

AUCKLAND FESTIVAL OF QUILTS 2018

Criteria for 'Other' Categories

Mixed Media

- Some stitching
- At least 2 layers
- Must fit inside a 75cm cube, weight 3kg or less
- May be 3-dimensional and does not have to be hung but must be self-supporting
- If item is to be hung, must have HOOK Velcro SECURELY attached
- No clothing items
- Must include a recognisable amount of at least one non-fabric material in its design and execution
- Material used can include wood, paper, metal, plastics, glass clay and organic materials such as flax and string
- Use of the above materials must be an integral part of the design and not used just as an embellishment

If mixed media entry does not conform to the above criteria, it will not be eligible for an award.

Recycled Quilts

- Made from recycled or re-purposed materials
- Must be made with traditional quilt construction – 3 layers
- The design and quilt top must be the work of one quiltmaker, but may be quilted by another member
- Maximum size 2metres square

AQG Challenge – It's a Sin ...

- Must be 15 inches square (38 cms)
- Quilts must have a recognisable amount of all challenge fabrics in the front surface design
- Hook Velcro attached to back
- Must be the work of the entrant – if others have contributed they MUST be identified
- Design source must be acknowledged if not original

Definition of a Modern Quilt

Modern quilts are primarily functional and are inspired by modern design. Modern quilters work in different styles and define modern quilting in different ways, but several characteristics often appear which may help identify a Modern Quilt. These include, but are not limited to: the use of bold colours and prints, high contrast and graphic areas of solid colour, improvisational quilting, minimalism, expansive negative space and alternate grid work. 'Modern traditionalism' or the updating of classic quilt designs is also often seen in modern quilting.

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