

## 2023 Lighthouse Legacies Quilt Show Rules October 7-8, 2023

1. Anyone may enter quilts in the show. The show is limited to the first 250 entries. Entries must be **postmarked by Monday, September 11, 2023**.
2. The entry fee for the first item is \$5.00. For each additional item, the entry fee is \$3.00.
3. You may enter only one (1) item per class.
4. Quilts must have three layers (top, batting and backing).
5. The CLASS for an entered item is determined by the predominant method of construction. To help with CLASS determination, the following is the definition for an entry into the MODERN QUILT CATEGORY:
  - a. Quilts in this category may have a strong visual impact, non-traditional designs and quilting styles, high contrast, creative graphic elements and/or expansive negative space.
6. "Other Techniques" include whole cloth, yo-yo, crazy quilts, painted or stenciled quilts and other forms of embellishment.
7. Entries must be entirely made by the entrant unless entered in a "Quilted by Other" or "Quilts Among Friends" class.
  - a. Quilted by Other means someone else quilted your entry.
  - b. Quilts Among Friends means two (2) or more people worked on the entry at any stage of its construction. No money was exchanged for services.
  - c. You must list the names of all people/groups who worked on the quilt.
8. No cheater cloth quilts, framed items or sweatshirts may be entered.

### Entries Must:

- Be clean and odor free.
- Have been completed within the last five (5) years and never previously entered in a Lighthouse Legacies show.
- Have a four-inch rod pocket attached to quilts and wall hangings. The TOP of the rod pocket must be sewn no more than 90" from the bottom of the quilt when the finished quilt is longer than 90". Top and bottom of the rod pocket must be sewn down. A rod pocket is not required for Miniature quilts, Lighthouse Challenge quilts, Home Accessories, and Apparel/Accessories.
- Have a label sewn on the lower back (inside on wearable art) which includes entry title and entrant's name. The entrant's name must be covered for judging with fabric or masking tape (do not use blue painter's tape) and
- Be in a pillowcase or cloth bag of appropriate size and labeled with your name, address and telephone number. Two labels are required: on the outside of both sides of the open end of the pillowcase or bag.
- **Any entry that does not meet these rules will not be accepted or displayed. Entrant will be notified of disqualification.**

## Additional Information

- **Mail signed entry form and fee to TC Wiley, 352 Quail Point Drive, Mt. Pleasant, WI 53406.** Shipped entries should be mailed to TC Wiley's address. Entries to be shipped for return must include a prepaid return label with the entry. Your quilt will be returned in your original sturdy box.
- Lighthouse Quilters Guild, Inc. provides a secure location. However, items are entered at your own risk.
- Entry committee/judges reserve the right to reclassify entries as needed.
- Ribbons will be awarded at the judges' discretion. If entered items do not meet judges' criteria, ribbons might not be awarded in all classes.
- Judging will be completed by certified judges: Maribeth Schmit and Allison Rainboth, both are NACQJ Certified Judges.
- Drop off quilts on Wednesday, October 4, 2023 between 12:00 and 4:00 pm at Lutheran Church of the Resurrection, 322 Ohio Street, Racine, WI 53405.
- Entries and prizes must be picked up on Sunday, October 8, 2023 at Fountain Banquet Hall, 8505 Durand Ave, Sturtevant, WI 53177 between 5:30 and 6:00 pm.
- Photographs of you and/or your entry may be taken and used for guild promotional purposes.

**For more information contact: [www.lighthousequiltersguild.com](http://www.lighthousequiltersguild.com) or  
TC Wiley: [tcwiley@sbcglobal.net](mailto:tcwiley@sbcglobal.net), 262-930-8600**

## Prizes

1. Best of Show: \$200 (1)
2. Best Hand Quilted Entry: \$100 (1)
3. Best Domestic Machine Quilted Entry: \$100 (1)
4. Best Longarm Quilted Entry: \$100 (1)
5. Viewer's Choice: \$50 (1)
6. Judge's Choice: Ribbon (2)

## Cash Prizes may be awarded as follows:

Division A: 1st Place \$75, 2nd Place \$35, 3rd Place \$20

Divisions B-K: 1st Place \$35, 2nd Place \$15, 3rd Place \$10

All Divisions: Honorable Mention, Ribbon

Longarmers may receive an additional ribbon in the following categories: Best of Show (1), Viewer's Choice (1), Judge's Choice (2), and to the 1st Place Winners in "Quilted by Other" classes.