

**COLORADO VALLEY QUILT GUILD
FIFTEENTH ANNUAL
BEST LITTLE QUILT SHOW
IN TEXAS**

February 24 & 25, 2012

Show hours **Friday and Saturday: 10:00 am-5:00 pm**

DEADLINES

TO REGISTER ENTRIES: Tuesday, *January 10, 2012*
For receipt of mailed quilts: Friday, *February 17, 2012*, to Mary Margaret Read, 4240
Goehring, Ledbetter, TX 78946-5004

For delivery in person Wednesday, *February 22, 2012*, 2:00 pm to 5:30 pm to Fayette
County Fairgrounds, Commercial Exhibit Building, La Grange, TX

ELIGIBLE QUILTS

NOTE CHANGES IN ITALICS

Maximum size is determined by measuring width + length; e. g., a quilt 20" wide by 25" long = 45".

Past Show Chair Theme: *Stars*

Miniature Quilt: A scaled down version of a large quilt. If composed of blocks, no block larger than 4" square. Maximum size: 60".

Small Wall Quilt: Any other quilt designed to hang on a wall. Maximum size: 60".

Wall Quilt: Any other quilt designed to hang on a wall. Minimum size: 61" – Maximum size: 130".

Two Person Quilt: Two people worked on quilt in ANY way.

Group Quilt: Three or more people worked on quilt in ANY way.

Baby or Lap Quilt: Any quilt measuring less than 130" not designed to hang on a wall.

Quilt: Any quilt measuring more than 130".

Wearable Arts and Accessories: Must have a significant amount of quilting.

Home Décor: Decorating items other than quilts, such as pillows, placemats, table runners, etc. - must have a significant amount of quilting.

Youth Quilt: *Any quilt made in its entirety by someone under 18 years of age.*

RULES

NOTE CHANGES IN ITALICS

1. Use one form for each entry. Any number of quilts may be entered. Please reproduce the entry form as necessary. No quilt will be accepted unless the "Hold Harmless" agreement has been signed, dated and submitted with photo.
2. CVQG will place the quilts in categories, dividing or combining to facilitate judging.
3. Maximum size is determined by measuring width + length, e.g., a quilt 20" wide by 25" long = 45"
4. All entries must remain on display for the duration of the show. Pick up quilts between 6:00 and 6:30 pm, Sat., *Feb. 25, 2012* – receipt or photo ID required. Quilts received by mail will be shipped on Mon., *Feb 27, 2012*.
5. If the entrant is not a member of CVQG, a \$5.00 fee applies to each entry. Entry fee and a photo of the quilt must accompany the entry form. MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO CVQG. Do not send cash through the mail. If the quilt is to be returned by mail, see rule #8.
6. Entry fees are waived for entrants in the YOUTH (under 18) category.
7. Quilts may be hand or machine pieced and hand or machine quilted. Commercially quilted quilts will be exhibited in the two-person or group category. Unquilted wool appliqué, *yo-yo quilts, Victorian style crazy quilts and cathedral window quilts* will be accepted. None of the following will be accepted: unquilted quilt tops, tied quilts, pre-cut quilt kits, cheater blocks, or quilts framed or mounted.

8. For shipped entries, enclose a return mailing label and a return postage fee equal to the amount of postage/insurance you have on your parcel plus \$1.00. Entrants are responsible for their own insurance and shipping costs on all items. Each item will be returned in the same container it was shipped in.
9. Each item must be clean, in good condition, and in a SEPARATE, LABELED pillowcase or fabric bag.
10. For hanging, **ALL** quilts must have at least a 4" casing/sleeve stitched across the **TOP** back of the quilt. Quilts LONGER THAN 86" MUST HAVE THE CASING STITCHED so that **TOP** of the sleeve is 86" FROM THE BOTTOM OF THE QUILT FOR DISPLAY SO THAT IT DOES NOT LIE ON THE FLOOR.
11. Each quilt must have a SEWN ON label. Absolutely NO pins. As you look at the back of the quilt, sew a fabric label to the lower left corner. The label should include: Name of quilt, year made, your name, address, and telephone number. Fold the quilt so that the label is easily visible at check-in.
12. CVQG reserves the right to refuse any quilt that it deems inappropriate or not in compliance with the rules.
13. If the quilt maker is different from the owner of the quilt, the quilt will be entered in the category appropriate to the maker, i.e. artisan or professional/master.
14. For this show, "**PROFESSIONAL / MASTER**" means one who has published a book or pattern on quilt making, pieced or quilted for profit, or taught any quilt-making technique for profit or who has won 5 or more blue ribbons in the Best Little Quilt Show in Texas. "**ARTISAN**" is a person that does not fit the Professional/Master category.
15. Ribbons will be awarded in each division as well as to the Best of Show as determined by the Quilt Show Judge. People's Choice and other awards may be given as determined by CVQG.
16. Entries must have been made in the last 5 years, and not have been entered in any previous CVQG show.

For additional information or to print more entry forms, go to our website at www.cvquiltguild.com
Please print or copy entry form 2-sided (1 page, front & back.)

ENTRY DELIVERY INFORMATION AND CHECKLIST

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Deliver quilts Wednesday, *February 22, 2012*, from 2:00 pm to 5:30 pm to Fayette County Fairgrounds, Commercial Building, La Grange, TX. Mailed entries must be received no later than *February 17, 2012*.

Include:

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Quilt <input type="checkbox"/> Return mailing label for each quilt to be mailed back to you. <input type="checkbox"/> Return postage/shipping for each quilt to be mailed back to you (see rule 8). | <p>CHECKS PAYABLE TO CVQG</p> |
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Send all of the above to:
 Mary Margaret Read
 4240 Goehring
 Ledbetter, TX 78946-5004

QUESTIONS ?
Terry Tomlin, Show Chair, 979-561-5065
 or email terryt@cvctx.com
 Mary Margaret Read, entries (979) 249-5795
 or e-mail: mmread@cvctx.com

PICK UP YOUR QUILT BETWEEN 6:00 AND 6:30 PM
FEBRUARY 25, 2012

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Return the entry form by *January 10, 2012*

Complete a separate form for each quilt entered. Make a photocopy for your records.

Name _____ CVQG Member ____yes ____no

Address _____ City, State, Zip _____

Phone (day) _____ (evening) _____ email _____

Size of Quilt _____" wide + _____" Long = _____ total (See rule #3) Year Completed _____

Name of Quilt _____

CHECK ALL THAT APPLY, AT LEAST ONE BOX PER COLUMN

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Artisan (see rules pg 2, #14) | <input type="checkbox"/> Miniature Quilts (see definition on page 1) | <input type="checkbox"/> More than 50% Pieced |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Professional/Master | <input type="checkbox"/> Small Wall Hanging – (up to 60") | <input type="checkbox"/> More than 50% Appliquéd |
| <input type="checkbox"/> My First Quilt | <input type="checkbox"/> Wall Hanging (61"-130") | <input type="checkbox"/> More than 50% Embroidery |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Youth (Under 18) Age _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Baby/Lap Quilt (less than 130") | <input type="checkbox"/> Equal Combination of _____ & _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Two Person | <input type="checkbox"/> Quilt (Over 130") | <input type="checkbox"/> Whole Cloth Quilt/Whitework |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Group | <input type="checkbox"/> Home Décor | <input type="checkbox"/> Other Techniques specify _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Past Show Chair Theme - <i>Stars</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> Wearable Arts/Accessories | _____ |

CHECK ALL THAT APPLY

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| <input type="checkbox"/> More than 50% Hand Quilted | <input type="checkbox"/> Machine Pieced | <input type="checkbox"/> Hand Embroidered |
| <input type="checkbox"/> More than 50% Machine Quilted | <input type="checkbox"/> Hand Pieced | <input type="checkbox"/> Machine Embroidered |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Commercially Machine Quilted
(Two Person and/or Group) | <input type="checkbox"/> English Paper Pieced | <input type="checkbox"/> Original Pattern |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Guided Machine Quilted | <input type="checkbox"/> Paper Foundation Pieced | <input type="checkbox"/> Block of the Month |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Machine Appliquéd | <input type="checkbox"/> Hand Appliquéd | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Traditional Block _____ |
| | | <input type="checkbox"/> Pattern by _____ |

Maker of Quilt (If different from applicant) _____

Pieced/Appliquéd by _____ Quilted by _____

Include quilt description on the reverse side of this page.

Return:

- signed and completed form with photo
- \$5.00 per quilt if applicable (see rule #5)
- Non-CVQG members include self-addressed, stamped, #10, envelope.

Mail to:

Mary Margaret Read
4240 Goehring
Ledbetter, TX 78946-5004

I have read and agree to the rules cited. I understand that reasonable care will be taken to protect my quilt. I further agree to hold the Colorado Valley Quilt Guild, its agents or assigns, harmless against loss or damage to my entry.

Signature Required

Date

CHECKS PAYABLE TO CVQG.

QUILT STORY, 50 WORDS OR LESS: *In 50 words or less, tell us about the quilt, i.e. why you made it, techniques used, how the pattern was changed or adapted, information about the fabrics, etc. Preferably, email this information to mmread@cvctx.com .*

ATTACH OR PRINT PHOTO HERE: *Print or attach photo here. Emailed photo will not be accepted.*