

THE GREAT NORTHERN QUILT SHOW ENTRY

OPEN COMPETITIVE QUILT SHOW 2022

Friday 9th to Sunday 11th SEPTEMBER

Open: 10.00am - 4.30pm

Presentation of Awards 2.00pm Sunday

AT: EXHIBITION HALL 1,
GREAT YORKSHIRE SHOWGROUND, HARROGATE

OVERALL CHAMPION WINS A SEWING MACHINE

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✦ **SPECIAL THEME CATEGORY: 'NORTH COUNTRY INFLUENCE'** ✦

Theme winner receives a sewing machine, kindly sponsored by JANOME

WE WELCOME & ENCOURAGE BOTH THE AMATEUR AND PROFESSIONAL QUILTER. IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO ENTER A QUILT AND WANT TO KNOW MORE, GIVE US A CALL AND WE WILL GLADLY ASSIST.

■ **CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES 1ST JULY 2022**

■ **AWARDS FOR BEGINNER, INTERMEDIATE &
ADVANCED / PROFESSIONAL QUILTER CATEGORIES**

■ **QUILTING SUPPLIERS STANDS**

Shop with all our quality exhibitors offering you the latest in quilting supplies

■ **MEET THE EXPERTS!**

Check in at one of our many workshops and try something new!

■ **FREE Car Parking** ■ **Large Restaurant** ■ **Disabled Access**

ADVANCE BOOKING & SHOW INFORMATION LINE: 01406 372600

Organisers: Grosvenor Shows Ltd, 282 High Road, Whaplode, Spalding, Lincs PE12 6TG

Telephone: 01406 372600 / 01406 372601

Website: www.grosvenorshows.co.uk E-mail: info@grosvenorshows.co.uk

COMPETITION RULES

A separate entry form and fee is required for each entry - photocopy if extras are required. You can enter as many times as you like into any category.

1. Quilt / Hanging to be entered into one of the following categories:

(This means that you can only enter into one category - e.g. a group or under 16 quilt cannot be entered into the theme)

Please note that quilts larger than the maximum size of 96" might be accepted but **ONLY** by prior agreement with the organisers (due to restricted hanging space).

(a) THEME ENTRY ~ 'North Country Influence'

Size: between 24" & 96". At least one side must be over 24" and all sides must be under 96".

(b) BED QUILT

To fit single, double or king size bed. Maximum size: 96".

(c) SMALL WALL HANGING

Size: between 24" and 40". At least one side must be over 24" and all sides must be under 40".

(d) LARGE WALL HANGING

Size: between 40" and 96". At least one side must be over 40" and all sides must be under 96".

(e) COT QUILT / NURSERY HANGING / PLAYMAT

A quilt, nursery hanging or playmat made for a baby or young child. Size: maximum of 40" wide x 60" long.

(f) MINIATURE / DOLL QUILT

Size: all sides must be under 24". Cannot be entered into the theme category. A true miniature is 1/12 (1:12) scale.

(g) FRIENDSHIP/GROUP QUILT

A quilt made by 3 persons or more - includes Round Robin quilts. Cannot be entered into the theme category.

Size: between 24" & 96". At least one side must be over 24" and all sides must be under 96".

(h) UNDER 16 YEARS

A quilt made by a person or persons under the age of 16. Cannot be entered into the theme category.

Size: between 24" & 96". At least one side must be over 24" and all sides must be under 96".

(i) CUSHION

Front panel must be quilted. Size: to accept 14" - 18" cushion pads only. 1 cushion per entry. No pre-printed panels please.

2. ABILITY CATEGORY DEFINITIONS

We require you to tick the ability category which applies to you on the next page. The definitions of each are given here.

Beginner: Someone who has been doing patchwork, quilting or embroidery for up to 2 years and this is only the first or second time of entering a competition. The entrant should have never won an award in a competition and should not be a teacher or judge of patchwork, quilting or embroidery.

Intermediate: Someone who has been doing patchwork, quilting or embroidery for more than 2 years & has never been awarded overall winner or overall runner up, or won first place in a particular category, e.g. bed quilt, wall hanging, etc., in a national competition. The entrant should not be a teacher or judge of patchwork, quilting or embroidery.

Advanced / Professional: Someone who has been doing patchwork, quilting or embroidery for more than 2 years; has won first place in a particular category or special award; has been awarded overall winner or overall runner up in a national competition; or is a teacher or judge of patchwork, quilting or embroidery.

3. (a) All entries, except Miniature /Doll Quilts **MUST** have a 4 inch deep sleeve stitched to the top back to facilitate hanging (the sleeve should be stitched or safety-pinned along the top and bottom edges to secure it to the quilt).
 - (b) If your entry requires special framing please supply.
 - (c) Any fabric used to protect your entry during travelling, must be clearly marked with your name and address, if you wish it to be returned. Any other packaging including boxes cannot be returned due to storage restrictions.
 - (d) If your quilt is longarm machine quilted, please ensure that both the name and address of the quilter and the maker are included (even if the quilt is longarm quilted by the maker). Please stipulate whether your quilt is hand guided, custom or computer guided longarm quilted.
 4. (a) Entry of the quilt or hanging assumes that the maker has given permission for it to be photographed at the show.
 - (b) Photographs taken by the Organisers may be used in future promotional advertising.
 5. Although every care will be taken, all entries are exhibited at the owner's own risk. Every reasonable effort is made by the Organisers to ensure safety of exhibits. Grosvenor Shows Ltd. have insurance cover for quilts in their possession or on display at all of their shows. Entrants should effect their own insurance of exhibits whilst in transit to and from Grosvenor Shows Ltd. if they require cover in transit.
 6. Glass and frames on picture entries are entered at your **own** risk.
 7. Although the Organisers will do their best to display all entries received. In the event of an entry not being displayed, it will be returned according to instructions and the entry fee refunded.
 8. We will gladly advertise your quilt as being for sale but all negotiations are to be dealt with by the vendor themselves. The Organisers are unable to value quilts or hangings.
 9. The judges' decision is final and no correspondence can be entered into.
 10. (a) **U.K. ENTRIES**
 - (i) **Entry form and a non-refundable entry fee of £10.50 should be sent to Grosvenor Shows Ltd. by 1st July 2022.**
 - (ii) **IMPORTANT:** An acknowledgement and a printed label for use when dispatching your quilt will be sent out to you after the entry form deadline once all the entry forms have been received. If for any reason you have not received any paperwork and labels by 5th August 2022 that is the time to contact us. Grosvenor Shows Ltd. cannot take responsibility for entry forms lost in the post. Entry forms received after the deadline might not be accepted.
 - (iii) Entries sent by post, carrier or personal delivery should arrive at:
Grosvenor Shows Ltd., 282 High Road, Whaplode, Spalding, Lincs PE12 6TG from receipt of your labels until 31st August 2022.
 - (iv) Personal deliveries may also be made direct to the Showground on Tuesday 6th September 2022 - times to be confirmed.
 - (b) **OVERSEAS ENTRIES**

Entry form and fee (in sterling) to arrive at Grosvenor Shows Ltd., 282 High Road, Whaplode, Spalding, Lincs PE12 6TG, UK, by 1st July 2022. Entry to arrive by 31st August 2022. **IMPORTANT:** Please mark entries "Textile hanging - temporary importation." Please ensure you keep the value low, i.e. \$50 (US) as otherwise the import duties and customs and excise fees are extortionate. Grosvenor Shows Ltd. **DOES NOT** accept responsibility for any import duties.
11. **RETURN OF ENTRY**

Quilts not collected will be returned by whichever method is selected on the entry form. Return costs are **NOT** refundable.
 12. Prize Giving will take place on the afternoon of SUNDAY 11th September 2022. 1st prize winners will have been notified by telephone and it is hoped that they will be able to attend the ceremony.
 13. There will be a one day **FREE TICKET** to the Show per entry.
 14. If you have any queries or doubts concerning any of the above rules - please feel free to contact us at any time.

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AWARDS AND TROPHIES

Prize Giving ~ Sunday 2.00pm approximately

OVERALL CHAMPION

A sewing machine, kindly sponsored by Direct Knitting & Sewing Supplies Ltd, Sheffield

OVERALL RUNNER UP AWARD

A basket of goodies, kindly sponsored by Sylvia Critcher & Maggie Davies

WINNER OF THE THEME CATEGORY

A sewing machine, kindly sponsored by JANOME

BEGINNER QUILTER AWARD

a bundle of goodies kindly sponsored by Abbie Searle (abbieanne.com)

INTERMEDIATE QUILTER AWARD

a bundle of goodies kindly sponsored by Grosvenor Shows Ltd

ADVANCED / PROFESSIONAL QUILTER AWARD

a bundle of goodies kindly sponsored by Doughty's (www.doughtysonline.co.uk)

FOR THE OVERALL WINNER IN EACH CATEGORY

Trophies are awarded for the first in each category

Rosettes are awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places

The Award for Best Bed Quilt

The Award for Best Cot Quilt

The Award for Best Cushion

The Award for Best Group Quilt

The Award for Best Large Wall Hanging

The Award for Best Miniature / Doll Quilt

The Award for Best Small Wall Hanging

The Award for Best Theme Quilt

The Award for Best Under 16 Quilt (a bundle of goodies, kindly sponsored by Quilter's Quarters, Longridge)

The following awards and rosettes are also made at the judges' discretion:

Art Quilt Award

Piecing Award

Hand Appliqué Award

Machine Appliqué Award

My First Bed Quilt Award

Use of Colour Award

Sampler Quilt Award

Hand Quilting Award

Machine Quilting Award

Wholecloth Quilt Award

Scrap Quilt Award

Hand-Guided / Custom Longarm Machine Quilting Award

Computer-Guided Longarm Machine Quilting Award

All details correct as at time of going to print