

2020 Quilt Show Categories

1. 100, Individual, Pieced, Longarm Quilted
2. 200, Individual, Pieced, Stationary Machine Quilted
3. 300, Individual, Mixed/Other techniques, Longarm Quilted
4. 400, Individual, Mixed/Other techniques, Stationary Machine Quilted
5. 500, Individual, Hand Quilted, Any Technique
6. 600, Duet, made by 2 persons, all techniques
7. 700, Group, made by 3 or more persons, all techniques
8. 800, Modern
9. 900, Miniature (no side larger than 30" on any side and small in scale)
10. 1000 P, Pictorial
11. 1000 A, Art
12. 1100, Wearable Art and Accessories

Technique Definitions:

Pieced: Piecing is the predominant technique in amount and effect.

Mixed: A relatively even amount of piecework and appliqué.

Other: One special technique is used to develop the design of the top, such as whole cloth, surface design, crazy quilt, cathedral window, embroidery, etc.

Longarm Quilted: Quilted on any machine that allows the quilter to move the machine head rather than the fabric and is mounted on a frame. Includes hand guided or computer guided quilting.

Stationary Machine Quilted: Quilted on any sewing machine that allows the quilter to move the fabric rather than the machine and it sits on or is mounted on a table.

Category Definitions:

Individual Quilt: All elements of assembling and quilting the quilt are done by the individual entering the quilt.

Duet Quilt: Two people involved in the completion of the quilt. Includes quilting by a person other than the maker of the top. Includes all techniques.

Group Quilt: More than two people involved in the completion of the quilt. Includes all techniques.

Modern: Functional and inspired by modern design. Includes but not limited to the use of bold colors and prints, high contrast and graphic areas of solid color, improvisational piecing, minimalism, expansive negative space, and alternative grid work. Also, Modern Traditionalism, the updating of classic quilt designs.

Miniature Quilt: Completely scaled down in all features from a large quilt design. No larger than 30" per side. Block size no larger than 4" finished. All techniques included in this category.

Pictorial Quilts: Has a visual representation of an image on the quilt surface. It may include, but is not limited to, faces, animals and/or landscapes. Includes all techniques.

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 some fabric, have three layers, and contain quilting.

Wearable Art and Personal Accessories: Designed to be worn/used (such as clothing, totes, purses, planner covers, etc.) Includes all techniques. No pillows, table runners or other home furnishing items.