

**“Spring on the Chisholm Trail with Fancy Sue”
Stitching Memories Quilt Guild,
2014 Quilt Show Categories & General Show Rules**

- 0000 I do **not** want to have my quilt judged.
- 1100 Pieced and Hand Quilted--The primary design of the quilt is created with traditional patchwork patterns or with patterns inspired by traditional patchwork.
- 1200 Pieced and Machine Quilted-- The primary design of the quilt is created with traditional patchwork patterns or with patterns inspired by traditional patchwork.
- 1300 Pieced and Professionally Quilted-- The primary design of the quilt is created with traditional patchwork patterns or with patterns inspired by traditional patchwork.
- 2100 Hand Applique--The primary design of the quilt is created by using pieces of fabric that are attached to a background fabric with hand stitching.
- 2200 Machine Applique-- The primary design of the quilt is created by using pieces of fabric that are attached to a background fabric with machine stitching.
- 3100 Hand Embroidered—The primary design of the quilt is hand embroidery.
- 3200 Machine Embroidered—The primary design of the quilt is machine embroidery.
- 4000 Whole Cloth —The only design is the quilting itself.
- 5000 Wearable Art—Commercial or handmade garments, purses, belts, etc. embellished with quilting.
- 6000 Household Décor—Table cloths or table toppers, pillows, Christmas tree skirts, placemats, etc.
- 7000 SMQG Challenge—Quilt made using the rules of the Spring Flowers on the Chisholm Trail 2014 Challenge
- 8000 Mixed Techniques—Two or more techniques were used in creating the quilt top. NOTE: Sashing used to separate appliqued or embroidered blocks is not considered mixed technique.
- 9000 Quilts of Valor.

Terms:

Machine Quilting—Quilted on a home sewing machine or long-arm machine.

Professional Quilting—Quilted by someone who receives pay for quilting, whether machine or hand quilted.

Quilt Entry Rules and Instructions – Please read carefully

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

1. Only SMQG members may enter the show. Each entrant must abide by the General Show Rules. Quilts must be made by the entrant. Quilts shown previously in Stitching Memories Quilt Guild shows may not be displayed, except by invitation.
2. The SMQG and the Quilt Show Committee reserve the right to make final decisions on quilt categories, quilts entered, category placement and where quilts will be hung. If there are not at least three entries in a category, categories may be combined. Entries soiled with dirt, pet hair, mildew, odors, etc. will not be accepted. The Quilt Show Committee also reserves the right to refuse any quilt that it deems inappropriate, or which does not meet rules and requirements.
3. First, Second and Third place ribbons will be awarded by the judge. The First Place in each category will be eligible for Best of Show. All entries will be eligible for Judges Recognition, Mayor’s Choice, Viewer’s Choice, and President’s Choice.
4. **All** parties involved in the construction of the quilt must be identified.

QUILT ENTRY RULES

1. Please use a separate Quilt Entry Form for each item (forms may be photocopied).
2. **All Entry Forms must be received on or before March 17, 2014. Forms may be turned in at SMQG meetings or mailed to Hilda Rumble at 755 E. Camelback Road, Duncan, OK 73533. If you have questions, contact Hilda at (580)252-3213 or hrumble@cableone.net.**
3. All entries must remain on display for the duration of the show.
4. Quilts will not be accepted for the show unless the permission for photography statement has been signed and dated.
5. All quilts must have a 4" finished sleeve attached to the back of the quilt. The top of the sleeve should be attached no higher than 95" from the bottom edge of the larger quilts. The sleeve should run the entire width of the quilt and be sewn to the quilt back on all sides of the sleeve. Quilts without sleeves will not be accepted for entry to the show. Any such quilts will be returned to their owners.
6. All entries must have a fabric label sewn or basted on the back of the quilt's lower right-hand corner or inside garments or purses. This label will state the entrant's name and the name of the entry.
7. Deliver each entry placed in its own cloth bag or pillowcase with your name, address and phone number printed on both sides of the bag.
8. Quilt entry forms will not be accepted after the deadline unless prior arrangements have been made.

DELIVERY/PICK-UP

1. **All entries must be received by May 8, 2014 at 9:00 am.** Be sure to include all necessary information on the quilt label and cloth case.
2. The quilts will be released at the quilt show location, May 10, 2014 from 6:00 pm –7:00 pm
3. Entries will only be released to the entrant unless a written request, signed by the entrant, is given to Hilda Rumble before the end of the show.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO SELL YOUR QUILT?

If you are interested in selling your quilt, please fill out the section of the entry form with the price you want for your quilt, sign and date.

The Guild will put a sign on your quilt during the show stating that the quilt is for sale for \$xxx and the instructions for purchasing the quilt. The buyer will go to the guild booth and pay the Guild for the quilt.

The Guild will then put a sold sign on the quilt, but the quilt will not be released to the buyer until after the quilt show.

The Guild will subtract 10% from the sale price as a "brokerage fee" and write a check to the quilt owner for the remaining 90%. The fee will be deposited in the quilt show account and then transferred to the guild account as part of the profits of the show after the quilt show is over.