



## York Heritage Quilters Guild

### A Celebration of Quilts X

November 7, 8, 9, 2008

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#### RULES OF ENTRY

**Set up Day:** Thursday, November 6, 2008

**Show Days:** Friday, November 7 to Sunday, November 9, 2008

**Contact information:**

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Dorothy Fu

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**The really important things to note:**

1. Each participant may enter up to **TWO** quilted items of any size and shape, which have not been previously entered in "A Celebration of Quilts" Shows.
2. **ENTRY DEADLINE DATE:** All Entry Forms (Page 3) must be received by **Dorothy Fu by Monday, June 16th, 2008 together with a photograph of the item or a sketch or copy of the pattern/block and fabric samples.** Electronic (email) entries with attached digital photos or scans are acceptable. The quilt need not be completed by the entry date, so long as the overall pattern and colours are apparent in the photo/sketch. If you are not sure that the colours show properly, please include fabric swatches. **Late entries will not be accepted.**
3. It is critical that you provide **EXACT MEASUREMENTS** and **colours** for your quilt to be shown to its best advantage. If your quilt grows or shrinks as it approaches completion (or even as it sits waiting to be entered in the show), please email or phone Jeannie Collins-Ardern and Dorothy Fu as soon as the final measurements have been determined. **Please use inches when providing measurements.**
4. **All items must be delivered to the Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre between 9:00 am and 10:30 am on Thursday, November 6, 2008.** Be prepared to take your carrying bag away with you. Alternative arrangements can be made with Jeannie Collins-Ardern or Dorothy Fu.
5. All items must remain on display until 4:00 pm Sunday, November 9, 2008 unless otherwise authorized by the Quilt Show Committee. **All items must be picked up on Sunday, November 9, 2008, starting at 5:00 pm** at the Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre. **A receipt and personal identification must be presented before quilts will be released.** For Guild members, your Guild membership card is sufficient identification. For all others, photo ID is required.



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#### **The fine print:**

6. Participation is open to all members of York Heritage Quilters Guild with full membership in 2008-2009.
7. A show piece must contain the work of the Guild participant. If any others have contributed to the work, she/he must be acknowledged. Quilts that have been purchased or inherited are not eligible.
8. Unless the design of the quilt/item is your own (original), you must indicate the source or inspiration of the design.
9. All quilts must have a full-width 4" sleeve in the back. The only exceptions are for miniature quilts (15" X 15" or less), quilted clothing items and small home-dec items. Sleeves are also not required for Silent Auction items.
10. Each quilt must have a permanent label in the back, showing the name of the maker and the name of the quilt.
11. The Members' Show Committee reserves the right to make all decisions regarding the display of the quilts. Quilts may be carefully folded, draped or suspended in different ways to enhance the viewers' appreciation of the works. If your quilt is longer than 96", the bottom may be pinned up.
12. **PLEASE NOTE:** While we will provide 24-hour security for the duration of the show, neither York Heritage Quilters Guild nor the Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre will be responsible for any damage or loss to any items in the show. Insurance for your quilts and other items is the sole responsibility of you, the owner.
13. **PLEASE NOTE:** If you sell your quilt as a result of the Show, a 15% commission is payable to **A Celebration of Quilts**.

#### **And finally:**

**The 2008 Quilt Show Committee cannot hang your quilt or display your item unless it meets all of "A Celebration of Quilts X" criteria.**



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- ❖ ENTRY DEADLINE: Monday, June 16<sup>th</sup>, 2008.
- ❖ Where to submit:- the 2008 QUILT SHOW TABLE AT THE GUILD MEETINGS (most ideal), or
  - mail to **Dorothy Fu, 27 Wild Briarway, Toronto, ON, M2J 2L3** or
  - email to **dorothy.fu@sympatico.ca.**
- ❖ Rules
  - Maximum of **TWO ENTRIES** only per member.
  - Entry forms **must be accompanied by a photo, scan, photocopy, or drawing.** Drawings must be accompanied by fabric swatches.
  - Please **PRINT CLEARLY** and use a separate entry form for each entry item.

Member's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (Day) ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (Eve.) ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Entry Title \_\_\_\_\_

Quilt Size (in inches) \_\_\_\_\_ long by \_\_\_\_\_ wide or Item Description \_\_\_\_\_

Designed by \_\_\_\_\_ Design Based on/or Inspired by \_\_\_\_\_

Pieced/Appliqued by \_\_\_\_\_ Quilted by \_\_\_\_\_

Pattern Name(s): Original \_\_\_\_\_ Traditional Pattern \_\_\_\_\_

Commercial Pattern \_\_\_\_\_

Techniques used (check all that apply):

- Hand Pieced
- Hand Appliquéd
- Hand Quilted

- Machine Pieced
- Machine Appliquéd
- Machine Quilted

- Paper Foundation Pieced
- Whole Cloth Quilt
- Longarm-Machine Quilted

Other: Please provide details below.

Is it your first time entering a YHQG Show? NO  YES

Is the Entry Item for sale? NO  YES  Price \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Is the item especially fragile? NO  YES  Please provide details below.

Special hanging instructions? NO  YES  Please provide details below.

e.g. partially show backing or label; is part of a series in the Show, etc.

**Briefly describe** your entry: e.g. the inspiration, the recipient, special techniques used, awards won, hidden message, special designs and/or motifs. **Please print clearly; continue on back of page if necessary.**

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With the signature below, I give York Heritage Quilters Guild permission to publish my name and/or a picture of my entry item for use in the publicity of A Celebration of Quilts X, and on the YHQG website. I have read and will comply with the Rules of Entry for A Celebration of Quilts X.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_



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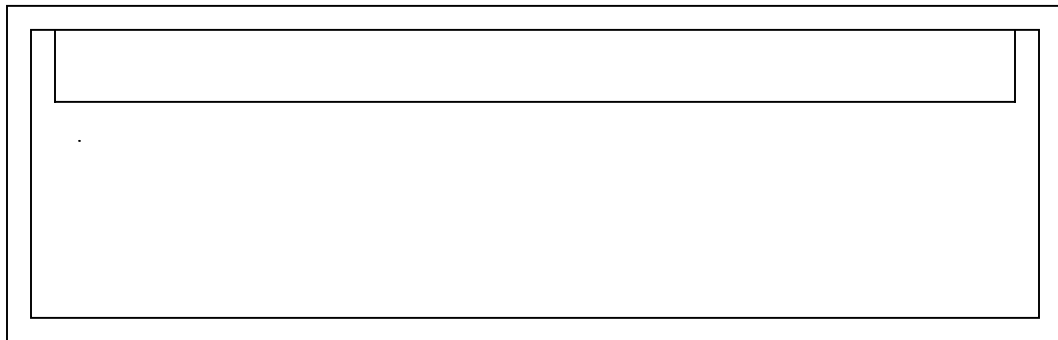
#### **Directions for Adding a 4" Sleeve to Your Quilt**

(not needed for miniature quilts)

#### **Permanent Sleeve**

This sleeve is applied at the same time as the binding.

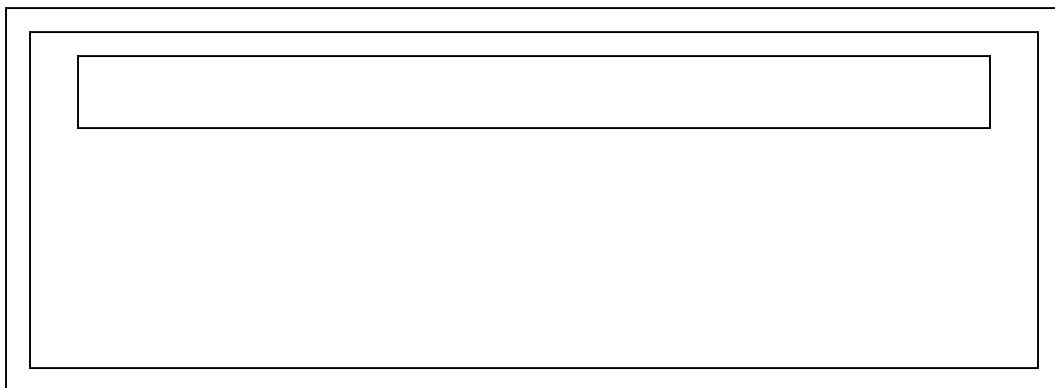
1. Cut a strip of fabric 8 ½" wide and about 1" shorter than the width of your quilt. For example, a 71" strip for a quilt that is 72" wide.
2. Hem the short ends (1/4" to 3/8" hem is ideal).
3. Fold the hemmed strip in half lengthwise, with right sides out, and press.
4. Align raw edges of the folded sleeve along the unfinished top edge of the quilt back, and pin or baste.
5. Bind the entire quilt. Blind stitch the binding over the stitching line on the quilt back and sleeve.
6. Smooth out the sleeve, and blind stitch the bottom folded edge of the sleeve to the quilt.



#### **Temporary Sleeve**

With this method, you apply the sleeve after the binding has been finished.

- ❑ Cut a strip of fabric 6" wide and 1" or 2" shorter than the width of the quilt.
- ❑ Hem the short ends, and press a 1" turn-under along both long sides.
- ❑ Hand-stitch one long edge of the sleeve just below the binding and the other edge where it falls flat to the quilt back (a slight billowing is not suggested as it is difficult to get it even and then your quilt will not hang properly).
- ❑ Remember to keep your stitches visible so you can remove them easily after the Show is over.





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Use this handy **CHECKLIST** to make certain that nothing is overlooked in completing your entries. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us.

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Jeannie Collins-Ardern                      905-847-9812                      jeannie\_collins-ardern@mfcinvestments.com

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1. **Prepare your submission picture:** take a photo (actual, scanned, or digital) or a colour photocopy, or prepare a sketch of the item and include fabric samples (not required with a photo). Pictures of partially completed items are fine, so long as the colours and general pattern are discernable. Include a written description if you are not sure. \_\_\_\_\_
  
2. **Carefully measure your quilt,** in inches. Make sure you correctly mark the length versus the width. \_\_\_\_\_
  
3. **Complete your entry form** (Page 3) \_\_\_\_\_
  
4. **Submit Page 3 with photograph(s) or sketch(es):** \_\_\_\_\_
  - at Guild meetings (most ideal) up until May of 2008, or
  - mail to Dorothy Fu at 27 Wild Briarway, Toronto, ON, M2J 2L3, including a printed photo/scan/sketch, or
  - email to Dorothy.fu@sympatico.ca - including a digital image
  - Mailed and emailed packages to arrive **no later than Monday, June 16th, 2008** (Tuesday, July 15, 2008 for new members)
  - Maximum two entries per Guild member
  
5. **Volunteer for at least one shift at the Quilt Show.** There are many interesting jobs to do – please help out. Volunteers receive free entrance to the Show. \_\_\_\_\_
  
6. **Complete your quilted entry.** You still have 4 months to finish! \_\_\_\_\_



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7. **Carefully re-measure your item and immediately call or email Jeannie** if the size is different from that shown on the entry form. The finished item may not be exactly the size you expected. Even finished items occasionally change sizes when you are not looking! \_\_\_\_\_
  
8. **Sew a 4" sleeve to the top of your quilt back**, following the instructions provided. Sleeves are not necessary for miniature quilts (15"X15" or less), Silent Auction items, quilting clothing and small home dec items. \_\_\_\_\_
  
9. **Make and attach to the quilt back a label with your name and the name of the quilt.** The lower right-hand corner of the quilt back is a common place for a permanent label. \_\_\_\_\_
  
10. **Arrange to have your entry items delivered** to the Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre on Thursday, November 6, 2008 between 9:00 am and 10:30 am. Please make every effort to deliver your quilts during this time. \_\_\_\_\_  
**A receipt will be issued – hold on to it.** \_\_\_\_\_  
Be prepared to take any carrying bags home with you after submitting your item.
  
11. **Come and enjoy the Show** – bring your family and friends to see your quilt on display as well as the work of your fellow guild members. \_\_\_\_\_
  
12. **Pick up your entry item(s)** beginning at 5:00 pm on Sunday, November 9, 2008. Remember to **bring your receipt and a proper ID** for the release of your entries. \_\_\_\_\_  
Quilts will be released to the following people upon presentation of a valid receipt:  
    Guild members: must also show their Guild membership card or photo ID;  
    Others: must also show photo ID.  
Everyone must sign a receipt to the Guild for the return of an item.  
If you loose your receipt, the item will be released only to the Guild member who submitted the work, after all other items have been released.