

Scottish Quilters' Competition 'Raw Spirit'

COMPETITION DETAILS AND RULES OF ENTRY

Mix the raw spirit shown on the rugby field, the cycling track or the football pitch, with the raw spirit of Scottish explorers and inventors with the makings, colour and taste of the national drink. Then maybe add in some raw edges and wild embellishment but definitely add some of your own raw talent, stir well, let it all simmer for a few months...

Hand and/or machine techniques are acceptable. Entries should be accompanied by up to 100 words of explanation. This competition is only open to quilters living in Scotland.

Entries can be submitted to the following categories:

Beginners

Those who have been quilting for five years or less and have not won a major competition.

Intermediates

Those who have been quilting for more than five years **or** have won a major competition.

Advanced/Professional

Those who have won two or more major competitions, or those who teach, judge, write about quilts, design or sell quilts as a profession.

Please note the following:

Maximum overall size of quilt: 3m x 3m*

Minimum overall size of quilt: 75cm x 75cm*

Quilts must be the work of one person.

A 10cm (4") hanging sleeve or equivalent to be attached (please show details if unusual method is used).

Entries should not have been submitted to any other competition, but may have been exhibited publicly.

No unfinished work to be submitted.

*The quilt may be made up of separate units to be displayed together.

A completed Entry Form should be accompanied by one image of the front of your quilt presented as email, photograph, or CD.

A £10 / €15 Entry Fee must accompany your Entry Form, this covers up to three entries. Your completed Entry Form, image (unless sent by email) and Entry Fee should be sent to:

**LLQS,
8 Lomond Drive,
Dumbarton,
G82 3AS**

Entry Forms must arrive by 31 March 2010 and quilts by 3rd – 8th May 2010.

Unless special delivery is indicated on the Entry Form, quilts will be returned by standard post and **all** costs will be met by the quiltmaker. Alternatively quilts can be collected after 5:30pm on Saturday 22 May 2010.

Further information regarding return of quilts will be issued with quilt labels.

The organisers reserve the right to refuse to hang any quilt that exhibits poor quality construction, that is misrepresented by the image sent, or is soiled or stained.