

QUILT SHOW VOLUNTEERS

The “World of Quilts XXXI” will soon be here. By now we know that it takes many volunteer hours to make this show a success. For all that we receive from our Guild, this is our chance to give back. Volunteering for at least two hours of time is required for membership. To show our appreciation, you will receive one-day free admission for your two-hour block of time. If you work for four-hours, you will receive a second day’s pass. Most jobs are simple and interesting. Whichever position you choose, you will be making an important contribution.

Job Descriptions

- ❖ **Admissions:** We have two admission entrances and need several volunteers at each entrance at all times. Volunteers collect money, stamp hands, give out programs, provide information about the show, and sell show pins. This is a sit-down job.
- ❖ **Judging:** Assist on Quilt Judging Day. Judging takes place on the Wednesday prior to the show at the North Salem Ambulance Corp. Professional judges critique the quilts, while volunteers hold and fold them and write the judges comments. It is a very educational job; you will be up front and personal with the quilts. Please see Janis Tobias or Margaret Phillips to sign up.
- ❖ **Lecture Monitors:** We need one volunteer to assist at each lecture.
- ❖ **Quilt Frame Setup:** The quilts cannot be hung until the frames are in place. This is a very important Friday afternoon/evening job. It is a three-hour job.
- ❖ **Quilt Hanging:** Once the frames are up, we can hang the quilts. Volunteers are expected to climb ladders and hold heavy quilts. This is another three- hour job.
- ❖ **Quilt Takedown:** Quilts need to be removed in an orderly manner. There are also a few sit-down jobs at this position.
- ❖ **Quilt Frame Takedown:** Muslin needs to be removed from the frames and the frames disassembled. You can be free all weekend to enjoy the show and just be prepared to work Sunday evening. Husbands, significant others, sons and daughters are most welcome.
- ❖ **Quilt Security:** These volunteers will be quilt security monitors. They will be responsible for both sides of one row of quilts and will ensure that no one touches the quilts. This job requires volunteers to stand for two hours.
- ❖ **Raffle Table:** We sell about 5,000 raffle tickets for charity. Volunteers will be collecting money for the tickets and answering questions about the charity. This is a sit-down job.
- ❖ **Sweepstakes:** Volunteers are needed to work at the sweepstakes tables, selling tickets and giving out prizes. A fun job which requires standing.
- ❖ **Friday Night Supper:** A volunteer is needed to supervise dessert and beverage distribution.