

## Shadow Mountain Quilters

Pins and Needles Show  
2023 Entry Categories

		Category	QUILTED ITEMS
<b>Hand Quilted</b>	H	H	All sizes, techniques and embellishments allowed. Hand or machine piecing will be more than 50% of the work.
<b>Small Quilts</b>	S		Total of all sides is less than 240 inches
(Total of all Sides: less than 240")		S 1	Mostly machine pieced, Home or Stationary Machine Quilted
		S 2	Mostly machine pieced, Longarm Hand Guided Quilting
		S 3	Mostly machine pieced, Computer Aided Quilting or Embroidered
		S 4	Applique is predominant, Longarm or Stationary Machine quilted
<b>Medium Quilts</b>	M		Total of all sides between 241" and 300" ***
		M 1	Mostly machine pieced, Home or Stationary Machine Quilted
		M 2	Mostly machine pieced, Movable Hand Guided Quilted
		M 3	Mostly machine pieced, Computer-aided Quilting or Embroidered
		M 4	Applique is predominant, Longarm or Stationary Machine quilted
<b>Large Quilts</b>	L		Total of all sides between 301" and 400" *** Width cannot exceed 96" due to space constraints.
		L 1	Home or Stationary Machine Quilted
		L 2	Movable Hand Guided Quilted
		L 3	Computer Aided Quilted or Embroidered
		L 4	Applique is predominant, Longarm or Stationary Machine quilted
<b>Miniature Quilts</b>	MQ	MQ	This category is not defined by size alone. Must be a small version of a full size quilt or wall hanging. Maximum block size is 5" and the longest side will be no more than 24". All techniques.
<b>Wall Hanging</b>	W	W	Any Size, specifically made to be hung on a wall as décor (picture quilts, modern quilts, panels, embellished quilts, etc)
<b>Other Quilts</b>	X	X	Yo-yo, Hand Tied, Cathedral Windows, Rag Quilts, Tee Shirt Quilts, Miniature Quilts, etc. This group includes any quilts which appear not to fit in any other category. Committee reserves the right to re-categorize entry.
<b>Beginner Quilter</b>	B	B	Less than 2 years quilt making experience. Any size, any technique.
<b>Youth Quilter</b>	Y	Y	Under 18 years old at time of completion of quilt. Any size, any technique.
<b>Quilted Home Accessories</b>	QA	QA	This category includes table runners, bed runners, pot holders, etc. that are <u>quilted</u> for use about the home. Accessories that are not quilted should be entered in category 80 Household.
<b>Quilted Accessories &amp; Clothing</b>	QC	QC	This category includes <u>quilted</u> bags, backpacks, jackets, vests, etc. Accessories that are not quilted should be entered in category 90 Accessories.
<b>Two Color Challenge</b>	TC	TC	Color challenge one color plus white. Minimum size 48"x48" Maximum size 72"width no length restriction.
			*** To determine size, add the length of all four sides of the quilt. This number will determine the size category into which your pieced quilt should be entered.

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NEEDLE ARTS			
Category		NON-QUILTED ITEMS	
10	Knitting		
20	Crochet		
30	Embroidery by Hand	To include stamped cross stitch and any other technique for which there is not a separate category	
40	Embroidery by Machine	Any non-quilt item that includes substantial machine embroidery for design	
50	Counted Cross Stitch	Framed and/or ready for display, if applicable	
60	Needlepoint	Framed and/or ready for display, if applicable	
70	Other Needlework	Weaving, tatting, hooked, smocked, etc.	
80	Household	Non-quilted. Linens, kitchen items, table runners, etc. If quilted, see category QA	
90	Soft Sculpture	Dolls, Teddy Bears, Cloth Toys	
90	Accessories	Non-quilted. Totes, purses, bags, etc. If quilted, see category QC	
110	Youth Needlework	Under 18 years old at time of completion of needlework entry. Youth made quilts should be entered in category Y	
		<p>"Needle Arts", also known as "Fiber Arts" are entries that are primarily a fiber creation (yarn, thread, and/or cloth). As the name implies, entries are created, at least in part; by the use of a needle. They may be embellished, painted and/or framed as necessary for proper display. These entries are NOT predominantly made of wood, metal, plastic, etc. Framed entries should be "ready to hang" with a wire and will be hung for display from a wire grid via an "S" hook.</p>	