## Three Rivers Quilters, Inc. 2026 Quilt Show

Show Dates: April 16 – 18, 2026 (Thurs.-Saturday)

Revised: August 22, 2025 **COMPLETED FORM DUE: March 10, 2026 Entrant Information:** Name: (Last)\_ , (First & Middle Initial) TRQ Use Only Address: Entry #\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_ Rec'd Phone #\_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone #\_\_\_\_ Check Cash E-Mail Address\* \*We never share your phone number or email address; it just allows us to reach you! Please Print legibly. \*PRIORITY Is your quilt for sale? **Title of Quilt:** (1-2-3)(Limit 35 characters) No □ \*Yes □ \*(If entering more than 1 quilt, indicate your priority for consideration: 1, 2, or 3). SEE General Rules Quilts exceeding 90" length when hung will be draped to hang Price Size: above the floor - adjust the position of your quilt sleeve to avoid (96" max. width) (required if for sale) width x length having your quilt draped at the bottom. No quilts over 96" wide Maker(s) of Quilt \*a 15% handling Top: fee charged on all sales. **Quilted By:** Tell us your inspiration or story for the quilt: (Limit 150 words! attach sheet if necessary, type or print legibly) If Found in Book/Magazine/Other/title MY ORIGINAL DESIGN Quilt Design Credit Name of Quilt Pattern **Quilt Pattern Designer** Did you use a "Block of the Month" pattern that included any or all of the fabric you Yes No If true, Mark YES regardless of category entered below.. used in the quilt? Was this a Purchased Kit (any or all fabric & pattern you used in your quilt)? Yes No If true, Mark YES regardless of category entered below... Quilting Technique\*\* (check ALL that apply) Method of Construction for Top (check ALL that apply) **Piecing Appliqué Embroidery** П All or some □ Hand □ Hand □ Hand Embellished Hand Stationary Movable Paper Whole computerized elements Quilted Machine\* Machine\* □ Machine □ Machine □ Machine (beads, etc.) Pieced Cloth used when quilting\* \* Stationary Quilting Machine - Machine which allows the quilter to move the fabric rather than the machine. The machine is positioned on a table. \* Moveable Quilting Machine - Machine that allows the quilter to move the machine head rather than the fabric and is mounted on a frame. \*\*Ask the person who quilted your quilt if you are unsure which of these to check Category (Select only ONE category below, \*see descriptions next page) (Solo indicates same person made the top & did the quilting) Theme (Log Cabin) Small Quilt Pieced Large Quilt Pieced Kits/Block of the Month (Pieced only) \*\* Small Quilt Pieced - Solo Large Quilt Pieced - Solo Appliqué Quilt Mixed Technique

Wall Hanging

Potpourri

Modern Quilt

Art Quilt

<sup>\*\*</sup>This category reserved exclusively for "Pieced" Kits/BOM construction, any size. Other categories may include Kits/BOM (Applique, Art, Mixed Tech, Potpourri) and YES should be checked in the Quilt Design Credits above indicating Kit/BOM was used regardless of category. Additional details in the Quilt Show Entry Rules.

- 1. Limit of three (3) quilts per entrant. If entering more than 1 quilt, indicate your priority for consideration: 1, 2, or 3. Priority will be considered when the total number of qualified entries for the show is excessive and must be limited. All entries accepted will be judged.
- All entries must be quilted. A quilted entry consists of three (3) layers, primarily fabric, held together by stitching. Quilting stitches pierce all three (3) layers and are distributed throughout the entry. EXCEPT for those placed in the Potpourri category (if offered).
- 3. No tied quilts will be accepted. NO WEIGHTS OR FRAMING OF ANY KIND SHOULD BE ADDED TO THE QUILT. Quilts with electrical components are not accepted.
- 4. All entries must have been completed within the last five (5) years. Please do not submit entries completed before January 1, 2021.
- All entries must be clean, smoke free, labeled, and ready to hang. Detailed instructions will be included in the jury acceptance letter.
- 6. No items entered and shown in previous Three Rivers Quilt Shows should be submitted.
- Please thoroughly review the "2026 Show Entry Rules" posted on www.threeriversquilters.org

▶ I agree to abide by the rules as stated above: (sign)

Category (ALL Categories – Max. width 96")	Size – perimeter (add all 4 sides)	# of Makers	Description (Any number of makers <u>except</u> in Solo categories)
Theme	Any size.	1 or more	Quilt reflects show theme "Log Cabin". (All techniques, any number of makers.)  Definition: Quilts made using the Log Cabin design in blocks.
Appliqué	Any size.	1 or more	Appliqué is the predominant technique (90%)
Modern	Any Size	1 or more	Functional rather than decorative design, asymmetric design, increased negative space, improvisational piecing, modern art/architectural inspired design, simplistic and/or minimalist.
Pieced Small - Solo	<300"	Only 1	Piecing is predominant technique - made for bed, lap quilt, baby quilt – only 1 maker
Pieced Small	<300"	1 or more	Piecing is predominant technique - made for bed, lap quilt, baby quilt
Pieced Large – Solo	>300"	Only 1	Piecing is predominant technique (90%). (Made for a bed) – only 1 maker
Pieced Large	>300"	1 or more	Piecing is predominant technique (90%). (Made for a bed)
Wall Hanging	Any Size	1 or more	Pieced or Applique – made to hang on the wall
Art	Any Size	1 or more	Any art form that uses traditional and non-traditional quilting techniques to create fiber art objects (such as pictures, paintings and landscapes) usually to be hung on a wall.
Kits/Block of the Month (Pieced quilts only)	Any Size	1 or more	Any <u>pieced</u> quilt made from a kit or Block of the Month pattern where the fabrics have been pre-selected by a quilt shop or designer and used in your quilt (even if some provided fabrics were substituted). Includes patterns with pre-selected/pre-fused fabrics.
Mixed Technique	Any Size	1 or more	Balanced combination of both appliqué and piecing; including embroidery & other needlework techniques in any combination.
Potpourri	Any Size	1 or more	Crazy Quilt, Yo-Yo, Wool, Cathedral Windows or Wholecloth (no tied quilts will be accepted) Use this category if your quilt does not seem to fit in any other category.

Additional details in the Quilt Show Entry Rules posted on our website.

## Each entrant must submit: Please check to make sure your entry includes ALL of the following.

- One completed, signed entry form for each entry.
- (2) color 4" x 6" photos (non-returnable) for each entry (**Full** front view & **Close-up** of front stitching). Nothing larger than 4x6 please!
- ENTRY FEE: \$15.00 for 1<sup>st</sup> entry, \$10 each additional entry (ENTRIES MUST INCLUDE PHOTOS).
- Members of Three Rivers Quilters, Inc. get their first entry for a \$1 handling fee, \$10 for each additional entry. (\$1 for each photo that has to be printed by the guild.)
- Make checks out to "Three Rivers Quilters, Inc." (No cash, exception for TRQ members' \$1 entry & photo charges).

Mail Entries to: Three Rivers Quilters, Inc.

C/O Michelle Leive, Registrar

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Email questions: ThreeRiversQuiltShow@gmail.com

Loft Conference Centers - Southpointe 1000 Noble Energy Drive, Ste 100 Canonsburg, PA

Visit our website for more information: http://www.threeriversquilters.org

## Cash Prizes & Ribbons

- information detailed in the "2026 Show Entry Rules posted on our website.

Do you belong to a Quilt Club or Guild? Yes / No (circle one)

If so, name of organization
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