

#### Dear Members:

Attached you will find information about the categories, requirements, and awards for our upcoming show. In selecting the categories and assigning the requirements, we kept in mind several goals: 1) to accommodate as many entrants as possible; 2) to provide categories that allow for comparable and fair judging, and 3) to recognize outstanding submissions. Should you have questions about in which category you should place your quilt, you will be given ample time to ask. If there are too few entries within a particular category or subcategory, the submissions and judging committee reserves the right to reassign the category for consolidation. There will be an e-mailbox for submissions in the fall. For now, you can direct any questions to <a href="mailto:eqgshow@gmail.com">eqgshow@gmail.com</a>.

A good deal of consideration and effort was put into producing this. We hope you will review it long before we meet in September, and we look forward to seeing your entries!

### Diane, Joyce, Marilyn

Diane Collier, Joyce Fisher, Marilyn Hamilton **Judging Team** 

### Aleeda & Betsy

Aleeda Crawley & Betsy Vinegrad **2017 Show Co-chairs** 

#### **CATEGORY: PIECED**

- More than 50% pieced
- Kits must be identified for attribution.
- Sizes: Large: Minimum: 46", any side; Maximum: 93" wide by 96" high. Small: Minimum 12" on any side; Maximum 45" on any side.
- Subcategories:

Machine Pieced, Quilted by Member Hand Pieced, Quilted by Member Professionally Quilted, Machine or Hand Pieced



### **CATEGORY: APPLIQUÉD**

- More than 50% appliquéd
- Kits must be identified for attribution.
- Sizes: Large: Minimum: 46", any side; Maximum: 93" wide by 96" high. Small: Minimum 12" on any side; Maximum 45" on any side.
- Subcategories:

Machine Appliquéd, Quilted by Member Hand Appliquéd, Quilted by Member Professionally Quilted, Machine or Hand Appliquéd

#### **CATEGORY: MINIATURE**

- Must be true miniature: Overall pattern must reflect reduced scale and miniaturization. Blocks, if used, can be no larger than 2". Work must be quilted by entrant.
- Kits must be identified for attribution.
- Size: Minimum 8" on any side, Maximum 12" on any side
- Participating members can enter one additional quilt in any category.

#### **CATEGORY: GROUP QUILT**

- Any Technique
- Minimum 24" on any side, Maximum 93" wide 96" high.
- Kits must be identified for attribution.
- All makers must be current members.
- Must be quilted by a current member, not for payment.
- Participating members can enter one additional quilt in any category.



#### **CATEGORY: SPECIAL TECHNIQUES**

- Can include piecing and appliqué, embellishments, yoyos, crazy quilts, whole cloth quilts.
- Kits must be identified for attribution.
- Whole cloth quilts can only be quilted by members.
- Size: Minimum 12", any side, Maximum 93" any side.
- Subcategories:

Quilted by Member

**Quilted Professionally** 

#### **CATEGORY: ART QUILTS**

Original design reflecting innovative construction and design techniques, theme, or subject matter and/or materials. No commercial or published patterns, kits or copies of previous works. Not meant for a bed.

- Size: Minimum 12", any side, Maximum 93" any side.
- Kits must be identified for attribution.
- Subcategories:

Quilted by Member

**Quilted Professionally** 

#### **CATEGORY: ROOKIE**

- Any Technique. Must be member's first quilt. Can be quilted by someone else.
- Kits must be identified for attribution.
- Size: Minimum 24" on any side, Maximum 93" wide 96" high.



#### **STANDARD RIBBONS**

First, second and third place ribbons will be awarded in each size (where designated) by subcategory (where designated).

As an example: In the **Pieced** category, here is a list of the standard ribbons:

1st 2nd 3rd place, Large Quilts, Hand Pieced, Quilted by Member

1<sup>st</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> place, Large Quilts, Machine Pieced, Quilted by Member

1<sup>st</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> place, Large Quilts, Hand or Machine Pieced, Professionally

1<sup>st</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> place, Small Quilts, Hand Pieced, Quilted by Member

1<sup>st</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> place, Small Quilts, Machine Pieced, Quilted by Member

1<sup>st</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> place, Small Quilts, Hand or Machine Pieced, Professionally Quilted

#### **SPECIAL RIBBONS**

Best in Show

Best Hand Piecing

**Best Machine Piecing** 

Best Hand Appliqué

Best Machine Appliqué

Best Machine Quilting, Sit Down Machine, by Member: process involves moving the quilt; the machine is stationary.

Best Machine Quilting, Stand Up Machine, by Member: quilt is on a frame, and machine moves over the surface.

Best Hand Quilting by Member

Best Use of Color

Best Use of Embellishments

Judge's Choice(s)

Vendor's Choice(s)

Viewer's Choice