

Quilt Entry Instructions – Shiner Heritage Quilters Show

“Spring into Quilting” Friday and Saturday March 17 and 18, 2017

You are invited to submit entries for the 2017 quilt show. Complete one entry form for each item you wish to enter (limit 4 entries per person). Entry forms must be postmarked by **February 3, 2017**. The entries will be accepted as display space allows. If you have multiple entries, you are asked to prioritize your entries. Quilts that were exhibited in previous Shiner Quilt Shows are not eligible for the 2017 show.

The 2017 Shiner Heritage Quilters show categories are:

1. All Creatures Great and Small theme large quilts. (Bed size quilts from twin to king and large throws)
2. All Creatures Great and Small theme small quilts (Baby quilts, wall hangings and small throws)
3. Other Large Quilts (Quilts bed size from twin to king and large throws)
4. Other Small Quilts (Baby quilts, wall hanging and small throws)
5. Needle Art, Needlepoint, Cross Stitch, Embroidery, Quilted Wearables, Tatting, Knitting, Crochet, etc.

All quilt entries must be clean and constructed of fabric. Quilts should be quilted or tied, bound and finished. Quilts wider than 90 inches may have to be gathered slightly to fit the quilt poles.

Sleeves: All quilts larger than 50 wide will need sleeves. For quilts longer than 92 inches, attach the top of the sleeve 90 inches from the bottom edge. If needed, an instruction sheet of directions for making quilt sleeve is attached.

Identification: All entries must have a label. Label must include your name, address and phone number. Place entry in a cloth bag with a label identical to the one on your entry.

Delivery of Entries: Deliver your entries to the Methodist Church Activity Center, 102 W Church St., Shiner (one block off Hwy 90A East behind the church) on Tuesday March 14th from 10:30AM to 6:30PM. If you need to deliver at another time, please contact Mathilda Melnar at 361-798-5684 or 361-772-5050. For your protection, you will receive a CLAIM CHECK for each entry at the time of check in. You will need the CLAIM CHECK to pick up your entry on Saturday.

Entry Pick-Up: No entry may be removed before the close of the show. All entries can be picked up after the show has closed on Saturday, March 18th between 4:00PM and 5:00PM. The person picking up the entry must have the CLAIM CHECK given on Tuesday. If someone other than the owner is picking up the item, his or her name must be on the CLAIM CHECK.

Quilt Story: Please take the time to write the story of your quilt. Why was it made? Who is the quilt for? Is the quilt your original design or did you use a pattern or kit? Include any prize the quilt has won and information of historical or sentimental significance. The story should be 50 words or less. We reserve the right to edit for clarity and length if necessary.

Entries for Sale: The Guild will not be involved directly in the sale of any entry. Notify the guild at time of check in if you wish to sell your entry.

Shiner Heritage Quilters Show Entry Form

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Please complete one entry for each item. The forms must be post marked by **February 3, 2017**

Mail to: Shiner Heritage Quilters, C/O Mathilda Melnar, 385 C R 173, Hallettsville, TX 77964

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone No. (w/area code) _____ E-Mail _____

Title of Entry: _____

Size in inches (Please be very accurate) Width: _____ Length: _____

Maker :(if different than owner) _____

Quilted by: _____

Name of person authorized to pick up entry if not owner: _____

Check the category for your entry.

_____ All Creatures Great and Small theme large quilt

_____ Other Large Quilt

_____ All Creatures Great and Small theme small quilt

_____ Other Small Quilt

_____ Needle art items

If you have multiple entries for our show, check your priority for this entry. (Entries will be accepted as space allows.)

____ 1st choice ____ 2nd choice ____ 3rd choice ____ 4th choice

Quilt Story-Use back of sheet if necessary.

IMPORTANT: HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

I agree to release the Shi9ner Heritage Quilters and the First United Methodist Church of Shiner from all Liability for any loss, damage, or theft of any article entered by me in the Shiner Heritage Quilters Show Held on March 17 and 18, 2017, I give permission for photographs of my entries to be published in area newspapers and on the Shiner Heritage Quilters' website (www.shinerheritagequilters.org) Facebook.

Signature: _____

Date: _____