

West Country Quilt & Textile Show QUILT COMPETITION ENTRY FORM

THE CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRY IS 1ST July 2019.

MAKE SURE YOU READ ALL THE RULES AND INFORMATION ABOUT LABELS AND DELIVERY.

Do not send your quilt until you have received confirmation of entry and your labels - see below.

Your Details:

Name:		
Address:		
Postcode:	Tel:	Email:
Are you a professional or amateur quilter? (Professionals receive remuneration from quilting). Quilts will be judged within each category.		Professional / Amateur (delete one)

Quilt details:

Name of your quilt:	Size (in): L: W:
Is your quilt for sale? Yes / No If yes, please state price: £	<i>Details of potential purchasers' will be sent to you.</i>
<i>Tick ALL the boxes below that are relevant to your quilt. This information is taken into consideration during judging.</i>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Pieced <input type="checkbox"/> Wholecloth <input type="checkbox"/> Hand Quilting <input type="checkbox"/> Machine Quilting <input type="checkbox"/> Sampler Quilt <input type="checkbox"/> Machine Applique <input type="checkbox"/> Hand Applique <input type="checkbox"/> Fabric Painting <input type="checkbox"/> Traditional Patchwork <input type="checkbox"/> Embellishment/Surface Texture <input type="checkbox"/> Longarm Machine Quilting (see rules)	
Category Entered: <i>Tick only one box (see competition rules for more details)</i>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bed Quilt (maximum 96") <input type="checkbox"/> Small Wall Hanging (under 40") <input type="checkbox"/> Large Wall Hanging (over 40") <input type="checkbox"/> Miniature Wall Hanging (under 12") <input type="checkbox"/> Child's Play Mat / Comforter <input type="checkbox"/> Art Quilt	
Describe your quilt in approx. 30 words for the exhibition label. Use BLOCK CAPITALS. Name the Longarm Machine Quilter if this technique is used (even if this is you).	

Submission of Entry Form

Send completed entry form, entry fee (£5) and appropriate return delivery fee to Nationwide Exhibitions UK Ltd, PO Box 20, Fishponds, Bristol, BS16 5QU. Make cheques payable to **Nationwide Exhibitions UK Ltd** or call the accounts dept. on 07806 709852 to pay by card.

Delivery of Entry

After the closing date for entries, 1st July 2019, we will send you a) a receipt, b) a reference label, and c) a postage label. Attach the reference label securely to the back of your entry (stitched or safety pinned) then send it by recorded delivery or courier to the address on the postage label. Do not send in your entry until you have received your labels. If you have not received your labels by 31st July 2019 please get in touch. **Entries must be delivered before 23rd August 2019.** Nationwide Exhibitions UK Ltd accepts no responsibility for items lost in transit.

Return of Entry

Indicate your return preference below.

- I will collect my entry at the end of the show on Saturday 31st August 2019 upon production of my receipt or ID. Note – all entries will be taken down when the show has closed and this may take some time.
- Royal Mail Special Delivery - I enclose £10.00 (up to 2kg) / £24.00 (2kg - 10kg)
- Courier - I enclose £16.00 (up to 2kg) / £18 (2kg - 5kg) / £22 (5kg - 10kg)

Entries returned by Royal Mail Special Delivery or courier will be dispatched by 15th September 2019.

By submitting this form you agree to abide by the competition rules and give consent for us to hold and process the personal data you have provided. To request a copy of our full privacy policy go to the website or contact the office.

Signature	Date
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Office use only

Entry form received date		Entry reference number	
Quilt received date -		Receipt sent date	
Quilt collected / returned		Signed	

COMPETITION RULES

1. A separate entry form is required for each entry - photocopies are acceptable.
2. The entry fee is £5 per entry.
3. Quilts must be entered into **one** of these categories:
 - (A) BED QUILT - To fit single, double or king size bed. Maximum size: 96"
 - (B) SMALL WALL HANGING- All sides under 40"
 - (C) LARGE WALL HANGING - Any side over 40"
 - (D) COT or CHILDREN'S QUILT- A quilt or nursery hanging made for a baby or child. Max of 36" wide x 54" long
 - (E) MINIATURE WALL HANGING - All sides under 12"
 - (E) ART QUILT - A quilt entirely of the artist's own design not following any traditional pattern. It must have at least two layers with some stitching. It can be any shape or form including 3D.
4. Awards will be presented in each category. In addition, prizes will be presented for 'Best Professional', 'Best Amateur' and 'Visitors Choice' quilts.
5. (a) Entries **MUST** have a 4 inch deep hanging sleeve attached to the top back. Stitch or safety-pin the sleeve along its top and bottom edges to secure it to the quilt.
(b) Entries that require special framing must have this supplied with the quilt.
(c) Mark materials that protect your entry during transit with your name & address so these can be returned.
(d) Quilts that are longarm machine quilted must have the names of the quilter and the maker in the description of the quilt (even if this is the same person).
5. If your entry is to be returned by Royal Mail or Courier, ensure that the packaging can be reused.
6. By entering the competition you give permission for your entry to be photographed. Photographs taken by the Organisers may be used in a catalogue or future promotional advertising.
7. Entries are exhibited at the owner's risk. Nationwide Exhibitions Ltd. takes reasonable steps to ensure the safety of exhibits and thus have insurance cover for quilts in their possession or on display at shows up to £1000 per individual quilt. If your quilt is valued at more than £1000 you may wish to arrange your own insurance. Entrants should arrange their own insurance of exhibits whilst in transit to and from Nationwide Exhibitions UK Ltd.
8. Glass and frames on picture entries are entered at your **own** risk.
9. The Organisers will try to display all entries but reserve the right not to display any entry. All entries will be returned according to instructions on the entry forms.
10. We will gladly advertise your quilt as being for sale but negotiations regarding the sale must be conducted by you. The Organisers are unable to value quilts or hangings.
11. The judges' decisions are final and no correspondence can be entered into.
12. (a) Entries must follow the conditions for entry and return delivery specified on the front of this form.
(b) Overseas entries are welcome but Nationwide Exhibitions UK Ltd. is **NOT** responsible for any import duties.
(c) Uncollected quilts will be returned by the method selected on the entry form. Return costs are **NOT** refundable.
(d) If using the Royal Mail Special Delivery service be aware of the size restrictions: max size 61cm x 46cm x 46cm or max length of a roll 90cm. Length of a roll plus twice the diameter must not exceed 104cm. Bear in mind that we use bubble wrap to package your quilt and this will add to the overall weight and size of your parcel. If your return parcel is likely to exceed these specifications, please choose the courier service.
13. The prize presentation ceremony will take place on the afternoon of Saturday 31st August. 1st prize winners will be notified by telephone so they can attend the ceremony if they wish.
14. Each entry (apart from the free to enter competitions) will receive a free entry ticket to the show for one day and this will be emailed with the entry confirmation.
15. If you have queries or doubts concerning any of the above rules, please feel free to contact us at any time.

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