



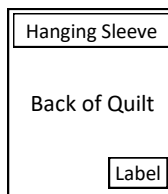
“It’s Sew Wonderful”

Peace River Quilt Festival

Feb. 28 - Mar. 1, 2025

RULES FOR ENTRY

1. Entrant (quilt maker) must be a member of Peace River Quilters’ Guild (PRQG) prior to Sept. 1, 2024, and pay annual renewal dues by Jan. 31, 2025.
2. Entrant may enter up to 3 quilted items plus one (1) quilt for the Show Challenge, *It’s ‘Sew’ Wonderful Life*”.
3. Entrant must have turned in at least one (1) Community Quilt in 2023 and 2024. *Members joining after Sept. 1, 2023 need only complete one quilt.*
4. Entry quilt may not have been previously shown in ANY quilt show.
5. Entry must be constructed and quilted ONLY by entrant.
* Exceptions: “Not My UFO!”, Collaborative, Duet, and Non-Guild Duet Quilts.
6. **KITS**: Accepted ONLY in Art Quilts: Non-Original, Wearables & Accessories, and Non-Guild Duet Quilts.
* KIT: A package of specific fabrics, with pattern and directions for completion, pre-selected by a designer or quilt shop; OR purchased individually by entrant to match pattern cover photo. At least 75% of fabric must be different from fabric or colors suggested by designer to NOT be considered a kit.
7. **QUILT DEFINITION**: Must have 3 layers: fabric top, batting, and backing or lining. Must have a finished edge.
* Exception: Batting usually is not used in some examples of quilts in Non-Traditional Quilts category.
8. **QUILTING**: Entry must have quilting visible on the back.
9. Wood/metal frames or hangers are not allowed.
10. **LABEL**: Entry must have a fabric label with entrant’s name and quilt name. Look at the BACK of your quilt. Securely attach the label in the LOWER RIGHT corner.
* Wearables & Accessories: attach label wherever practical.
11. **LABEL COVER**: A piece of opaque fabric must cover the ENTIRE label. Secure cover with safety pins. Fabric piece and pins will not be returned.
12. **HANGING SLEEVE**: Entry must have a 4” hanging sleeve securely attached to the back, at the top, AND no higher than 96” from the bottom edge of the quilt.
* *Directions for hanging sleeve available on PRQG website.*
13. **HANGING SLEEVE for SMALL QUILTS**: Miniatures and quilts with a perimeter of 100” or less must have a 2” hanging sleeve securely attached to the back, at the top.
* *Directions for hanging sleeve available on PRQG website.*
14. **REGISTRATION**: Every entry must be registered, including Special Exhibit entries. The online Registration Form must be completely filled out for EACH entry. Instructions are on the Form for uploading a .jpg or .jpeg file with photo of the COMPLETED quilt, including binding. Deadline for online Registration is midnight Dec. 31, 2024.
15. **Each Category** must have five (5) or more entries in order to be judged.
16. **CATEGORIES**: Show Committee reserves the right to change the category of an entry if necessary. Every effort will be made to consult with the entrant on this decision.
17. **QUILT FOR SALE**: If entry is to be offered for sale, a completed Quilt for Sale Form must be sent to Registrar.
* *Quilt For Sale form is available on PRQG website.*
18. **TAKE IN**: Entries must be delivered to Faith Lutheran Church on Tues., Feb. 18, 2025 from 12:00—2:00 pm.
19. **QUILT CLEANLINESS**: Entries must be clean AND free of odors, pet hair and loose threads. If not, entrant must remedy the situation by close of Take In. If necessary, decisions of the Take-In team are final.
20. **UNFINISHED QUILTS**: Take In staff will not be responsible for attaching hanging sleeves or label covers, removing pet hairs or deodorizing.
21. **QUILT RECEIPTS**: After check in and inspection, you will receive a receipt for each entry. Keep receipts in a safe place! If someone else will be picking up your quilts, sign your receipts and give to that person for Pick Up.
22. **QUILT PICK UP**: Entries must be picked up at Charlotte Harbor Event Center on Sat., Mar. 1, 2025 from 5:00-6:00 pm. Receipts must be submitted to claim your quilts.
23. **INSURANCE**: Entries will be insured for replacement value only.
24. **APPRAISALS**: Certified Quilt Appraiser Alma Moates will be available during Show hours. To have a quilt appraised, submit a Quilt Appraisal Form and payment to Becky Marsteller by Jan. 31, 2025. See form for fees and details.
* *Quilt Appraisal Form is available on PRQG website.*



SHOW COMMITTEE RESERVES THE RIGHT TO:

- refuse an entry if it does not comply with any Rule.
- change the category of any entry if necessary or in the best interest of the entrant.