

Quilts

Division Code: 58

SUPERINTENDENT: Elizabeth Monroe

**Entry Form Registration Deadline:
Tuesday - February 2, 2010**

Accepts Groups?

Yes

Check-In:

Teachers and Club Leaders, Thursday March 18, 2010 from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm, in Arnold Hall

Individuals, Saturday March 20, 2010 from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm, in Arnold Hall.

Check-Out:

Thursday April 15, 2010 from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm, in Arnold Hall.

Rules:

1. Classroom/group entries are permitted. All work, including assembling the quilt must be completely done by students. Only 1 award will be given to the group. Enter the name of the class and teacher name.
2. Entries must have been completed within the last 2 years.
3. Entries must be constructed of 100 % woven cotton fabric. **No felt, glitter, paper, stickers, foam, pipe cleaners or feathers allowed.**
4. Any applique/embellishments, buttons, beads, sequins, embroidery must be sewn, no glue.
5. No cheater cloth (pre-printed in a quilt pattern), kits with pre-printed panels, pre-quilted fabric or rigidly finished pieces (don't fold easily in any direction) are allowed on front or back of quilts.
6. Quilts must have three layers – pieced or appliqued top, batting in middle and fabric on back. The three layers must be hand or machined quilted or hand tied together through all layers every 6 - 10 inches.
7. Soiled or stained quilts will be disqualified.
8. You may only enter one quilt per class.
9. Judges reserve the right to re-categorize any entry and not to award any prizes.
10. Judges reserve the right to disqualify any entry not conforming to the rules and not to display any quilt determined inappropriate for The Fair™.
11. **Class 1** - Length plus the width must be greater than 120", but not to exceed 240".
12. **Class 2** - Length plus the width must be greater than 41", but not to exceed 120"
13. **Class 3** - Length plus width not to exceed 40". Quilts with overall patterns should reflect reduced scale or have blocks no larger than 4".
14. **Class 4** - Article must contain 50% of a quilting technique. Batting and quilting are not required.
15. **Class 5** - Length plus width must be greater than 41", but not to exceed 240". Quilt must show originality in use of color, line and design. Traditional construction methods may be used.
16. **Class 6** - Are quilts made entirely from green/organic and sustainable fabrics. These quilts must also follow the size requirements of the above classes. Indicate size on entry form.

Classes:

Class 1 - Bed Quilts

Class 2 - Small Quilts

Class 3 - Miniature Quilts

Class 4 - Clothing

Class 5 - Art Quilt

Class 6 - "Green" Quilt

Green fabric is any fabric that is made from sustainable or organic natural materials, such as organic cotton, organic linen, organic wool, corn, hemp, seaweed, soy, bamboo and other materials. Natural latex is sometimes used in the manufacture of green fabric.

Judging Criteria:

Workmanship 45%: Top (precision of cutting and stitching), quilted techniques, binding/edging (precision and finishing technique).

Design 45%: choice and use of pattern for top and borders, choice and use of quilting pattern, color, suitability of materials to design and function, originality or use of traditional pattern.

General appearance 10%: total impact, neat, clean.

Premiums:

Purple Ribbon	\$5.00 and Special Award Rosette
Blue Ribbon	4.00
Red Ribbon	3.00
White Ribbon	2.00
Yellow Ribbon	Ribbon Only

Overall First Place Quilt	\$50.00
Overall Second Place Quilt	35.00
Overall Third Place Quilt	25.00

Important Note:

If you are unable to pick up your exhibits on Thursday, April 15, 2010, please make arrangements to have someone else pick them up for you. Exhibits not picked up during check-out WILL BE discarded on Friday, April 16, 2010 at 8:00 am.

If there are no entries meeting the quality standards for any special awards, no award will be given.