

2016 Colors in Motion Quilt Show Rules and Regulations

- 1) **QUILTS MUST BE CLEAN** – NO STAINS, FOOD OR ANIMAL HAIR ON THE QUILT AND NO SMOKE OR OTHER ODORS. The Show Committee reserves the right to refuse a quilt that does not meet these conditions.
- 2) Quilts may not have been entered in a previous CCQG show.
- 3) Entry is open to anyone. Entry fees for CCQG members are \$8 for the first quilt entered, which includes admission to the show, and \$3 for each additional judged entry. Entry fees for non-CCQG members are \$28 for the first quilt entered, which includes one day's admission to the show and membership to the guild, and \$3 for each additional judged entry. There is no further charge for exhibit-only quilts. Entry fees are non-refundable.
- 4) Entry fee for the Junior Category (18 and under) is \$3, which is admission to the show (with Student ID). There is no further charge for judging in this category only. Juniors may enter in other categories but will need to pay for each judged entry as stated in #3 above.
- 5) A label must be sewn to the bottom right corner on the back of each entry. This may be a temporary label and should include the entrant's name and the name of the quilt. (If you have a label elsewhere on the quilt, please cover it and add a temporary label as described.)
- 6) Please do not bring items to be attached to the quilt for hanging (photos, etc.) If you wish, you may send a photo with the story of the quilt at the time of registration. These will be hung at the discretion of the Hanging Committee.
- 7) All entries must have a 4" hanging sleeve attached, except for Division 8. See below for directions.
- 8) The Judging Committee and/or the judge reserves the right to re-classify any entry.
- 9) Judged entries must be entered by the maker (in the case of Duo or Group quilts, one of the makers). Only judged entries are eligible for Judge's awards. Other awards may be granted as determined by the Show Committee.
- 10) Quilting must be evident on all judged entries. The judge must be able to see the quilting on the front **and** back of the work.
- 11) Entries may be for sale. Cable Car Quilters Guild receives a 20% commission on all sales. Please contact Sue Kahre-Stradford at 608-348-9026 or sjkahre@hotmail.com for more information.
- 12) ALTHOUGH ALL POSSIBLE CARE AND ATTENTION WILL BE GIVEN TO PROTECT EACH ITEM ENTERED, CABLE CAR QUILTERS GUILD AND THE DUBUQUE COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS ACCEPT NO RESPONSIBILITY FOR LOSS OR DAMAGE. It is the responsibility of the quilt owner to insure his/her own items – generally you will need a rider on your homeowner's policy.
- 13) Entry Deadlines:
 - a. Mailed paper entries must be postmarked by March 31, 2016. Payment may be made later but must be received by May 1, 2016.
 - b. Entries sent by email must be received by April 18, 2016. Payment must be received by May 1, 2016.
- 14) **DELIVERY & PICK-UP**
 - a. All items must be hand-delivered on May 11, 2016 between 9 am and noon to the 4H Building at the Dubuque County Fairgrounds, 14583 Old Highway Road, Dubuque, Iowa. Entries will NOT be accepted before 9 a.m. or after noon. Please fold quilts so that the label is visible.
 - b. All items must be picked up on Saturday, May 14, 2016 between 5 and 6 p.m. in the Grand Ballroom at the Dubuque County Fairgrounds. NO ITEMS will be released before this time. A \$25 late fee will be charged for any item not picked up during the scheduled time.

Hanging Sleeve Directions:

Cut a 9" strip of fabric that is 1" less than the width of the quilt. Hem the short ends of the strip. With wrong sides together, sew the long edges together with a 1/4" seam to form a tube. Re-fold the tube so that the seam is centered on the back. Press the seam open. Center the sleeve on the back of the quilt just below the binding. For large quilts, measure 90" from the bottom of the quilt and attach the top of the sleeve at this point, so that the quilt will not touch the floor. Whipstitch the top and bottom edges of the sleeve to the quilt, taking care not to stitch through the front of the quilt. Also stitch the back half of the short ends to the quilt, leaving the front open to insert the display pole. The hanging sleeve will not be considered when judging and needs only to be temporary.