



West Coast Quilt and Fibre Art Challenge

Mail this form no later than April 1, 2010 to:

The Bernina Corner
#205 – 6355 – 152nd Street
Surrey, B.C. V3S 4K8

Entry fee:

\$10.00 non- refundable registration fee per item

Copy this form as necessary. Use a separate form for each entry. For each entry include a color photo or CD of entry (computer printout of digital photo is acceptable), attached to the back of this form, with name, title and size on the back of the photo or disc. Send with completed entry form and fee to the above address.

Please Print:

Entrant's Name _____ Phone Day _____
Street Address _____ Phone Night _____
City, Province, Postal Code _____ E-mail _____

Information about your quilt:

Title of Entry _____
Size in inches _____" across x _____" long
Approximate Insurance value \$ _____ (Over \$1,000.00 requires a written appraisal, maximum value \$5,000.00)

Techniques:

Traditional Pieced: Hand ____ Machine ____
Traditional Appliqué: Hand ____ Machine ____
Traditional Quilted : Hand ____ Machine ____ Longarm ____
Innovative: Hand ____ Machine ____ Longarm ____
Art Quilt/Wall Hanging: Hand ____ Machine ____ Longarm ____
Wearable Art: Hand ____ Machine ____ Longarm ____
Quilted by _____

Description/history for show: May be edited for length, grammer, clarity and style.

I wish to enter the above item and agree to abide by the quilt contest rules and decisions of the jury an judges. I understand that The Sewing and Craft Show and The Bernina Corner will take every precaution to protect my quilt exhibited in this show. I realize they are not responsible for acts of nature or others beyond their control. If my quilt is exhibited in the Sewing and Craft Show, I realize my signature gives The Sewing and Craft show the right to use a photo of my quilt for promotion of the event in any publications, advertisements, catalogue of show quilts and printed or electronic materials.

Signature _____
Visa or MasterCard# _____ Exp. Date: _____

Quilt Competition rules:

1. **The West Coast Quilt and Fibre Art Challenge** is open to all. Enter each piece by submitting entry form, entry fee and images of the completed work. Quilt/wall hanging/fibre art must be constructed and quilted by person or persons named on entry form. Limit of 2 entries per person or group. One entry of quilt/wall hanging/fibre art per category. Family members/permanent employees of show management or sponsors are not eligible.
2. Quilts, Wall Quilts and Fibre Arts are eligible for competition. Entry must be worked/quilted by hand or machine or both. No kits, panels or tied quilts. There is no maximum size for quilt entries. Traditional and Innovative refer to design, not to construction techniques. Innovative entries should emphasize innovation in design.
3. Amateur entries are defined as entries created by persons who have never taught quilting for a fee, long arm quilted for a fee, published books on the subject of quilting, made money from their quilting through selling, designing or stitching. Group quilts are not eligible for amateur entry status.
4. Professional entries are defined as persons who use long arm machines and quilt others quilts for a fee and persons who teach quilting for a fee.
5. Entries must be in excellent condition.
6. Each entry from must include a photograph of the entry to be used in planning and identification purposes.
7. Each quilt entry must have at least a 3" sleeve casing as well as a cloth label with the name, address and telephone number of the entrant sewn clearly to the back. Other fibre art entries must come equipped with a method of hanging for display, as well as a label with name, address and telephone number of the entrant attached to the back.
8. Ship the entry in a secure carton. We suggest placing the item in a sturdy plastic bag. Do not use styrofoam or cellulose "peanuts". Put name address and phone number on each bag. Cost of return shipping and insurance will be the responsibility of the artist.
9. Drop off or ship entry to: The Bernina Corner #205 6355 – 152nd Street Surrey, B.C. V3S 4K8. Entries must be at the above address no later than 10:30a Thursday, April 15, 2010. Entries can also be dropped off at the Tradex no later than 2p Thursday, April 15, 2010.
9. Accepted entries may have slides and photographs taken that will become the property of the producer for publicity and/or publication.
10. Filing of your signed application signifies agreement with these conditions.
11. Judging will take place the Thursday before the show. Judges decisions are final. Judges may combine classes.
12. Longarm entries must acknowledge the business or individual who completed the quilting. See Quilt Information on the entry form.
13. Winning quilts from previous West Coast Quilt and Fibre Art Challenges cannot be re-entered.