

QuiltLine

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<http://www.charlottequiltersguild.org>

Programs & Workshops

L = Lecture W = Workshop

Workshop Hours: 9 am-4 pm

with one hour for lunch

Location: Avondale Presbyterian Church

Cost: \$45.00 per one-day workshop



MARCH: Margaret Miller
3/3: L–Looking Ahead...with Margaret Miller
3/4: W–Samplin' Angle Play: New Blocks with Fresh Angles

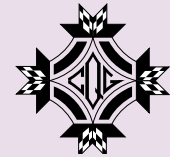
Some spaces are remaining. If you wish to attend, send a check to Pat Sears. You can get a supply list off Margaret's web site. Her book "AnglePlay Blocks" is on the list. You can purchase it at the workshop if you do not have it in advance.

<http://www.millerquilts.com>

April: Ellen Guerrant
4/7: L–Journey of a Quiltmaker
4/8: W–Gimme Shelter

Hope you got to see Ellen's quilts at our January meeting. So contagiously fun!!! Colorful!!! Playful!!! Let us experience this delightful quilt.

This workshop is in danger of being cancelled. Seven more participants are needed by our March 3rd meeting. Sign up and enjoy the fun!.
www.ellenguerrant.com



GENERAL MEETING

DATE: Wednesday, Mar 3, 2009

TIME: 7:00 pm

PLACE: Avondale Presbyterian Church
2821 Park Road
Charlotte, NC 28209

AGENDA

6:30 Doors Open

7:00 General Meeting
Announcements

8:00 Program

BOARD MEETING

DATE: Mar 10, 2009

TIME: 6 pm

PLACE: Charlotte House

PROGRAMS & WORKSHOPS AT A GLANCE

3/3 Margaret Miller
3/4 Workshop

4/7 Ellen Guerrant
4/8 Workshop

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Programs/Workshops 10/11
Nancy Osterberg

Block of the Month
Marilyn Gore

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Website Maintenance
Elaine Dickson

Symposium 2010
Marilyn Gore
Grace Howes
Patti Hayden

President's Message ~ Kim Profitt

Happy March! The Nominations Committee is diligently working on next year's nominations to the Board and this means my term is almost up. I've decided that I need to give all of you a "final" gift from the president and over the next 3 months I'm going to give you a Mystery Quilt. It is not a difficult quilt, so beginners should feel comfortable joining in...I hope you enjoy!

Scintillating Scrabble

The suspects will be cut from the following fabrics...

Focus Fabric 1 7/8 yd....1st cut 6 strips 10 1/2" x WOF, then subcut into 42 rectangles
5 1/2" x 10 1/2"

Coordinate A 2/3 yd....1st cut 7 strips 3" x WOF, then subcut into 84 squares 3" x 3"

Coordinate B 2/3 yd1st cut 7 strips 3" x WOF, then subcut into 84 squares 3" x 3"

Background 1 1/4 yd1st cut 7 strips 5 1/2" x WOF, then subcut into 84 rectangles
3" x 5 1/2"

Inner Border: Background material...3/4 yd, cut 7 strips 3 1/2" x WOF

Middle border: Coordinate A ...1/2 yd, cut 8 strips 1 1/2" x WOF

Outer Border: Coordinate B...1 1/8 yd, cut 8 strips 4 1/2" x WOF

Backing: 4 3/4 yd

Binding: 2/3 yd

This is a 76" x 86" quilt.

Get a packet of sticky notes to keep track of your suspects. Keep your suspects in groups as you cut them and label them according to size and fabric ID.

To solve the mystery, set your machine for 10-15 stitches per inch (usually a setting of 2) and plug in your iron! Make sure you sew with a consistent 1/4" seam allowance.

Clue #1 Gather 84 Coordinate A squares, 84 Coordinate B squares, and 84 background rectangles. Sew one Coordinate A square to the left end of the background rectangles and then sew one Coordinate B square to the right end of the background rectangle. Press the seam allowances toward the squares. Make 84.

Clue #2 Gather 42 of the units completed in clue 1 and 21 of the Focus Fabric rectangles. Separate the units in clue 1 into two piles with 21 units in each pile. Lay the piles on opposite sides of the feature rectangles. On the left side, the Coordinate A square should be to the top. On the right side, the Coordinate A square should be to the bottom. Sew these units together to make Block A. Using your sticky notes, label this pile Block A. Now...the mystery needs to bubble for a month and you'll get the next clues! Have fun...

Happy Quilting!!!

Kim

CQG General Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, Feb 3, 2010 at 7 p.m.

The meeting was called to order by President Kimberly Profitt at 6:10 pm.

The Membership Committee reminded everyone that your booklets are now available to be picked up.

Elaine Dickson is Chairing the Bylaw Review Committee and asked for members to serve with her.

The Community Ed: Committee asked all members to pick up their raffle tickets.

Programs: Pat Sears reported that there are a few slots left for the March Workshop with Margaret Miller and several openings for the

April workshop.

Debbie Rieck is Chairing the Nominating Committee and asked for volunteers to help.

Cindy Jahnke reported 5 quilts made at the last Quilt of Valor workshop.

Block of the Month (BoM): There were two participants in Block of the Month. Carol McLaughlin won the \$10 Gift Card to Quilt Patch Fabrics and Julia Glenn won the \$10 gift card to Overall Quilter.

Show and Tell was enjoyed by all.

Nominating Committee:

The Nominating Committee is looking for a few good quilters!! Here is your chance to make a difference in our Guild. We would like to have both experienced members and newer members. There are lots of options for serving. Two positions that we know will be open are Treasurer (needs knowledge of quick books) and Newsletter. Several Committees (Including Outreach, Community Education, and Membership) will need new helpers. More details will be available at our March meeting. If you are interested in volunteering for next year contact Debbie Rieck at 704-845-5756 or driecck@carolina.rr.com

From the Editor ~

Dear guild members it's has been a great pleasure being the newsletter editor for the last three years. I've made wonderful friends, learned about our guild and learned a ton about quilting in the process. Unfortunately my term is coming to an end and I must move on. The guild needs a volunteer to be the new editor. Please contact me at karen@moonlightcreativegroup.com for more information.

QuiltLine

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..... CQG Board Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, Feb 10, 2010 at 6 p.m.

The Board Meeting was called to order by President Kimberly Profitt at 6:00 pm February 10th.

Those present were: Kimberly Profitt, Linda Sirota, Deb McConaghy, Pat Sears, Debbie Rieck, Loretta Kelley, Rena Hefley, Alice Earl and Elaine Dickson.

Treasurer's Report: Rena Hefley gave the Treasurer's Report. It will be published in the Newsletter. After a short discussion, the Treasurer was directed to pay rent on our storage at Avondale Church through June.

Programs: Pat Sears reported that she is working on renewing our contract with Avondale church. The workshop with Laura Wasiloski went very well. The speaker for March will be Margaret Miller. Her class is almost full. Signups are low for the April

workshop. Pat brought up the need to have an easel and/or dry erase board for our workshops.

Community Ed.: Deb McConaghy reported that \$145 worth of raffle tickets were sold at the Statesville Show. The committee is looking for more venues to sell tickets. Please contact them if you have any ideas. Next year's raffle quilt is currently being pieced and its coming along well. The committee would like to have prizes for those who sell the most raffle tickets and they are working on a contest to name the quilt.

Membership: Alice Earl reported 116 members, 4 guests and 3 new members at our February meeting.

Outreach: Loretta Kelley reported that she delivered 20 cuddle quilts to each hospital.

Bylaws Review Committee: Elaine Dickson asked board to consider changing officer's roles. She proposed adding new VP titles to the current Executive Board. Each VP would be responsible for communicating with 2 or 3 committees and reporting back to the board. There was discussion on how to group the committees so that those with similar purpose would report to the same VP.

Nominating Committee: Debbie Rieck reported that there will be several offices to be filled for next year's board. She is still in the process of contacting current Board and Committee Members to see if they are returning next year. Among those positions to be filled are: President Elect, Treasurer, Newsletter, Outreach, Programs (for 2011). A complete list will be available at our March meeting.



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2010 Programs & Workshops continued

MAY: Vikki Pignatelli

5/5: L-10 Attributes That Make A Good Quilter Better

5/6: W-Improvisational Curves

Explore “no rules” improvisational methods to incorporate dimension and texture in your quilts.

Vikki’s workshop needs four more participants or the workshop will be cancelled. If you were planning on attending, be sure to sign up by the March 3rd meeting either by mail to Pat Sears or at the meeting. Do not miss out on this opportunity to meet Vikki and experience her quilting style.

<http://www.vikkipignatelli.com>

Sign-up Cut-off is March 15, 2010.

Information including supply list and project pictures can be found on all workshops at the individual teacher’s web site.

WORKSHOP REMINDERS

Less than 10 participants will cancel a workshop and checks will be returned.

Generally, 20 participants is the maximum number of students.

Once you have signed up for a workshop, if you find you cannot attend, it is up to you to find your own replacement; refunds will not be given.

Sign-up sheets for all speakers will now be available at each meeting. **Remember you must pay when you sign up.** If you wish to register via mail, please send your check to the Program Chair Patricia Sears at 1029 Peridot Drive, Fort Mill, SC 29708 rather than the Guild post office box. Make the check out to the Charlotte Quilters’ Guild and annotate it with the name of the workshop. Postdated checks are not accepted. You may reach Pat at Sears6584@aol.com or 803 547-8206.

Please bring batik fat quarters to the March guild meeting for symposium gifts.

Calendar of Events



April 30 and May 1, 2010

Busy Needles Quilt Guild of Henry County

Invites you to join us for:

“THE DOWN SOUTH QUILT SHOW”

Show Times 10am – 6pm

At Beautiful and Historic

Nash Farm

4361 Jonesboro Rd.

Hampton, GA 30228

Info: Sheri Meyers crazyquilter@charter.net

Website of the Month

LQuilt

[http://www.lquilt.com/default.](http://www.lquilt.com/default.aspx?lang=en-US)

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Be sure to check out the online classes.



march birthdays

Emily Muldoon	03/01
Debbie Norris	03/01
Phyllis Tarrant	03/02
Claudia Reynolds	03/03
Vickie T. Amon	03/04
Debby B Harwell	03/04
Wendy Arend	03/06
Karen Ponischil	03/07
Lynn Barrett	03/11
Susan Dunne-Lederhaas	03/12
Debbie Morse	03/14
Judy Hoxie	03/15
Bea Dolan	03/15
Nancy G. Cook	03/15
Joanne Tarlton	03/17
Rachel Schul	03/20
Iris Prandi	03/21
Edna Drakeford	03/21
Katie Trapp	03/21
Marci Richmond	03/24
Adrienne Weber	03/25
Angela Watts	03/31

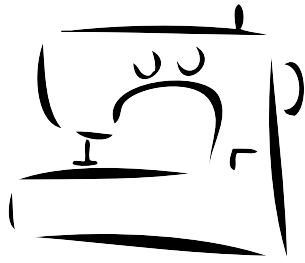
new members

Barb DiCarlo
Drusilla Munnell

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Singer Featherweight
Color: Black
Cost: \$300

Contact Peggy:
704 841 9041



Cuddle Quilt Workshop Tuesday, March 16 10-2 Quilt Patch

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We will be cutting and
then putting together a
top in strips.



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..... Treasurer's Report

Treasurer's Report Charlotte Quilter's Guild

January 31, 2009

Revenues:

Beginning Balances:

Operating Funds	28,868.73
Outreach Funds	5,259.25
Presidents Funds	2,377.03
Outreach CD	5,308.14

Interest Income:

Operating funds	2.60
Outreach CD	1.81

Income:

Lake Norman Quilters	500.00
Membership	315.00
Newsletter Ads	100.00
Quilt Raffle Tickets 09/10	169.00
Workshop Laura Wasilowski Feb	820.00
Workshop Margart Miller March	765.00
Outreach - Doll Raffle	26.00

Expenses:

Rent for monthly meeting room Jan-May 2010	250.00
Rent for workshop on Feb & March	200.00
Monthly storage at the church Jan & Feb	60.00
Newsletter	6.61
Speaker expense Jan.	297.79
Raffle quilt 10/11 material	95.00

Ending Balances:

Operating Funds	30,630.42
Outreach Funds	5,285.67
Presidents Funds	2,377.12
Outreach CD	5,309.95



Quilts of Valor

*April 20-23, 2010
Toccoa, Georgia*



Dear Fellow Quilters:

This coming April we invite you to join us at the SewFree Quilt Retreat in Toccoa, Georgia. There are many quilters from across the south gathering to make Quilts of Valor for our wounded warriors.

We will be providing fabric kits and patterns to make blocks and assemble tops for QOV, or you may bring your own quilt pattern and fabrics to sew. We have batting and backing, if you need, and can assist in getting your Quilt of Valor quilt top machine quilted. *

In addition to the fellowship of sewing together in this worthy cause, there will be many other activities in which you can participate:

- You might want to take a break in the afternoon and join us for a free Make It & Take It workshop, or one of several free demonstrations.
- There will be a “I can’t believe I forgot THAT!” quilt shop on site as well as a quilters flea market one afternoon.
- Join us Tuesday evening as international quilt designer, Pam Bono, shares her latest trunk show; and Thursday evening, Patricia Knoechel, quilt designer and Eleanor Burns’ sister will bring us the latest “Quilt In A Day” designs and trunk show.

All this, plus meals and three nights lodging for just \$254.00.

Details and registration are available at www.sewfree.net

We hope you will join us.

Quilts of Valor is an organization that supports and guides the making and distribution of quilts to our wounded servicemembers. To date over 24,000 quilts have been distributed. We are still at war, and still quilting.

* During the retreat we will be hand quilting one quilt top, if you want your quilt to be considered to be hand-quilted, please contact Susan at: susangordon@sewfree.net.



Now What?

Teachers Include:

Charlotte Angotti

Cynthia Corbin

Melody Crust

Patti Culea

Kim Diehl

Karen Eckmeier

Ellen Anne Eddy

Robbi Joy Eklow

Flavin Glover

Bonnie Hunter

Janet Lasher

Susan Purney Mark

Velda Newman

Jenny Raymond

Paula Scaffidi

Pat Sloan

Karen Stone

Carol Taylor

David Taylor

Laura Wasilowski

Elin Waterson

Terry White

OK it's March and you have sent off your registration and check for the exciting Symposium 2010 in Charlotte on June 3-6 at Johnson and Wales University. NOW WHAT, you ask????

Until you know if you got the classes you registered for you can't really get your supplies pulled together, but there are many other things you can be doing NOW.

- 1) Are your quilt show entries finished? STARTED??? Do they have sleeves on them and are they properly labeled as per the rules? These rules and regulations were included in your packet and now would be a good time to review them. Remember the completed entry forms are due on April 16 (just around the corner in most of our worlds!!)
- 2) Is your "Nothing Could Be Finer" challenge quilt started yet??? Hmmmm??? Be honest and get your creative juices working and enter this fun challenge. When it is finished you can mail it or just bring it with you when you come to Charlotte. Questions, see page 3 of your symposium booklet for all the details!
- 3) Make a pair (or two, or three...) of fuzzy slippers from scratch or modify a store bought pair. Why not make a pair of pajamas or a unique nightgown to go with them? You don't have to wear the PJs to the party but you can if you want to. You can at least show off your finery to your roommates or others in your dorm! Have fun with this and remember there are prizes involved!! Always a plus in my book!

Last but not least start saving your pennies, dimes and dollars to shop at the vendors!! You may not need another project but you know you want one and with the fine line up of vendors we have coming to Charlotte, we know you will want to come with currency to spend!!!

See you at Symposium! It will be here before you know it!

~Carla Handshaw

SYMPOSIUM 2010!

June 3-6, 2010 • Johnson and Wales University • Charlotte, NC

WEBSITE: <http://www.charlottequiltsymposium.org/>

BLOG: <http://nothingcouldbefinersymposium.blogspot.com/>

Notes from your President Elect on Bylaw Changes

We're hoping to clarify the roles of a few Committees and take this opportunity to give a few officers a promotion by adding 3 new board members and to break up the largest committees and distribute the work more efficiently with the hope that it will be easier to recruit people to fill the roles.

Currently our bylaws state that we will have 4 board members and the following committees:

1. President
2. President Elect
3. Secretary
4. Treasurer

5. Program Committee
6. Membership Services Committee
7. Newsletter Committee
8. Outreach Committee
9. Community Education Committee
10. Quilt Show Committee

We are proposing to add 3 new board members to make 7 and rename the committees. The original 4 board members' job descriptions will remain the same.

The **3 new board members** will oversee the following sub-committees under their board seat:

Program Vice President:

- Programs Elect (programs for the next year)
- Block of the month

Membership Vice President:

- Database
- Directory
- New members

Outreach Vice President / Cuddle Quilts:

- Quilts for Troops

and **rename the committees** as:

Communications Chair:

- Webmaster and PowerPoint
- Publicity leader
- Newsletter

Community Education Chair:

- New Raffle Quilt leader
- Current Raffle Quilt ticket sales
- Scholarship

Hospitality Chair:

- Sunshine
- Library
- Beekeeper

Quilt Show Co-Chairs

For these changes to go into effect, we will publish the proposed changes in the March and April newsletters, as well as discuss the changes at the March and April meetings and take a vote at the May general meeting. If you have any questions or suggestions about the changes, please email Elaine Dickson at elaine.dickson@gmail.com.

Thank you!

-Elaine Dickson

Library Update:

Please return all library books that are overdue. There is a two month grace period for overdue library books. After that fines will incur or you will need to pay for the book.

Laura Wasilowski donated her book *Fusing Fun* to the library.



Bylaw Changes: Committee Members Needed

If you're interested in joining a committee to review and present changes to the guild's bylaws, please contact Elaine Dickson at elaine.dickson@gmail.com. We'll meet twice and have our recommendations ready to present to the board at the February or March board meeting. Thank you!

Symposium Quilt Show 2010

"Nothing Could Be Finer" than seeing your quilt hanging in this year's Symposium Quilt Show. As a Charlotte Quilters' Guild member you may enter your quilt in the Symposium Quilt show and pay the same low price of \$5.00 per quilt with a limit of two quilts. We have included all the necessary forms you need to participate. Please review the Quilt Show Forms for rules, definitions and Entry Form for the details needed to enter your quilts... Also, note that the entry form must be received by **April 16, 2010**.

If you are planning to attend North Carolina Quilt Symposium, co sponsored by the Charlotte Quilters' Guild then you should use the Quilt Entry form that accompanies the registration booklet as entering a quilt is included in the registration fee. All Symposium information will be available online at the end of January for your convenience.

Beautiful ribbons will be awarded in all categories and cash awards will be given by NCQSI and Charlotte Quilters' Guild to participants whose quilt is judged to be the best in special categories. Quilt Show forms will also be available at the February, March and April Guild meetings with members of the Symposium Steering Committee available to answer your questions.



QUILT ENTRY FORM
 "Nothing Could Be Finer"
 North Carolina Quilt Symposium
 June 3-6, 2010
 Johnson & Wales University, Charlotte, NC

All entry forms must be RECEIVED by April 16, 2010. Allow mailing time. Read "Quilt Show Rules" for instructions. A separate entry form must be completed for each item entered.

SECTION A: ENTRY IDENTIFICATION (Please print or type. Use reverse side, if necessary.)

Entrant's Name _____ Entry Made By _____
 Address _____ Entry Quilted By _____
 City, State, Zip _____ Email _____
 Day Phone _____ Evening Phone _____

Check all that apply to the quilting of this entry:

- hand quilted stationary machine (quilt moved by hand) track-mounted machine (machine moves over the quilt)

Entry Title _____ Year Completed _____

Size (inches): Width _____ Length _____ Description for Catalog (25 words or less) _____

Attach a photograph. Digital computer printout is acceptable. Do not submit a slide. Photos are not returnable. This is for insurance/record-keeping purposes only. Professional photo not needed. Item must be recognizable by color and pattern.

SECTION B: ENTRY CATEGORIES: Circle **ONE** category and **ONE** technique for this entry. (See attached definitions.)

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|---------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|
| 1. Large Bed Quilt
<i>Pieced Appliquéd Mixed/Other</i> | 5. Miniature Quilt
<i>All techniques</i> | 9. Wearables |
| 2. Small Bed Quilt
<i>Pieced Appliquéd Mixed/Other</i> | 6. Studio Art Quilt
<i>All techniques</i> | 10. Junior Designer
<i>age 16 or younger</i> |
| 3. Large Wall Hanging
<i>Pieced Appliquéd Mixed/Other</i> | 7. Duet Quilt
<i>Pieced Appliquéd Mixed/Other</i> | |
| 4. Small Wall Hanging
<i>Pieced Appliquéd Mixed/Other</i> | 8. Group Quilt
<i>Pieced Appliquéd Mixed/Other</i> | |

SECTION C: REQUIRED SIGNATURE

by my signature below, I agree to abide by all conditions stated on this entry form and the accompanying instructions. I also grant NCQS the right to photograph this entry for its files, publicity, education and/or promotion purposes in either print or electronic media.

Signature _____ Date _____

A separate entry form and photograph must be received for each entry by April 16, 2010.
 Send forms and photos to:
 Alice Gray
 15035 Northgreen Drive
 Huntersville, NC 28078
 (Phone: 704-947-8942)



QUILT SHOW RULES

“Nothing Could Be Finer”
North Carolina Quilt Symposium

1. Entrants must be NCQS 2010 participants registered for a minimum of 1 class or lecture. No fee for NCQS participants. A fee of \$5 per quilt entry for Charlotte Quilters' Guild members not registered for NCQS.
2. All quilt entries must have three layers joined by quilting.
3. Each quilt must have its own entry form. A participant is permitted only one entry per category, with a maximum of two entries in different categories. **All quilt show entry forms and pictures must be received by April 16, 2010.**
4. The NCQS show committee and/or judges reserve the right to divide or combine categories, move entries to more appropriate categories, and not award all ribbons.
5. All entries must have been completed after January 2008, not previously shown in an NCQS show and, with the exception of duet or group items, must be solely the work of the entrant.
6. All entries other than miniatures must have a 4-inch sleeve attached to the top of the quilt. Sleeves for miniatures may be smaller. Wearables are excluded from this rule.
7. All quilts must be able to be hung using standard procedures; do not send hanging rods or any kind of hardware or special hanging instructions.
8. All entries must have a label sewn on the back lower-right corner with the quilt name, maker's name, address and date completed.
9. Upon receipt of the quilt show entry form(s), a quilt show shipping form and entry number label will be sent for each entry from the NCQS 2010 quilt show committee. The appropriate entry number label should be securely affixed to the back lower-right corner of your quilt to cover the entire quilt label.
10. Place each quilt into a plastic bag prior to inserting into a mailing box. Mailing boxes will not be saved.
11. Do not send any accompanying material; it cannot be displayed.
12. We will take the upmost care of your quilts but will not be held responsible for any damage that may occur. Quilts entered with embellishments must be capable of withstanding normal folding and stacking without risking harm to your quilt or to another. It is your responsibility to have adequate insurance coverage for your quilt.
13. The NCQS 2010 quilt show committee reserves the right to refuse a quilt if it is soiled or if it smells of smoke, perfume or pet odors. Quilts will be inspected upon receipt, and the owner will be contacted if the quilt is refused.
14. Quilts must be received at the address on the shipping form by May 14, 2010, or delivered in person on May 15, 2010, to Grace United Methodist Church, 737 East Woodland Road, Charlotte, NC 28209. If shipping entries, it is recommended that the entrant use Federal Express, UPS or other mailing service that provides tracking identification.
15. Information for quilt entry pick up (at the conclusion of the Quilt Show on Saturday, June 5, 2010, during Symposium 2010) is included on the quilt show shipping form.



DEFINITIONS

"Nothing Could Be Finer"
North Carolina Quilt Symposium

The following definitions were obtained from the National Quilting Association, Inc. web site. Size delineations for bed quilts and wall hangings were added by the NCQS Quilt Show committee.

Category Definitions

Large Bed Quilt: Intended for use on a bed. **Size:** Sum of all sides equals 226 inches or more.

Small Bed Quilt: Intended for use on a bed. **Size:** Sum of all sides equals 225 inches or fewer.

Large Wall Hanging: Intended for display on a wall. **Size:** Sum of all sides equal to 181 inches or larger.

Small Wall Hanging: Intended for display on a wall. **Size:** Sum of all sides equal to 180 inches or smaller.

Miniature Size: Completely scaled down in all features from a large quilt design. It may be no larger than 24 inches square or have a perimeter no greater than 96 inches. All techniques are included in this category.

Studio Art Quilt: Your original design reflecting innovative construction and design techniques, theme or subject matter, and/or materials. No commercial patterns or copies of previous works. Quilts must be made of fabric, have three layers, and contain quilting. A quilt based on traditional patterns and designs should be entered in another category.

Duet Quilt: Has two persons involved in its completion. Includes all techniques as well as quilting by a person other than the maker of the top.

Group Quilt: Has more than two persons involved in its completion. Includes all techniques as well as quilting by a person other than the maker of the top.

Wearable: Fashionable and wearable garment constructed using quilting techniques. Single pieces qualify and ensembles will be considered as a single entry.

Junior Designer: Entry must be submitted by a person 16 years of age or younger.

Technique Definitions

Pieced: Piecing predominates over other techniques in amount or effect.

Appliqué: Appliqué predominates over other techniques in amount or effect.

Mixed: A fairly even amount of both piecwork and applique is used to develop the design of the top.

Other: One special technique is used to develop the design of the top, such as whole cloth (with or without trapunto) surface design, crazy quilt, cathedral window, embroidered, etc.