

Pennsylvania Maple Festival - 2017 Quilt Show Classes

1. **Antique** / Heirloom (Not Judged – for display only) - Older than 50 years or special family heirloom. Include a separate sheet with information about the significance of the quilt.
2. **Accessories / Home Decorating** –Hand or machine quilted: pillows, framed works, pot holders, table runners, purses, etc. (factory-quilted fabric will not be accepted).
3. **Appliqué** – Hand or machine quilted. (a. Bed size - b. Crib size)
4. **Embroidery** – Hand or machine quilted. (a. Bed size - b. Crib size)
5. **First Quilt** (new quilter or first show ever entered) – Hand or machine quilted. (a. Bed size - b. Crib size)
6. **Group** - Hand or machine quilted, any size or technique. (Guild, church groups, etc.)
7. **Mixed** – Hand or machine quilted. Two or more techniques of equal importance to the piece. (a. Bed size - b. Crib size)
8. **Pieced** - Hand quilted. (a. Bed size - b. Crib size)
9. **Pieced** – Machine quilted - (a. Bed size - b. Crib size)
10. **Theme** – Represents history and significance of the region – includes maple, mountains, pictorial, fall foliage, natural resources, Amish, bike trail, covered bridges, etc. (a. Bed size - b. Crib size)
11. **Top (unfinished – e.g. pieced but not quilted)** – Any technique, any type, bed or crib size.
12. **Wall Hanging** – Hand or machine quilted, any type (a. Large - b. Small)
13. **Whole cloth** - Hand or machine quilted – pre-printed fabric is permitted (a. Bed size - b. Crib size)
14. **Youth** – Hand or machine quilted. (a. Age 12 and under – b. Age 13 – 19)

Premium Awards given at judge's discretion

- Each class category – 1st (\$25), 2nd (\$15) and 3rd (\$10)
- People's Choice Adult (\$20)
- People's Choice Youth (\$20)
- Accessories (1st \$5, 2nd \$4 and 3rd \$3)

Special Premium Awards (excludes Accessories)

- o Best hand quilting (\$30)
- o Best machine quilting (\$30)
- o Best use of color (\$30)
- o Best maple theme (\$30)

Quilt of Merit – honorable mention can be given for any category (no premium)

All exhibits to be judged must be completed by the exhibitor during the time period since the last quilt show entered and must be entered in the name of the person making or producing the exhibit. Entries will be judged on a point system on general appearance, design and composition, and workmanship. Premiums will not be awarded if quilts in a category do not meet quality criteria.

Reasonable care will be taken to protect all exhibits on display from all injury and damage. But the Maple Festival is not, in any way, responsible for accidents, loss or damage by water, fire, theft, or otherwise, whatever may be the cause or extent of the damage or loss. All articles on exhibition must be respected as private property and any persons detected destroying them or injuring them will be dealt with according to law.