

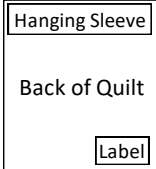


# "A Stitch In Time"

Peace River Quilt Festival 2027

## RULES FOR ENTRY

Show Committee reserves the right to refuse an entry if it does not comply with any Rule.

1. Entrant (quilt maker) must be a member of Peace River Quilters' Guild (PRQG) prior to Sept. 1, 2026, and pay annual renewal dues by Jan. 31, 2027.
2. Entrant may enter up to 3 quilted items plus one (1) quilt for the Show Challenge; "Songs of the 80's".
3. Entrant must have turned in at least one (1) Community Quilt in both 2025 and 2026. Members joining after Sept 1, 2025 need only complete one quilt.
4. Entry quilt may not have been previously shown in ANY quilt show.
5. Entry must be constructed and quilted ONLY by the entrant.  
\* Exceptions: Duet, Non-Guild Duet, and Collaborative Quilts.  
**Duet** - Quilt top made by entrant and quilted for pay by another PRQG member (**money exchanged**)  
**Non-Guild Duet** - Quilt top made by entrant and quilted for pay by a Non-PRQG member (**money exchanged**) or Quilt top is a **REPLICA** of the pattern cover or pattern designer suggestions. \*See Rule 6 for REPLICA definition  
**Collaborative** - quilt made and quilted by members of PRQG with **no money exchanged**
6. **REPLICA RULE:** A REPLICA is using the exact fabrics as pictured on the pattern cover **OR** the suggestions in the pattern from the pattern designer. At least **75% of all fabrics** must be different from the pattern cover fabrics or suggested by the designer to NOT be considered a Replica.  
\*Replicas are accepted ONLY in Art Quilts: Non-Original and Non-Guild Duet Categories.
7. **QUILT DEFINITION:** Must have 3 layers: fabric top, batting, and backing or lining. Must have a finished edge. \* Exception: Batting usually is not used in some examples of quilts in the Non-Traditional Quilts category.
8. **QUILTING:** Entry must have quilting visible on the back.
9. Wood/metal frames or hangers are not allowed.
10. **LABEL:** Entry must have a fabric label with entrant's name and quilt name. Look at the BACK of your quilt. Securely attach the label in the LOWER RIGHT corner. Labels need not be covered.  

11. **HANGING SLEEVE:** Entry must have a 4" hanging sleeve securely attached to the back, at the top, AND no higher than 96" from the bottom edge of the quilt.  
\*Directions for hanging sleeve are available on PRQG website.
6. **HANGING SLEEVE for SMALL QUILTS:** Miniatures and quilts with a perimeter of 100" or less must have a 2" hanging sleeve securely attached to the back, at the top. \* Directions for hanging a sleeve are available on PRQG website.
7. **REGISTRATION:** Every entry must be registered, including Special Exhibit entries. The online Registration Form must be completely filled out for EACH entry. Instructions are on the Form for uploading a .jpg or .jpeg file with photo of the COMPLETED quilt, including binding. Deadline for online Registration is midnight Dec. 31, 2026.
8. Each Category must have five (5) or more entries.
9. **CATEGORIES:** Show Committee reserves the right to change the category of an entry if necessary. Every effort will be made to consult with the entrant on this decision.
10. **QUILT FOR SALE:** If entry is to be offered for sale, a completed Quilt for Sale Form must be sent to the Registrar. \* Quilt For Sale form is available on PRQG website.
11. **TAKE IN:** Entries must be delivered to Faith Lutheran Church on Mon., Feb. 1, 2027 from 12:00-2:00 pm. *Not final, info to be announced.*
18. **QUILT CLEANLINESS:** Entries must be clean AND free of odors, pet hair and loose threads. If not, the entrant must remedy the situation by close of Take In. If necessary, decisions of the Take-In team are final. No Exceptions
19. **UNFINISHED QUILTS:** Take In staff will not be responsible for attaching hanging sleeves, removing pet hairs or deodorizing.
20. **QUILT RECEIPTS:** After check in and inspection, you will receive a receipt for each entry. Keep receipts in a safe place! If someone else will be picking up your quilts, sign your receipts and give them to that person for Pick Up.
21. **QUILT PICK UP:** Entries must be picked up at Charlotte Harbor Event Center on Sat., Feb 13, 2027 from 5:30-6:30 pm. Receipts must be submitted to claim your quilts.
22. **APPRAISALS:** Certified Quilt Appraiser   TBA   will be available during Show hours. To have a quilt appraised, submit a Quilt Appraisal Form and payment to   TBA   by Jan. 31, 2027. See form for fees and details.  
\*Quilt Appraisal Form is available on PRQG website.

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Every effort will be made to limit judging groups to 15 quilts per group, giving you a 1 in 5 chance of winning a ribbon.