

# Willamette Valley Quilt Festival Rules

## General Rules and Information

1. The **WVQF** dates are February 2-3, 2018. The hours are 10 AM – 5 PM both days.
2. To register your quilt for the **WVQF** you must print an entry form from the show website [www.willamettevalleyquiltfestival.com](http://www.willamettevalleyquiltfestival.com) and bring it, filled out, to an authorized drop off location on a specified drop off date. No quilts will be accepted other than at authorized drop off locations and only on authorized drop off dates.
3. Each quilt that you wish to enter into the **WVQF** must have its own registration form.
4. Please be advised that **WVQF**, its staff and judges have the right to refuse for any reason. Contestant or potential contestant acknowledges that the decision(s) of **WVQF** staff are final in this matter and all others relating to the **WVQF**.
5. No quilt may be entered into the **WVQF** without both a signed Quilt Entry Form and a signed Willamette Valley Quilt Show Rules form.

## Definition of a Quilt and Quilt Requirements

1. A quilt is two layers of fabric with a filling, stitched together with lines or a pattern.
2. Quilts made from predominately printed panels and those that do not have extensive use of piecing, applique or embroidery, do not qualify for entry unless they have been machine or hand quilted.
3. Tied quilts do not qualify for entry. Exception: Those made by a person, twelve years of age or younger, and entered into the Junior category, may be tied and still qualify for entry.
4. Quilts may not exceed 104” in size when measured in any direction.
5. Quilts other than square or rectangular must be approved by **WVQF**, due to difficulty of hanging.
6. A fabric label must be sewn to the back of each quilt entered. The label should include the quilt name and the exhibitor’s name. The label must match the information included on your registration form.

## 2018 WVQF Categories

**One Person Quilt:** Any sized quilt (maximum size 104”) pieced and quilted by one person.

**Two Person Quilt:** Any sized quilt (maximum size 104”) pieced by one person and quilted by another.

**Mixed Media Quilt One Person:** Any method applique or mixed technique made and quilted by one person.

**Mixed Media Quilt Two Person:** Any method applique or mixed technique made by one person and quilted by another.

## **2018 WVQF Categories (continued)**

**One Person Miniature Quilt:** Cannot exceed 24" on any side. Must be pieced and quilted by one individual.

**Two Person Miniature Quilt:** Cannot exceed 24" on any side. Must be pieced by one person and quilted by another.

**Quilted Clothing or Home Accessory:** Examples: Jackets, bags, table runners. Must be made and quilted by one individual.

**Modern Quilt:** Quilt must feature a design aesthetic of modern quilting. Examples: High contrasting colors, minimalism, large negative spaces, improvised piecing. May be completed by one or two individuals.

**Junior Quilt:** Must be made and quilted by one individual 12 years of age or younger. This quilt may be any size (104" maximum). This quilt may be tied.

## **Awards**

There will be awards for each category of quilts in the WVQF. In addition to these category awards, there will be three show-wide awards. These show-wide awards will include the following: Viewer's Choice, Mayor's Choice and Best of Show.

## **Quilt Registration and Submission**

1. When you register and submit your quilt for the **WVQF** you must have a registration form pre-filled out. They are available on the **WVQF** website at [www.willmettevalleyquiltfestival.com](http://www.willmettevalleyquiltfestival.com)
2. Quilts will be accepted at Rich's Sewing & Vacuum at both the Salem and Albany locations, and Bolts to Blocks January 13-January 27, 2018 normal business hours only.

*Hours: 9-5:30 Monday – Saturday, Closed Sunday*

Rich's Sew & Vac 3770 Market St. NE Salem, OR 97301 (At Fred Meyer)

Rich's Sew & Vac 2306 Heritage Way. SE Albany OR 97322 (Near Safeway)

*Hours 10-6 Tuesday – Friday, 9-5 Saturday, Closed Sunday and Monday*

Bolts to Blocks: 133 Broadalbin St. SW Albany, OR 97321 (Downtown Albany)

### **Quilt Registration and Submission (continued)**

3. Quilts will also be accepted at two remote locations, one day, limited hours only. The following is the only time for the remote locations to accept quilts.

*January 27, 2018 (Saturday) 10 AM – 12 NOON only.*

Piece By Piece Fabrics 62 W 13<sup>th</sup> Ave. Eugene, OR 97401

Our Savior Lutheran Church 38 N Bayview Rd Waldport, OR **97394**

### **Quilt Return**

1. Quilts will only be available for pick-up/return on the following dates and times and only at the locations specified.
2. All quilts not picked up at the location where they were submitted, and on the dates and times specified, will no longer be the responsibility of the WVQF. To obtain return of these quilts, they will be subject to a \$40.00 shipping and handling charge. They will be shipped via UPS to the address on the registration form. Shipping will occur only after pre-payment of the \$40.00 shipping and handling fee. Quilts not picked up at the specified date(s) and location(s) and where no shipping payment has been made by February 28, 2018, will become the property of **WVQF** and they will be donated to local charitable organizations.

*Dates and Hours: February 9-10, 2018 9-5:30*

Rich's Sew & Vac: 3770 Market St. NE Salem, OR 97301 (At Fred Meyer)

Rich's Sew & Vac: 2306 Heritage Way. SE Albany OR 97322 (Near Safeway)

*Dates and Hours: February 9, 2018 10-6, February 10, 2018 9-5*

Bolts to Blocks: 133 Broadalbin St. SW Albany, OR 97321 (Downtown Albany)

*February 10, 2018 (Saturday) 10 AM – 12 NOON only.*

Piece By Piece Fabrics: 62 W 13<sup>th</sup> Ave. Eugene, OR 97401

Our Savior Lutheran Church 38 N Bayview Rd Waldport, OR 97314

### **Sale of Quilts**

1. If you wish for your quilt to be offered for sale at the **WVQF**, you understand that if sold a consignment fee of 15% of the sales price that you put on your registration form. A \$25 shipping/handling fee will be added to the sale price of your quilt to be paid by the purchaser. The balance from the proceeds of the sale will be mailed to you, in the form of a business check, by or before February 28, 2018.

### **Liability Release**

1. While reasonable care is taken to prevent loss or damage to each quilt entered, quilts are hung in a public venue and, therefore, quilters submit their quilts at their own risk. Insurance is the sole responsibility of the quilter entering the quilt. WVQF its promoters, staff, volunteers, vendors nor sponsors assume any liability for loss or damage to any quilt(s). By signing this document, you, the entrant, acknowledge,

understand and accept this liability release. This document must be signed by the entrant who is eighteen years of age or more, or the parent or legal guardian of any entrant that is less than eighteen years of age.

Signature of Entrant \_\_\_\_\_ / Date \_\_\_\_\_

This document covers the following entry number(s). \_\_\_\_\_