

CHRISTCHURCH QUILTERS EXHIBITION

Wednesday 4th October to Saturday 7th October 2023

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

1. The exhibition is open to all financial members for Christchurch Quilters. Individual or group items are eligible. Quilts previously shown in a Christchurch Quilters exhibition are not accepted. The closing date for the entry forms is **midnight, Tuesday, 5 September, 2023**. No late entries will be accepted.
2. Quilt tops must be the entrant's own work and assistance with quilting must be acknowledged. Full details must be supplied, and attribution given if your quilt is made in a class or workshop, from a kit, pattern or book. Please include these details in your quilt description for show labels.
3. Quilts must have 3 layers and be constructed of fabric. The only exception is for Art/Contemporary quilts, or other traditional coverings. Embellishments may be added. Any technique or combination of techniques may be used to make the quilt.
4. Quilt Label - a fabric label must be attached to the bottom back left-hand corner when viewed from the back, stating: Maker's name, Quilt Title, price or NFS.
5. If your quilt is for sale the price, including the 10% commission paid to Christchurch Quilters, must be shown on the entry form.
6. Each entry must be submitted in a generously sized bag, also labelled with Maker's name, Quilt Title, price or NFS. If possible, a photo or some of the fabric used in the quilt top should be attached to the outside of the bag to make identification simpler on take down day. (A photo is not obligatory.) Any other packing – Velcro backing, tubes etc. must also be individually labelled.
7. Insurance is the responsibility of the artist. Christchurch Quilters accepts no responsibility.
8. **Velcro (hook side) is to be sewn to the back of the Quilt.** It may be sewn to a hanging sleeve or sewn directly to the quilt back. Please refer to our website for details.
9. Quilts with Velcro pinned or stuck with adhesive will not be accepted.
10. **Art and Contemporary categories:** If the quilt cannot have Velcro attached (with or without a sleeve), it is the artist's responsibility to provide an alternative hanging mechanism.
11. The quilt show committee reserves the right to jury out any quilts that are entered.
12. Christchurch Quilters reserves the right to photograph or have quilts photographed for our records and to use those photographs for publicity, publications, and any other appropriate purpose. Visitors to the exhibition are also permitted to photograph the quilts for personal use.
13. The Judges' decision is final, and no correspondence will be entered into.
14. The maximum size of quilts that may be entered is 2.3M high as that is the height of the display stands.
15. If there is a shortage of space, members may be limited to 6 quilt entries but this won't be known till closer to the time.

ENTRY FORMS

Complete your individual entry forms on-line **no later than Tuesday 5 September**. If you are unable to do this, please ask a committee member for help.

QUILT DELIVERY

Quilts to be delivered to the meeting on **Tuesday 5 September OR no later than Saturday 23 September** to Maria Rohs (Huntsbury, ph 027 6444 464), or to Kim Blackwell (Wigram, ph 027 201 8527)

QUILT COLLECTION AFTER THE SHOW

All quilts are to be collected from the exhibition venue on Saturday 7th October 2023 between 5pm and 5.30pm. NO QUILTS WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE DISPLAY PRIOR TO THIS TIME. If you are unable to collect your own quilt it would be appreciated if you have a friend collect it for you or collect your quilt from the next meeting. **All quilts will have to be signed for.**