

Pines & Needles



NEWSLETTER OF THE MONTEREY PENINSULA QUILTERS GUILD

JANUARY 2020

MPOG.ORG

General Meeting Monday, Jan. 6, 2020

6:15 PM Set-up & Social time
7:00 PM Meeting

Pacific Grove Community Center
515 Junipero Avenue
(at 15th Street)
Pacific Grove, CA 93950

What to Bring:

- Name tag
- BOM
- Check or cash for raffle tickets and workshops
- Community Quilts
- Library books
- Calendar for Volunteering
- Show & Tell
- Quilt Show entry forms

MPQG Calendar

January 6 @ 7 PM

General Meeting: Thom Atkins,
My Quilts, Start to Finish

January 28 @ 5:30PM

Board Meeting at Monterey
Library

February 3 @ 7 PM

General Meeting: Colleen
Granger, A Bodacious Trunk
Show

February 25 @ 5:30 PM

Board Meeting at Monterey
Library

February 29 - March 1 @ 10 AM

MPQG Workshop: Little 4-patch
with Kellie Willey

March 2 @ 7 PM

General Meeting: Kellie Willey

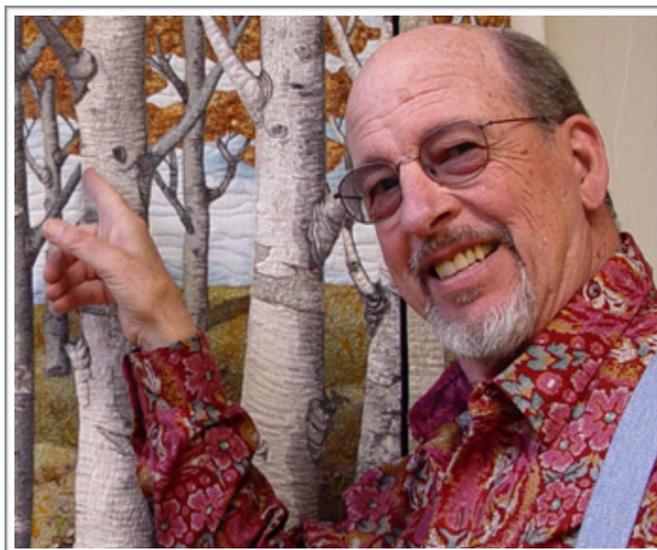
Next Meeting

Monday, January 6, 2020 — 7:00 PM

Speaker: Thom Atkins

My Quilts — Start to Finish

www.thomatkins.com



Beads! Thom has been working on and off with beads for some thirty years, starting with jewelry, then bead embroidery and finally, bead embellished quilts. One of his mentors has been his sister Robin Atkins, teacher, friend, and fellow beadophile. It was under her tutelage that he learned bead embroidery. He has since adapted the basic embroidery stitches for the application of beads to quilts.

In this lecture, he will show how he approaches each new quilt, starting with the fabrics and/or design idea, cutting, putting it together, and then finishing the quilt.

Don't miss hearing Thom, a Monterey Bay local, as he shares his passion for beading and quilting.

Kathrin Brown, Programs
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President's Letter — January 2020



I hope that everyone who attended our holiday party had a great time. There were plenty of savories and even more sweets to sample. With raffle baskets, silent auction items, games and entertainment, the evening flew by. Plus, we got to hear from some of the recipients of our charity quilts and see the pile of quilts that represented the fruits of your labor. A special thanks to Fatima Diaz for taking on this event and organizing such a great time for the final meeting of the year.

If you missed the holiday party, be sure to come to the January meeting and pick up your packet of tickets to sell or purchase for our current raffle quilt. This quilt will be awarded at our Quilt Show in April so we only have a few more months to sell tickets. Be sure to let Rita know if you can take the quilt and sell tickets at another Guild or organization that you belong to.

Looking forward to January, I am excited to have Holly Casey presenting our next raffle quilt design. Be sure to join us so you can see what she has planned and how you can participate. It will be a fun quilt to work on and we are hoping to involve as many members as we can in the making of this quilt.

In the meantime, I wish everyone a wonderful holiday season and Happy New Year!

Sherrill
quiltersherrill@gmail.com

Upcoming Workshop



Little 4-Patch Workshop February 29 — March 1, 2020

Kellie Willey — littlequiltcreations.com

Do you want to improve your accuracy of cutting and piecing? Well, this is the workshop to take as you will be working with small pieces. This is a workshop for all levels!

Kellie Willey is a "Miniature Quilt Maker" and will share her experiences and techniques in this workshop. Create little 4-patch blocks that measure 1-inch finished! Don't be alarmed, have fun and improve. Best of all: You will actually finish this project in the 2-day workshop. Accurate cutting and piecing techniques will be

taught as well as fabric choice and design layout. This is your only chance to take this class, as Empty Spools is no longer offering it.

Registration is open now!!! Find [sign-up form](#) and cancellation policy at mpgg.org/workshops

Contact Carole Olsen for more info: caroleolsen@gmail.com.

Note: *New workshop policy — Full refund is available ONLY if workshop is canceled or notice of 90 days or more is given. Otherwise, fee is refunded only if class is canceled or the vacancy can be filled.*

Holiday Party Wrap-up

A spectacular rainbow emerged victorious from the lashing rain storm to sparkle for our Winter Social. And, if the success of a party is defined by the volume of the guests, we had a great evening.

It was heartwarming to hear from the people who receive our Charity Quilts. A patient of US Renal Care spoke of the comfort her quilt gives her during dialysis and how it cheers her to see other patients snuggled in their own quilts. Teressa Jimenez shared the joy of CASA children as they deliberate to choose their special quilt. Patty Kennedy expressed how parents of the tiny patients in the NICU appreciate our quilts.

Tasty treats competed with brimming baskets and fabulous auction items for our attention. The dessert table overflowed and the assortment of deviled eggs excited many a quilter. Games were played and prizes won. And throughout the night wonderful music from the multitalented June Cornell and her husband Darryl had us humming along (sadly, hopes of a singalong were dashed).

Thank you to the many people who made the party a success: those who set up, helped clean up, who jumped in to solve a glitch, who donated baskets and/or auction items, who brought fabulous food and all who supported the Grants Program with your purchases. Your participation and enthusiasm provided a wonderful kickoff to the Holiday Season and needed dollars for our Grants.

We earned \$1,425 from the Raffle Basket ticket sales, \$550 from the Silent Auction and received \$30 in donations for a total of \$2,005. (Guess the rumor that people already have too much fabric and just want to donate to the Grants is not accurate).

Donors and winners are as follows: Words and Things, donated by **Communications Team**, won by Stella Le Pine; Holidays (**Soup and Bread (S&B)**) won by Linda Garafalo; Summer (**S&B**) Bert Sison; Sparkly Celebration (**S&B**) won by Carole Olsen; Valentine Bunnies (**S&B**) won by Jeanne Krener; Strings and Things (**No Strings Attached**) won by Patty Kennedy; Let's Make it Christmas (**June Cornell and Sharon Clune**) won by Cheryl Murphy; Wine & Things (**MPQG Board**) won by Tom Delarmos (guest of US Renal Care); Tea Basket (**Tea Timers**) won by Catherine McGovern; Mixed Bag (**Out of the Box**) won by Patricia Brown; Sew Polka Dots (**Kathrin Brown**) won by Fatima Dias; Coffee and Cream (**Friends of Fred**) won by Gudny Campbell; Sew Provencal (**Jeanne Krener**) won by Anna Russell; Batik Beauties (**Linda Stoner**) won by Bev Taylor; Baby Basket (**S&B**) won by Alyssa Bohn; Honey Bee (**Tracey Gates**) won by Karen Schafer; Teddy Bear Nursery (**Terann Carr**) won by Jeanne Krener and Colleen Johnson. Our last basket, Quilt in a Basket (**Gail Abeloe**) was won by Robin Stoner, who had told me earlier in the evening she wasn't a quilter. She can't say that anymore!

Winners of the Silent Auction were Rita Jacques, Tracy Gates, Linda Garafalo, Marjorie Longo, Catherine McGovern, Alisa Boehme, Kathrin Brown, Chris Beach, Cheryl Murphy and Cec Larsen. They were a very happy bunch.

Our Guild is strong because of you. Thank you for your spirit, your talent and your generosity; may your new year be filled with much happiness.

Fatima Dias
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Holiday Party Festivities



Sweet



June Cornell and her husband Daryl



Savory



Raffle Baskets



Bert Sison



Carole Olsen



Robin Stoner

Community Outreach — Thank You



Thank You from US Renal Care

To all the amazing Quilters,

Thank you once again for ten of the most beautiful quilts we have ever received! We are so grateful to be the recipients of these treasures, and as our patient Valerie N. pointed out, it is heartwarming to see everyone in the clinic with a lovely quilt on their laps! (Valerie really enjoyed herself at the party, by the way). As always, we appreciate your support. Thank-you for including me in your holiday festivities! It was fun! Happy Holidays!

*Margaret Blume
US Renal Care*



Thank You from the Staff at CASA

Thank you so much Quilters Guild for the very awesome quilts you provided for the kids at CASA. It is a real joy to be able to give them this gift and their folks let us know they are really appreciated. So, Thank You — Joan

Thank you very much for the beautiful quilts. Our youth love them, and CASAs enjoy giving them as gifts. Thank you for your dedication and for all you do for CASA. — Andria

Thank you for the wonderful quilts and blankets. They truly bring joy to our youth and advocates! — Dana

Thank you for your beautiful works of art. Your handmade gifts are an absolute treasure. — Marissa

Thank you so much for all you do for CASA! All the hard work and dedication shows in your quilts. — Julian

Thank you so much for all the support! We truly appreciate it! — Georgina

You are all so talented. Please know that these quilts bring so much joy. — Teresa

Your quilts are beautiful! Thank you. — Kathryn

Thank you so much Quilters Guild team for all of the love and hard work you put into the beautiful quilts. It is relayed and much appreciated. — Francesca

Thank you for always thinking of our kids. — Edna

You are so amazing. We are blessed to be the recipient of your generosity. Your quilts are gorgeous! — Vicki

I wish you could see the kids' faces when they get their quilt. Thank you so, so very much — Kylie

Appreciate all you do! — Rosa

Thank you so much for the beautiful quilts and your dedication. — Stacey

The Staff at CASA

Community Outreach

Charity Totals Are In

We were a busy group this year! Here are the totals and the organizations we supported in 2019.

In the Quilt category:

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|---|------------|
| The Christ Child Society | 12 |
| VTC | 18 |
| US Renal Care | 32 |
| Fire Victims (plus 5 pillowcases) | 31 |
| CASA (plus 16 dolls with quilts) | 66 |
| Neonatal all three hospitals | 120 |
| Total (not counting doll quilts) | 279 |

And we gave out 86 heart pillows!

Thank you so much for your excellent work and enthusiasm for giving!

Terann Carr
831-375-7881

CQFG Sew-In

Start the New Year with the CQFG! Our Sew-In will be January 17th at 9:30 a.m. until after lunch. We will be stuffing pillows for our February heart pillow gifting. Remember, they are for breast cancer patients, and support the shoulder on the side of the surgery. Make up a few and bring them along. This is always a good gab-fest!

We meet at my home near Laguna Seca. If you are new and need directions just call.



Terann Carr
831-375-7881

Outstanding Kits

Just a reminder for those who have checked out neonatal quilt kits, please complete them and return them. Some were checked out quite a while ago actually, and may be hiding somewhere in your stash of projects. They are simple and don't take more than an afternoon to sew up. You can finish them easily by stitching them like a pillowcase, turning and topstitching. No batting needed. Simple quilting or tying finishes them quickly.

Thank you.

Terann Carr
831-375-7881

Quilting 101 at Chamisal

The next class is on **Wednesday, January 15, 1:00pm-3:00pm and is open to ANYONE!**

The project this month is this lined bag which is perfect as a lunch tote.

To sign up, contact Cec Larsen.

Class is held at Chamisal, 185 Robley Rd, Corral De Tierra, CA 93908.

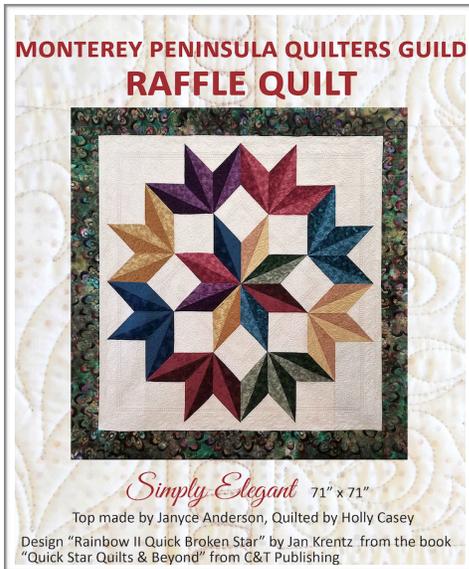


We are looking for members who would like to teach one of these classes. Projects are beginner friendly and can be finished in two hours. I will be there to assist. Please contact me if you have a pattern and could instruct a small group of five students. Added benefit: The Bistro at Chamisal is open to anyone, so you could get lunch before or after class.

Contact me.

Cec Larsen
831-484-1135

2020 Raffle Quilt — Simply Elegant



Tickets can be purchased
between now and April 5th at:

Back Porch Fabrics
157 Grand Avenue at Central
Pacific Grove, CA 93950
831-375-4453

Tickets: \$1 each, 6 for \$5.

Drawing 3:30 pm, Sunday, April 5, 2020

At the MPQG Quilt Show

Quilts by the Bay
Chautauqua Hall
16th Street at Central
Pacific Grove, CA 93950

Winner need not be present to win.

In January I will be distributing 24 tickets to each of our members to help us with sales. You can purchase these yourself or sell to friends and neighbors.

Also, if any of you belong to a community organization where we might be able to display our quilt, please let me know. April will be coming very quickly and I want to maximize the exposure of this quilt. Everyone who sees it loves it.

Rita Jacques
Raffle Quilt Marketer
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MPQG Membership

Membership News



Though we have no new members to announce this month, several members have rejoined and are back in our online directory. Please remember to let me know if you have any changes in your contact information—especially a change in email address—so we can alert you about important guild business and upcoming events.

As I reflect on the terrific new members who have joined over the past year, I'm impressed by the expertise they've brought to our guild and their willingness to take on responsibilities. We are a creative, industrious, "can do" group of women! And there's no better way to meet our extraordinary members—and possibly create some lovely new friendships—than to get involved any way that's interesting to you. Not sure how to help yet? The quilt show will offer lots of opportunities to work together. Meanwhile, consider entering a quilt in the show. All levels of quilters are welcome!

Wishing you a satisfyingly creative and productive new year,

Linda Branting
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2020 MPQG Quilt Show

2020 Quilt Show Judging Committee Notes for Members

It's hard to believe, but it's getting to be time for us all to be planning on which quilts we will be entering in the 42nd MPQG Quilt Show which will be held April 3, 4, and 5, 2020. There is some basic information you should know in your planning process:

1. Entries will be due no later than **February 3, 2020**, at the Guild meeting that evening. They can be mailed prior to that date, but must be mailed in time to be received **BY THAT DAY**.
2. You may enter as many as five quilts to be shown, PLUS any Challenge Quilts.
3. If you wish a quilt to be judged, there is a judging fee of \$8.00 per quilt. You may enter to be judged as many as three quilts, INCLUDING challenge quilts, from among the total number of quilts you've entered to be shown. Each quilt to be judged must have been completed within the past three years (since January 1, 2017)
4. The Entry Form will need to be accompanied by a glossy 4"x6" photo of the quilt and a check or cash for the amount due if the quilt is to be judged. The Maker **MUST** be a member of MPQG as of 2/3/2020.
5. The categories have not been changed from last year and are as follows:
 - a. Traditional Quilts (large and small), hand-quilted
 - b. Traditional Quilts (large and small), machine-quilted
 - c. Top by One, Quilted by Another (large and small)
 - d. Special Quilt Techniques (large and small)
 - e. Group Quilts (any size)
 - f. Kit Quilts (any size)
 - g. Modern Quilts (large and small)
 - h. Art Quilts (large and small)
6. Art quilts must be based on a **COMPLETELY ORIGINAL** design and intended to be hung as a work of art.
7. If you wish to sell your quilt, you must submit with the entry form **WRITTEN PERMISSION** from the pattern maker. Your quilt will not be accepted for sale if you do not have written permission.
8. The [Entry](#) and [Judging Applications](#) are attached to the end of this newsletter and will be published again in the MPQG newsletters for February.



If you have questions, please call me at 831-655-8009 or leave a message and I will return your call.

Debbie Biller
831-655-8009

2020 MPQG Quilt Show (cont.)

Quilt Show Committee Gets Ready...

Debbie Biller's article (page 8) outlines what all members need to know about entering your quilt into the show. At the same time as we finish these quilts, the committee is getting ready for our **BIGGEST EVENT OF THE YEAR** — our annual Quilt Show on **Friday, Saturday, Sunday: April 3, 4, and 5** (Hours 10-5 Fri/Sat, 10-4 Sun).

Please note below that we have a few **OPEN POSITIONS**. Unless someone volunteers, we will **NOT HAVE AN AWARDS PARTY** this year (scheduled for April 3, 6-7:30pm). Talk to me about this position— you can make the party whatever you want; e.g., potluck, catered, etc. (within the budget).

While each committee works independently, we get together twice to make sure all actives are aligned.

Saturday, January 11, 1:00pm @ Monterey Library

Saturday, March 7, 1:00pm @ Monterey Library

| COMMITTEE MEMBERS | |
|---|--|
| Awards Party: _____ | Library Display: _____ |
| Admissions: Phyllis Martin | Mini Quilt Raffle: Linda Stoner/Ann Croll |
| Boutique [TBD]: June Cornell | Parade: Marie Faile |
| Design: Linda Branting/Phyllis Martin | Programs: Claudia Gano |
| Garage Sale: Terann Carr/Donna Appleget | Quilt Reception & Return: Regina Moore |
| Finance: Chris Beach | Signs: Joy Colangelo |
| Publicity: Maia Liddle | Transportation: Cec Larsen |
| Hanging & Dismantling: Patricia Brown | Viewer's Choice Awards: Linda Garofalo |
| Judging, Quilt Entries & Data: Debbie Biller | Volunteer Coordinator: Heather Clifton/ Naomi Waters |
| Data Entry: Sharon Winter | |
| Judging: Judi Brown | White Gloves: _____ |
| Judging: June Wolfe | Raffle Quilt Marketer: Rita Jacques |

Thank you all for what you do. It would not be possible without everyone's efforts and enthusiasm.

Kathrin Brown, 2020 Quilt Show Chair
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 408-838-1004

Sad News

Dr. Wayne Hughes, husband of longtime member Joan Hughes, passed away on December 3, 2019. Our thoughts are with Joan and her family and friends during this tough time.

Block of the Month — January 2020

* Scrappy Court House Steps in Blue and Light *



What colors have we not used in a while and fit the season? Blue and Light as in Winter Blues. Here is a block that Bonnie Hunter just posted a tutorial for. So, check it out on her website if these instructions are unclear. <https://quiltville.blogspot.com/2019/10/crooked-courthouse-steps.html#more> **But make sure you make the size requested here!**

Materials Needed

Go into your scrap bin and pull these:

One (1) 2" square for the center - bright green

Eight (8) strips of light fabric (white, cream, palest blue) sized 2" to 8" long and 3/4" to 2" wide

Eight (8) strips of blue fabric - sized 3" to 10" long and 3/4" to 2" wide

Instructions

1. Starting with the green center square, add the shortest light fabric pieces to two opposite sides. Press away from center. Trim length as needed to match with center square. (pic 1)
2. Sew the two shortest blue strips to the opposite two sides. Press away from center. Cut off any extra to create a square - it's not important to have it even or square — it's improv. (pic 2)
3. Continue building in this manner to two opposing sides with each color, pressing away from center, trimming where necessary until four (4) strips have been added to all four sides.
4. Ideally, your last strip is wider than 1/2" so that it won't be cut off when squared up or get lost in the seam allowance when sewing to another block.
5. **Square up your block to 9.5" x 9.5"**



Admire and make another if you enjoyed it!

Contact kathrin.brown@gmail.com if you have any questions.

Remember, we appreciate DIFFERENT blocks. So if you make multiple blocks, please use different fabrics. This BOM is due at the guild meeting on **January 6, 2020**.

More info on the BOM at mpgg.org/block-of-the-month

MPQG Friendship Groups



These groups are open to all MPQG members. Please contact the member listed below. Or contact me, if you would like an introduction to a group, or if you need help forming a new friendship group.

Marjorie Longo
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| <p>Carmel <i>Tea Timers</i> Meets Wednesday 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. Pat Tillson, 831-625-4123 All levels meet to do handwork.</p> | <p>Carmel <i>Out of the Box Quilters</i> Meets the 2nd and 4th Thursdays 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. Marjorie Longo, 831-624-8649 All levels meet to sew, discuss, and create.</p> | <p>Laguna Seca Area <i>No Strings Attached</i> Meets the 3rd Tuesday 4pm-6pm Chamisal Bistro - Happy Hour Robles Road Corral De Tierra CA Cec Larsen, 235-0456</p> |
| <p>Carmel Valley <i>Cut-Ups</i> Meets the 1st Thursday 12-4pm, St. Dunstan's Church; Liz Rondelle, 831-601-0330 Meets to sew, share mini demos, group challenges, and charity quilts. Large tables available.</p> | <p>Mid Carmel Valley <i>Valley Girls</i> Meets the 3rd Thursday 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. Diana Vorne 247-7635 All levels meet for sewing and some group projects.</p> | <p>Monterey <i>Stitch and Dine</i> Meets the 2nd Tuesday 3:00 - 6:30 p.m. Gudny Campbell, 831-372-6369 Sewing and dinner.</p> |
| <p>Laguna Seca Area <i>Charity Quilt Friendship Group</i> Meets the 3rd Friday 9:30 a.m. to ?? Terann Carr, 831-375-7881 All welcome to participate.</p> | <p>Salinas <i>Que Sera Sera</i> Meets every Monday, 11-2pm Active Seniors, Inc. Susan Riddoch, 831-449-6315 Focus on embellishments.</p> | <p>New Monterey <i>Friends of Fred</i> Meets the 3rd Monday 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. Regina Liske, 831-333-9302</p> |

Member Quilt Show



"Poppy Field - Santa Ynez Valley"

I'm Quilt-ting...!!
Quilts and Photographs
Carmay Knowles

November 10th through January 7th
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KNOW YOUR MEME: STITCHING VIRAL PHENOMENA — Thru Jan. 12, 2020

SHIRLEY CUNNINGHAM AND MARIANNE LETTIERI: NEVER ENDING THREAD — Jan 19 - Apr 12

INSIDE OUT: SEEING THROUGH CLOTHING — Jan. 19 - Apr. 12

January 10-February 28

Look What We Did! Quilts by the Staff of Back Porch Fabrics. backporchfabrics.com

January 23-26

Road to California. Quilters conference & showcase. road2ca.com

February 22-23

Quilts — History in the Making. Pajaro Valley Quilt Association 2020 Quilt Show. Santa Cruz County Fairgrounds, Watsonville, CA. pvqa.org

March 21-22

2020 Voices in Cloth — Extraordinary Quilts by the Bay. Presented by East Bay Heritage Quilters. Craneway Pavilion, 1414 Harbour Way South on the Richmond Waterfront. ebhq.org/quilt-shows/vic2020

April 3-4

Foothill's Quilt Show — Sharing the Joy of Quilting. ARD Regional Park, 3770 Richards Drive, Auburn, CA. foothillquilters.org

April 4-5

Guild of Quilters of Contra Costa County Quilt Show. Centre Concord, 5298 Clayton Road, Concord, CA. gqccc.org

June 27-28

Seven Sisters Quilt Show — Quilts of the Central Coast, a Multi-Guild Regional Show. Alex Madonna Expo Center at the Madonna Inn, San Luis Obispo, CA SevenSistersQuiltShow.org

July 18-19

Piecemakers Quilt Guild — Legacies of Love 2020 Quilt Show. Dominican Center, 43326 Mission Circle, Fremont, CA. piecemakersguild.org

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Preview # _____ Category Number: _____ Fee Paid: Cash / Check

MPQG Judging Application 2020

Name: _____ Signature _____ Tel. _____

Title of Entry: _____

Information: Debbie Biller (831-655-8009) or email: mtj_monk@yahoo.com

Entry Requirements:

- Each member may enter a total of 3 items to be judged including challenge quilts.
- All entries must have been completed within the past three years.
- Maker of entry must be a member of the MPQG as of Feb 3, 2020
- Quilt entries must have 3 layers and be hand quilted or machine quilted or tied.
- Entry must not have been displayed in a MPQG Quilt Show in the past.
- A judging fee of \$8.00 per quilt must accompany entry, submitted no later than February 3, 2020
- **PLEASE NOTE:** For your use in deciding which category to enter, Definitions for quilts that may be included in each category are listed on page 2 of the Judging Application. (This page does not need to be turned in.)

Please List Specific Design Source:

Original _____ Book/Pattern _____
Class/Workshop _____ Other _____

Please Check One Category Only:

Traditional Quilts * (see definition on page two)

Large Quilts – Total perimeter: 240 inches OR MORE

1. _____ Hand-quilted, Traditional, Large (Must be entirely hand-quilted)
2. _____ Machine-quilted, Traditional, Large (Must be entirely machine-quilted)

Small Quilts – Total perimeter: LESS THAN 240 inches

3. _____ Hand-quilted, Traditional, Small (Must be entirely hand-quilted)
4. _____ Machine-quilted, Traditional, Small (Must be entirely machine-quilted)

“Top by One, Quilted by Another” (Note: name of quilter must be included on entry form)

5. _____ “Top by One, Quilted by Another,” Large - **Total perimeter: 240 inches OR MORE**
6. _____ “Top by One, Quilted by Another,” Small - **Total Perimeter: LESS THAN 240 inches**

Special Quilt Techniques * (see definition on page two)

7. Special Quilt Techniques, Large – **Total perimeter: 160 inches or more**
8. Special Quilt Techniques, Small – **Total perimeter: LESS THAN 160 inches**

Group Quilts (all sizes) * (see definition on page two)

9. _____ Group Quilt

Kit Quilts (all sizes) * (see definition on page two)

10. _____ Kit Quilt

Modern Quilts * (see definition on page two)

11. _____ Modern Quilt, Large - **Total perimeter 120 inches OR MORE**
12. _____ Modern Quilt, Small - **Total perimeter LESS THAN 120 inches**

Art Quilts * (see definition on page two)

13. _____ Art Quilt, Large – **Total perimeter 120 inches OR MORE**
14. _____ Art Quilt, Small – **Total perimeter LESS THAN 120 inches**

Ribbons: First, second, and third place and honorable mention MAY be awarded at the discretion of the judge; Best of Show – 1; Judge's Choice - 1 ribbon per judge; Youth Awards - as appropriate

Definitions for Quilt Judging Categories

Traditional Quilts: Based on a traditional design, pieced and/or appliquéd; includes English paper piecing and foundation piecing (on paper or fabric)

Top by One, Quilted by Another: The quilt top has been completed by one person, and the quilting was done by someone else

Special Quilt Techniques: Includes construction methods such as fusing and digital printing, surface design techniques and embellishments such as thread painting, beading, crystals, embroidery, and painting, or a mixture of hand and machine quilting; includes tied quilts, as well as any quilt that does not obviously fit into any other category

Group Quilt: A quilt with a top which has been completed by two or more persons

Kit Quilt: A quilt made by using, and perhaps altering somewhat, a kit which includes the pattern and pre-selected fabric, thereby collaborating with the author of the pattern and the maker of the kit. *A kit quilt will not be eligible for Best of Show.*

Modern Quilts: Usually functional, simplistic and minimalist, often with bold colors and prints, high contrast, asymmetric design, improvisational piecing, expansive negative space and alternate grid work

Art Quilts: Completely **original** design meant to be hung as a work of art

PLEASE NOTE: A quilt might seem to fit in several categories, but please choose the category you believe best fits your quilt. The Preview Committee will also be assessing the photo for appropriate category and may call you concerning the chosen category if a question arises.