

LANDMARK PARK



Quilt SHOW

Preserving heritage and promoting future quilters

OCTOBER 21-23, 2011

Held in conjunction with Wiregrass Heritage Festival at Landmark Park, Dothan, Alabama. Judged Show and Antique Quilt Special Exhibit

QUILT CONTEST RULES

1. Limit is two entries per quilter; limit one entry per category. This limit does not include quilts entered in the Landmark Park Quilt Block Challenge or Antique Quilt Special Exhibit/Exhibit Only Categories. Any number may be submitted to these categories provided they meet the criteria.
2. Each quilt must consist of three components: top, batting and back held together with stitching (excluding crazy quilts). Please credit the traditional pattern, commercial pattern or book and author from which you took inspiration or from which your quilt is made.
3. Entry fee of \$10 per quilt, nonrefundable, must accompany entry form along with a print-out of the digital images or photos. If the back of your quilt is intended to be viewed (space permitting) then an image of this view must be submitted. Make checks payable to Landmark Park. To be accepted for LPQS 2011, all entries must be received by Friday, September 23, 2011. This is the deadline for paperwork only. Please note that there is no entry fee for the Landmark Park Quilt Block Challenge or Antique Quilt Special Exhibit/Exhibit Only Categories. Each contestant will receive one free ticket to Landmark Park's Wiregrass Heritage Festival on Saturday, Oct. 22, 2011, an \$8 value.
4. Quilt must be complete, clean and undamaged to qualify for exhibit. Quilt in the judged categories must have been completed since 2004 and be constructed/quilted by person(s) named on the entry form. Group quilts are by 2 or more quilters. Quilt(s) worked on in any way by more than one person, including the actual quilt stitching, must be entered in the team/group quilt category. Name of group or all quilters involved must be submitted.

5. A cloth label must be attached to the bottom right when looking at the back of the quilt.
6. A sleeve is recommended to be attached to the top back of the quilt to allow us to hang it. See instructions for securing your sleeve to the quilt at countrycrossroadsquilters.com/quilt_sleeve_instructions.pdf or quilting.about.com/od/decoratingwithquilts/ss/quilt_sleeve.htm
7. Each quilt entry must be submitted in a separate cloth bag that can tie or be secured, such as a pillowcase, with the registrant's name and telephone number clearly and permanently marked on the cloth bag. No entries in plastic bags will be accepted. .
8. Quilts must be delivered to Landmark Park or drop off points by Saturday, October 15, 2011. They must be available for judging and display from Saturday, October 15 – Sunday, October 23, 2011. They must be picked up on Sunday, October 23, 2011 at 4:30 p.m.
9. Entry implies consent to photograph quilt for use in event-related publicity.
10. Any prize within a category may not be awarded if it is determined that quilts being judged do not merit a prize. We reserve the right to decline any submission if we deem it inappropriate or feel we do not have room to display the quilt.

See additional Category Definitions.

QUILT ENTRY PROCESS SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2011 Entry form, images and \$10 entry fee for each quilt must be received by Landmark Park, LPQS Entry, P.O. Box 6362, Dothan, Alabama 36302.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 2011 Notification of acceptance will be sent via United States Postal Service. Postcard is your ticket to retrieve your quilt after the show.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2011 Quilts must be received by LPQS at Landmark Park by 4 p.m., or to drop off points, Derrell's Sewing Center, Montgomery Highway, by 1:30 p.m. or Quilted Creations, on the Square in Headland, by 4 p.m.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2011 You will pick up your quilt at Landmark Park at 4:30 p.m. Quilts will remain on display until 4 p.m.

AWARDS IN EACH CATEGORY

- First Place: \$50
- Second Place: no cash prizes, donations by sponsors
- Third Place: no cash prizes, donations by sponsors
- Honorable Mention

AWARDS OVERALL

- Best of Show: \$100
- Best Workmanship Machine Quilted: \$50
- Best Workmanship Hand Quilted: \$50
- Judge's Choice Awards: no cash prizes, but ribbon given.
- Viewer's Choice Award: no cash prizes, but ribbon given.
- First Quilt Award: If this is the first quilt you ever made, please make a note on your application. Each "First Quilt" will be eligible for this prize, regardless of category.

QUILT CATEGORY DEFINITIONS

1. PIECED TRADITIONAL (100) Bed quilts. Must be at least 60" x 75" (or no less than 270" around the outside edges) and be a recognizable traditional quilt pattern. On the entry form, please indicate the traditional pattern used.

2. PIECED INNOVATIVE (200) Bed quilts. Must be 60" x 75" (or no less than 270" around the outside edges) and must be innovative and/or original in design.

3. APPLIQUÉ (300) Bed quilts. Must be at least 60" x 75" (or no less than 270" around the outside edges). Quilts which contain both piecing and appliqué should be entered in the category of the predominate technique.

4. OTHER TECHNIQUES (400) Bed quilts. Must be at least 60" x 75" (or no less than 270" around the outside edges) and can include any single or combination of techniques such as crazy, trapunto, whole cloth, embroidered, batik, painting, etc., in addition to being pieced and/or appliquéd.

5. WALL QUILTS (500) Must be at least 25" x 25" (no less than 100" around outside edges) and not intended for use on a bed. Maximum size determined by hanging area available. Any technique permitted.

6. TEAM/GROUP QUILTS (600) Any quilt which has been worked on by more than one person. This includes any part of design, piecing, appliqué, or quilting. Must be at least 36" x 36" (no less than 144" around outside edges).

7. MINIATURE QUILTS (700) Must not exceed 24" x 24" or a total of 96" around all outside edges. No minimum. Any style/technique.

8. WEARABLE ART (800) Garments. All items in the ensemble must be clearly marked as to owner/garment name.

9. LANDMARK PARK BLOCK CHALLENGE (900) Quilt blocks for this category can be any technique but **MUST** have been inspired by the buildings or activities at the park, or that the park commemorates. These are not quilted. We request a 12 inch finished block but accept any size. They become the property of Landmark Park and may be incorporated into a quilt for promotional purposes at Landmark Park. There is no entry fee for the Landmark Park Block Category.

10. YOUTH QUILT (1000) This category is for young people, age 18 and under entering a quilt of any technique and size. Entire quilt must be pieced, quilted or tied by the young quiltmaker. Young Quiltmakers are not limited to this category. The age of the quilter is required and will be listed in the program.

11. EXHIBITION ONLY/ANTIQUE QUILT SPECIAL EXHIBIT (1100) This category is for quilts that will not be in the judged show. There is no entry fee for this category and there is no limit to entries. Antique quilts must be in reasonably good shape to be displayed. Special care will be taken to keep them intact for many more generations. The display is to appreciate and enjoy the art of quilting. We hope you will share with others your favorite quilt.

PLEASE NOTE: Be precise in placing your quilt in a category. Be sure your quilt meets the size requirements of the category in which you have entered it. If not, it will **NOT** be eligible for competition prizes, but will be judged and receive comments.

*For more information, call Landmark Park at 334-794-3452 or
visit www.landmarkpark.com*



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