



AR Village Quilt Show 2024

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Our purpose is to educate and serve through the artistry of quilting.

“FROM GENERATION TO GENERATION”

SPECIAL EXHIBIT DESCRIPTION

One entry allowed per person.

Quilting is an art that can be enjoyed for a lifetime. Quilting is also a journey with a beginning, a middle and an end. Some of us begin that journey early and some of us begin it later in life but for everyone who calls themselves a “quilter” it is a rewarding experience. When a young person learns the basics of making a quilt they learn skills that will serve them well throughout life. Part of our mission as a guild is to “educate through the artistry of quilting.” This mission includes passing the art on to younger generations. As we sit beside a young person and show them how to choose a pattern, cut fabric, sew a straight seam, and whip down binding we are not only teaching sewing skills that will serve them well throughout life but we are developing connections between generations that will serve all of us well. In presenting this exhibit we also want to encourage our older quilting peers to continue to pursue the craft that has brought them many years of satisfaction. So, this exhibit is for quilters who are at the beginning of or nearing end of their quilting journey.

This includes:

Junior Quilters who have yet to reach their 18th birthday as of July 1, 2024.

Super Senior-Quilters who have reached their 80th birthday on or before July 1, 2024

We would encourage any of our members to spend some time with a junior quilter over the next year. They can take a grandchild or a neighbor under their wing and encourage them to make a quilt and then enter their work in the exhibit. The junior quilter must complete the top with just supervision but someone else can quilt their work.

Quilts entered in this exhibit can use any technique and be any size. However, they must consist of three layers and may not have a false back (see definitions below).

AR Village Quilt Show is presented by HSV Quilt Guild, Inc. a 501(c)(3) organization.

From Generation to Generation quilts are **NOT considered for cash awards**. These quilts will be looked at by the judge for a positive critique but not “judged” in the same way as the general exhibit quilts.

Please note that there is a separate entry form for these quilts. Super-seniors can also enter up to 4 quilts in the judged quilt show using the general entry form. There is no fee for quilts submitted to the “From Generation to Generation” exhibit.

DEFINITIONS:

Perimeter: The sum total of all sides of the quilt.

False back: After the majority of quilting is completed, a final layer is added that shows minimal or no quilting.

Original Design: A design that does not copy the work of another designer, or quilt maker. Displays a new and unusual concept, layout, pattern, and/or design that has not been done before; shows a unique approach in style or design exclusive to the quilt maker.

Three-layer rule: Having three layers: top, batting, and backing.