted unless otherwise noted. Quilts must be a single unit and not framed.
4. All entries must have a label attached stating at least the quilt and makers' name.
5. All quilts must have a 3-4" sleeve sewn at the top of the quilt back, including miniatures. Sleeve instructions are posted at [wmqg.org](http://wmqg.org). Be aware that quilts longer than 84" will touch the floor when hung. WMQG will cover and protect the quilt to prevent damage, however, West Michigan Quilters' Guild does not assume liability.
6. A maximum of 6 entries per person are allowed.
7. Each quilt may be entered in only ONE category.
8. All quilts to be judged must be quilted, unless it meets criteria for the "Other". Tied comforters cannot be judged, but may be displayed depending on space.
9. There is a \$10 entry fee per quilt for entrants who are not members of WMQG. There is no entry fee for WMQG members. (Dues are \$30).
10. The Show Committee/Entry Chair reserves the right to subdivide and/or combine categories. They also reserve the right to re-assign quilts entered into the incorrect category. Quilts not meeting the criteria for a category may be ineligible for awards, but will still be evaluated.
11. Entries that have been judged in previous WMQG show cannot be accepted.
12. We will not accept quilts with inappropriate themes (such as nudes, etc.) not fit for family viewing. The Show Committee and judges reserve the right to disqualify any quilt that does not comply with stated rules or space constraint.
13. WMQG and the Show Committee will not assume liability for entries with fragile or breakable embellishments or hanging apparatus, and reserves the right to refuse such entries.
14. Quilts will be divided by construction technique/category first, then by one person or two person quilt (if necessary), then by quilting technique (if possible hand-quilted will be separated from machine-quilted, a minimum of 10 quilts is needed, like categories can be combined to achieve that number), finally by size.



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# 2018 Quilt Entry Instructions

## DELIVERY/SHIPPING INSTRUCTIONS

- In Person  
Monday, October 1, 2018 between 9am and noon at  
Calvary Christian Reformed Church | 3500 Byron Center Ave SW | Wyoming, MI | 49519.
- Mailed  
If you wish your entry to be returned by mail, please enclose either a pre-paid return label or a check/money order for return postage payable to WMQG, along with any special packing instructions. If you will be picking your quilt up in person, please enclose a self addressed, stamped envelope for the release slip to be mailed to you. Please place your quilt in a plastic bag prior to boxing it; do not use packing peanuts. Please ship your quilt to arrive no later than 9/24/18.  
Ship to: Sue Cortese | 304 Sandy Court | Holland, MI | 49424
- Check [wmqg.org](http://wmqg.org) for drop off sites open the week before the show.

## QUILT PICK UP/RETURN

- Entries for personal pick-up will be released only after the show on October 6th from 6:30pm to 7pm.
- You must present your quilt release slip to pick up your quilts. NO EXCEPTIONS!
- Entries to be returned by mail will be shipped during the week of October 8, 2018.

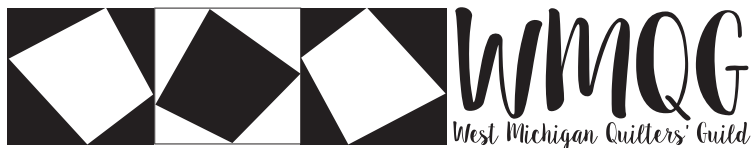
## DATES TO REMEMBER

- July 1<sup>st</sup> — Entry Deadline — make copies of all your entries!
- October 1 — Quilt drop off at Calvary
- October 5 & 6 — Come see your quilt at the Show from 9am to 5pm
- October 6 — Pick up quilt from 6:30pm to 7pm

## PLEASE DOCUMENT FOR YOUR OWN RECORDS

Quilt Name	
I entered it to be	<input type="checkbox"/> Judged <input type="checkbox"/> Youth <input type="checkbox"/> Exhibition Only <input type="checkbox"/> Special Exhibit
Made by	<input type="checkbox"/> Individual <input type="checkbox"/> Two Person <input type="checkbox"/> Group
Category	

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