

Quilt Celebration 2021 Definitions, Descriptions & Categories

Quilt: A work made of fabric in three layers- top, batting and backing; held together by stitching. (Tied quilts will only be accepted for crazy quilts, cathedral window or yo-yo quilts.)

Pieced: Piecing predominates in construction, design and appearance of the top.

Appliqué: Appliqué predominates in design, construction and appearance of the top.

Mixed: Piecing & appliqué are relatively equivalent in construction, design and appearance of the top.

Kit/BOM: A pre-selected and packed set of fabric & pattern, assembled by a quilt shop or other retailer.

Professional quilter: person(s) who quilts for hire, whether by fee or barter or exchange of services.

The following groups represent solo quilters, i.e. one person only in all phases of quilt creation

Miniature: Miniature, scaled-down version of a large quilt design (Not a single block).

Modern: inspired by modern design, bold color, high contrast, expansive negative space, innovation, improvisation.

Other: Whole cloth, cathedral windows, red work, embroidery, cross stitch, yo-yo, crazy, crayon, paint, etc. Item submitted must be a quilt.

Art-Expressive Design: Original work, includes abstracts; not based on traditional block design, or other variations on traditional quilting.

Art-Pictorial Design: Original work; may be developed from photos or drawings previously taken or made by the quilter, or may be created directly from the quilter's mind. May be of living creatures, persons, buildings, landscapes. No kits, patterns, or use of others' images.

Group: Top made by two or more guild members; quilted by the same persons and/or other members.