

CHALLENGE QUILT 2009/2010

BLACK & WHITE & _____(BLANK) ALL OVER

How about cutting your work in half this year?? Sound inviting? We hope so! This year the Challenge Quilt will have the same size limitations, as the Small Quilt Silent Auction. That way, if you choose to, you can donate your finished Challenge Quilt to the Silent Auction, after the judging! This year we are asking that you use Black and White fabrics, along with ONE other color to make your quilt. The deadline will be the October meeting...however, since there is no meeting in November, we will accept hand or mailed deliveries until Thanksgiving Day as well. The judging will be done at the December meeting (just in time for the Small Quilt Auction too!). So, get out your stash of blacks and whites (or off whites, if you prefer), and your favorite color, get your thinking caps on, and start your Challenge Quilt today! The requirements are as follows:

1. Quilts may be any shape (square, rectangular, round, etc.), but must have a front (top), middle (batting), and back fabric.
2. The perimeter of the quilt must be at least 48", but no larger than 96".
3. Applique, hand-piecing, machine-piecing, foundation-piecing, crazy patch, whole cloth, art/contemporary, or any combinations may be used.
4. Embellishments (beads, threads, embroidery, paint, buttons, etc.) are all welcome but not necessary.
5. Quilts must be hand or machine quilted and be bound on all edges.
6. Quilts must be clean and free of pencil marks, stains, and pet hair.
7. Quilts must have a 2" or larger hanging sleeve attached to the upper edge of the quilt back.
8. Quilts must have a cloth label sewn to the back bottom edge. Name and year required (title, history, your home town, etc. may also be added if you wish).
9. Finished entries should be placed in a bag to contain and conceal it.

Here's hoping we'll be overloaded with entries! Good luck to all
Should you have any questions, feel free to contact us anytime.

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