



Quilt Show Rules

Champlain Valley Quilters' Guild of Vermont 27th Annual Quilt Show – *Ladies of the Lake* November 14-15, 2009

- Each individual may enter more than one quilt in a given size category but only one per category may be judged.
- Entries are limited to quilts, wall hangings, garments, and accessories. No permanently framed or mounted work permitted. Quilts made from "cheater cloth" are not permitted.
- The following categories are accepted for display, but are not eligible for judging:
 - Antique quilts
 - Garments & accessories
 - Quilts made by a child or a group or children under age 14
 - Quilts made from pre-cut or pre-printed kits
- Quilts in the display sections may be listed for sale for an additional \$5 per quilt to defray expenses.
- Quilts must be clean and ready for hanging with a 5" wide sleeve sewn (not pinned) to the back, at the top. A quilt will not be accepted at quilt receiving if a sleeve is pinned on. Miniature quilts do not require a sleeve.
- All entries must be quilted. No tied quilts will be accepted, with the exception of children's quilts.
- Be certain to give credit on your registration form to everyone who worked on the quilt, or any source you used for design or inspiration.
- Your entry must be available for judging and display November 11 to November 15, 2009. Information on getting your quilt to and from CVQG will be sent after your registration is received. **No entry may be taken down before the end of the show.** All quilts will be available for return about 1 hour after the show closes on Sunday, November 15th.
- Maximum insurance coverage by CVQG is \$5,000. You must provide additional insurance if your quilt is worth more than \$5,000. In addition, for quilts valued at \$1,000 and over, please add an additional \$5.00 along with your registration fee.

Miniature Quilt Scope: The perimeter is 96" or less. The quilt must reflect reduced scale in miniaturization. In a photo you should not be able to distinguish the miniature quilt from a large quilt.

Point System for Judging	Maximum Points	Awards and Ribbons	
Overall Impact	10 pts	First (Blue)	94 - 105 points
Color & Design	15 pts	Second (Red)	88 – 93 points
Construction & Workmanship	35 pts	Third (Yellow)	80 – 87 points
Quilting	20 pts	Best of Show	Quilt receiving the highest total points
Finishing	20 pts	Best in Category	Quilt receiving the highest points in its category
Bonus - Judge's Discretion	5 pts	Best Hand Quilting	Ribbon goes to the quilter
Total Available Points	105 pts	Best Machine Quilting	Ribbon goes to the quilter
		Viewer's Choice	Quilt receiving the most visitor votes
		Judge's Choice	A quilt of the collective judges' choosing
		Vendor's Choice	A quilt of each vendor's choosing
		VIP Choice	A quilt of each VIP's choosing

Quilts do not have to be judged in order to be eligible for special awards such as Viewer's Choice.