# **Richland County Fair Barn Quilt Contest**

### **Guidelines:**

- Quilts must be painted on exterior wood (MDO recommended) or <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" plywood and sanded on one side.
- Quilts must be square Size: 2' x 2'
- Quilts must be painted with a quality exterior latex paint (3+ coats).
- Quilts must be an actual quilt block (not a "painting"). Please provide quilt block name on back of barn quilt with permanent marker (any 9 patch design, example: "Ohio Star", "Flying Geese", "Farmer's Daughter", etc.)
- Quilts must be primed on all sides (including back).
- Exhibitor name must be printed in permanent marker on the back.
- All barn quilts will be displayed the full duration of the Richland County Fair (possibly outdoors).

### **Entry Instructions:**

- Open to all adults and youth (14 and older)
- Form Entry Deadline: August 1 by 5 p.m.
- **Bring Entry** to the Fair: Tuesday, September 5 (7:30 a.m.-6 p.m.)
- Please bring barn quilts to the Connection Building. (No late entries will be accepted)

### Judging: TBD

- Difficulty (intricate process of painting) 30%
- Accuracy (reflects a true quilt block precision/design) 30%
- Eye Appeal (overall finished appearance, color combo, etc.) 40%

Prizes: 1st place - \$100; 2nd place - \$50, and 3rd place - \$25.00

Note: Richland County Fair is not responsible or liable for any damages.

For help and tips on making barn quits or any questions you may have, please contact Staria Couey at 608-647-1180 or email <a href="mailto:flowers8us@yahoo.com">flowers8us@yahoo.com</a>.

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### **NEW THIS YEAR!**

We are trying something new this year – a Barn Quilt Contest – to add color to the exhibit and fairgrounds areas! And it is open to adults and youth 14 years and older!

Each barn quilt will be judged on difficulty (intricate process of painting), accuracy (reflects true quilt block precision/design), and eye appeal (overall finished appearance, color combo, etc.). See guidelines for more information.

#### Information:

- Size: 2' x 2'
- Form Entry Deadline: August 1 by 5 p.m.
- **Bring Entry** to the Fair: Tuesday, September 5 (7:30 a.m.-6 p.m.)
- Mail your form to "Richland County Fair Barn Quilt Contest", Richland County Fair, P.O. Box 508, Richland Center, WI 53571 or drop off at the Richland County Fair Office
- Barn Quilts should be picked up on Sunday, September 10 between 4 & 5 p.m.
- Barn Quilts can be taken home or donated to the county fair.

Note: Richland County Fair is not responsible or liable for any damages.

### Prizes will be awarded for the top three barn quilts:

1st Place - \$100; 2nd Place - \$50; and 3rd Place - \$25.00.







### **ENTRY FORM**

Name:	
Address:	
Email:	Phone:

Mail to: Richland Co. Barn Quilt Contest, Richland County FairP. O. Box 508, Richland Center, WI 53581

Or drop off at the Richland County Fair Office