

The Redbud Trail Quilt Guild and the Town & Country Homemakers

Are Proud to Sponsor

The

6th Annual Redbud Trail Quilt Show

Quilts Entries will be on display at the

Union College Robsion Arena

from

Friday, April 9 thru Saturday, April 10

2010

Appalachian Heritage Yesterday and Today

As settlers seeking their fortunes and newfound freedoms expanded their quests westward, many remained along the Appalachians. The quilts of these areas vary in pattern and techniques depending largely on their makers' ancestry and necessity. Due to the colder climate in the north, women and their young daughters chose simple patterns, tacking and tying to complete their quilts, including feed sacks of muted or dull colors to bright, vibrant colors and prints have transformed the classic patterns of yesterday into masterful works of art today. Women in the more southern climates often chose to spend more time developing or copying intricate patterns and hand quilting designs. Today, with the help of technology, patterns and fabrics from all over the world are easily accessible to most Appalachian quilters.

Categories

Yesterday's quilt, more than 50 years old

Today's quilts...

Hand Quilted-Bed Quilt

Machine Quilted- Bed Quilt

Small quilt (Lap or Baby)

Wall hanging including miniature

Youth/Made by someone 16 or less.

First Quilt

1. This is a non-judged quilt show. Only Viewer's/People's Choice Awards will be given in each category. Ribbons will be awarded each category with a cash prize for the grand prizewinner.
2. An accurate color photo of your completed quilt (3 1/2 x 5 or 4x6) must accompany each entry along with the story of the quilt. Please print the name of the quilt and your name on the back of the photo. Entries will close March 15, 2010.
3. Quilts must be brought or mailed in and received by April 2, 2010.
4. All quilt entries must have a 4" sleeve and a label with the maker's name on the back of the quilt. You must include the name(s) of everyone who has worked on the quilt, including the name of the person who quilted it.
5. Each entry must have three layers, fabric top, batting, and backing.
6. The Quilt Show Committee reserves the right to reject items that are not appropriate or not ready for display. All entries must be clean (free of dirt, smoke or animal hair) completed and ready to hang.
7. All quilts must remain on display through the duration of the show from April 8 thru April 10 at 5 p.m. You may pick up your quilt at that time if you have not arranged for it to be mailed back to you.
8. While the utmost care will be taken with each quilt, insurance is the responsibility of the exhibitor.
9. If mailing your quilt, include a self-addressed, stamped postcard or envelope, it will be mailed to the sender as acknowledgement of delivery. Also, send in a sturdy box, it will be used for returning your quilt, along with a pre-paid postage and shipping label if you want your quilt to be returned by mail. Insurance coverage is your choice and responsibility. Please tell your shipping carrier to include your desired amount of insurance with your pre-paid postage label. If using UPS or Fed Ex the pickup location will be 205 Treuhaft Blvd, Suite 7, Barbourville, KY 40906.
10. If you are hand delivering your entries and want them to returned by mail, the above instructions should be followed. You may bring your entries into the Barbourville Tourism Office at 196 Daniel Boone Drive, Suite 205, Barbourville, KY 40906.

11. Casual photos of the quilts may be taken.

We are looking forward to seeing you.

QUILTS WILL NOT BE TAKEN DOWN BEFORE 6:00 PM, SATURDAY, APRIL 10, 2010

DEADLINE FOR ENTRIES IS MONDAY, MARCH 15, 2010.

We will be **accepting deliveries from Monday, March 29, 2010 to April 2, 2010**

Entries should be mailed/shipped to:

Redbud Festival & Quilt Workshop

Barbourville Tourism

196 Daniel Boone Drive, Suite 205

Barbourville, KY 40906

If you choose to personally deliver your entries, please do so at the above address from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm. Office is normally closed for lunch from 1-1:45 pm unless previous arrangements are made. Office number is 606-545-9674.