

Heritage Quilters of Huntsville (HQH)

Fanfare 2022 Quilt Show Entry Rules

1. You must be a member of HQH to submit a quilt into the show. The HQH member must be the quiltmaker or a participant in the making of the quilt. Acceptance of entries begins on **Thursday, September 16, 2021**.
2. A maximum of **225** quilts will be accepted into the show. A maximum of four entries per entrant with **only one quilt per category will be accepted**. A Fifth Quilt may be submitted with the understanding that all show entries other than Fifth Quilts will have priority acceptance, and a Fifth Quilt may not be accepted once the maximum number of entries is reached.
3. The quilt must meet the **Categories, Sizes, and Terms** specified on the online entry form. The Registration Committee reserves unlimited rights to: (1) re-categorize any entry, (2) refuse acceptance of any entry, and (3) add categories, cancel any category, or combine a category with a similar category where fewer than 7 entries are received, in which case an entrant may have more than 1 quilt in a particular category.
4. The quilt entry deadline is when **225** entries have been received online OR by **11:59pm, January 20, 2022**. If you do not have access to a computer, please contact Sue Bartlow for how to enter.
5. All entries must be quilted by machine or hand or both.
6. A **4-inch** hanging sleeve is required on all quilts with a perimeter of **160 inches or more**, and a **2½ inch** sleeve is required on quilts with a perimeter less than **160 inches**.
7. The quilt entry must be done online and a digital photo of the quilt must be uploaded. A written appraisal is required for quilts valued over \$1,000 which must be uploaded at the end of the online registration.
8. **The following will not be accepted:**
 - Previous HQH Fanfare Quilt Show Entries
 - Quilts completed before January 2016
 - Quilts that can't be hung using the existing HQH pole system
 - Quilts framed with wood, metal, glass, etc.
 - Quilts with electrical components or special lighting

- Antique Quilts
 - Tied Quilts
 - Acquired Quilts
 - Quilts where one or more makers are unknown
 - Soiled Quilts
 - Quilts with visible pet hair
 - Quilts in need of repair
 - Quilts displaying profanity.
9. Each quilt must have a label attached to the back of the quilt stating the name of the entrant and the name of the quilt. The label must be covered with painter's tape or a fabric patch.
10. Each quilt entry must be submitted in a **bag or pillowcase** with the **registrant's name and phone number** permanently marked in legible print near the opening of the bag.
11. **Drop off is March 15, 2022.** Your **Receipt Form** is required for quilt pick up at the quilt show entrance at the conclusion of the show on **March 19, 2022.** Drop off information and pick up details will be sent via email close to show time.

For answers to questions about
Rules, Categories, Terms, Sizes and Entry Qualifications contact:

Registration Chair, Sue Bartlow, suebartlow@gmail.com 256-617-3167
Show Chair, Judy Ballance, ballance.judy@gmail.com 256.658.2021

Ribbon Recognition

***Best of Show**

Chosen from all 1st Place category winners

Best Original Design

Best Use of Color

***Best Hand Quilting**

Exclusively hand quilted

***Best Machine Quilting, Stationary Machine**

Quilt is moved by hand under the sewing machine needle -
75% of quilting must use this method

***Best Machine Quilting, Track Machine**

Sewing machine needle is moved over the stationary quilt - 75% of quilting must
use this method.

1st, 2nd, 3rd Place & Honorable Mention in each Category

Awarded at Judge's discretion

President's Choice

Judge's Choice

Viewer's Choice

1st Place, 2nd Place & 3rd Place ribbons awarded
Selected by show attendees voting

**When Entrant and Quilter are not the same a ribbon will also be awarded to the Quilter*