

2016 and 2017 QUILTED ITEM CONTEST

The National Grange Quilt block contest is one key to help us share the celebration of the 150th Anniversary of the National Grange in 2017. The idea behind the contest is to create a vehicle for our members and those who have not yet joined the Grange to share their creative talents. Small monetary prizes will be awarded. Please check back with your State Lecturer or the National Lecturer for more details.

RULES

- A. The period of the contest runs from January 1, 2016 (2017) until September 15, 2016 (2017) deadline for submissions is September 30, 2016 (2017) to the National Lecturer Amanda Leigh Brozana, c/o National Grange, 1616 H St. NW, Washington, DC 20006.
- B. Judging will be done prior to National Grange session.
- C. Any entries received after the deadline will not be judged, however, they will be exhibited at the National Grange session in Washington, D.C.
- D. All entries will be retained by the National Grange to be displayed at the Quilt Show associated with the 151st Annual National Grange Convention in Spokane, Wash., in November 2017. All items will be on display and for sale during the event to raise funds for the Grange Foundation, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit entity. Upon submission, you will receive a donation letter from the Grange Foundation acknowledging your donation and encouraging you to provide it to your tax adviser or to use IRS [Publication 561: Determining the Value of Donated Property](#) to understand what you may be able to claim as a tax-deductible contribution. All entries will be given proper credit and awards.

Group I – Adult

Section 1 – Fabric Unfinished Quilt Block

2016 – Dresden Plate pattern, blues & golds, 16 ½” x 16 ½”

* *The 2016 Quilt Block Pattern is the DRESDEN PLATE in Blues and Golds to represent the Grange. The pattern to use can be found at <http://www.mccallsquilting.com/patterns/details.html?idx=8040>. The block must come UNFINISHED and measure 16 ½” x 16 ½”*

2017 – Spiderweb Star, greens & browns, 12 ½” x 12 ½”

The 2017 Quilt Block Pattern is the SPIDERWEB STAR in Greens and Browns with accent colors reminiscent of the earth and agriculture. The pattern to use can be found at <http://www.mccallsquilting.com/patterns/details.html?idx=8325>. The block must come UNFINISHED and measure 12 ½” x 12 ½”.

Section 2 – Finished Fabric Quilted Items

Class A – finished table runner – no larger than 18” x 60”

Class B – Finished Quilted Pillow – no larger than 18” x 18”

Class C – Quilted Wall Hanging – no larger than 48” x 48”

Class D – Quilted Coffee Cozy (Suggestion: <http://stitchwerx.net/wp-content/uploads/2012/02/S304BasicCupCozy.pdf>)

Class E – Quilted Crib/Baby Quilt – no larger than 45” x 54”

Group II – Junior Grange Member

2016 - Log Cabin - red, white and black. Pattern can be found at <http://www.mccallsquilting.com/patterns/details.html?idx=12662>

2017 - Garden Path - green, gold and white (accents of blue may also be used)
Pattern may be found at: <http://www.mccallsquilting.com/patterns/details.html?idx=15047>

Section 1 – Fabric Unfinished Quilt Block 12 ½” x 12 ½”

Section 2 – Quilted Potholder

<http://www.mccallsquilting.com/patterns/details.html?idx=15047>

NOTE: Finished means (batted and backed)

SUBMISSION FORM

Name

Address

Email (if applicable)

Grange Name, Number, State you are representing (if applicable)

Total Years of Grange Membership (if applicable) _____

What is special about your Grange/hometown?
