



**EUROPEAN QUILT ASSOCIATION**  
**in conjunction with the Festival of Quilts**  
**Young quilters & schools exhibitions in 2011**

**"The fun of the fair"**

**RULES**

1. Size: any (for individuals AND schools).
2. Any technique may be used but no pre-printed panels are allowed.
3. The structure of a quilt is traditionally three complete layers but a minimum of two complete layers may be appropriate. Stitch or other elements must pierce these layers. No glass fronted/mounted or three-dimensional exhibits will be accepted.
4. All children's quilts submitted via the EQA will be entered in the appropriate category at the Festival of Quilts (5-8 years, 9-11 years, 12-16 years, group quilts from primary schools (5-11 years) or secondary schools (12-16 years)) as a joint entry via Helen Heaney (IR for Austria). There is no entry fee.
5. The children's quilts will be picked up by the IR (or a designated person) after the show on Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> August 2011. Arrangements can be made with Expofreight to send the quilts back at the guild's expense.
6. The quilts can be insured at additional cost. Please ask your IR for details.
7. All entrants should be eligible for youth membership of their respective quilt association OR the adults who "supervise" the making of the quilt should be members.
8. All quilts **must** have a **10 cm** (4 inch) hanging sleeve (with extra fullness to accommodate the rod) attached to the back of the quilt and stopping 1.5 cm from each side.
9. Entrants must attach a flap of fabric (10 x 10 cm) to the back right hand corner of the quilt to covers the label and ensure anonymity during the judging process. Labels will be supplied by email in June to attach to the entry for purposes of identification.
10. The quilts are not for sale.
11. The entry form should reach the International Representative by Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2011; the provisional number of quilts must be emailed to Helen Heaney shortly after that date.
12. The final number of quilts and the necessary information for each quilt must be emailed to Helen Heaney by 20<sup>th</sup> May 2011. Quilts for which information is submitted after 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2011 or incomplete forms will not be processed for FOQ 2011.
13. All quilts must either be delivered personally to the NEC by Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> August, 4 pm, or sent to Expofreight by 29<sup>th</sup> July (individually or by the IR).
14. Photos of the quilts may be used for publicity purposes.
15. All 1<sup>st</sup> prize winning quilts will be exhibited at The Knitting and Stitching Shows in London, Dublin and Harrogate and will not be returned until December 2011.
16. This is just a summary of the Competition Rules & Regulations. In case of disagreements, the official Rules & Regulations issued by the FOQ apply.



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**ENTRY FORM**

For **individual** entries: (first name first, surname second).....

Date of birth: ..... Category: 5-8  9-11  12-16

For **school** entries: name of class: ..... Primary school  Secondary school

Name of school: .....

Please include a list of all the children involved (first name first, surname second) in electronic form (E-mail or word file).

ADDRESS ..... Tel. no .....  
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Height of quilt in cm..... Width of quilt in cm.....

The title of the quilt will be deemed to be "The fun of the fair" which is the theme for 2011.  
The following will be included in the catalogue. Your inspiration: 20 words maximum (to be translated into English by IR).

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**Assistance** (for **ALL** entries). Please indicate clearly the extent of ANY adult involvement in the design and creation of the entry and also if there was no assistance.

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**I HAVE READ THE RULES AND AGREE TO THE CONDITIONS.**

**SIGNED**..... **DATE**.....

Please send the entry form by Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2011 to your International Representative:  
Erla Sigurðardóttir  
Kristnibraut 45  
113 Reykjavík