

Challenge Quilt

Guide lines

It must be an original design. No kits or parts of kits.

Quilt must be made with white on black and black on white fabric. **No off whites or creams are allowed.** You may use some solid black and white, but the majority of the quilt should use black on white and white on black.

The quilts will be voted on by the members present at the **June** meeting. Awards will be given for Viewers Choice, Most Creative, and Best Use of Embellishments.

A six inch square of material provided in the packet has to be used in the quilt and be recognizable. Packet will contain the guidelines and 6 inch square. Cost of packet is \$.25. 40 packets will be available for purchase. More packets can be made if needed

The quilt must have a 9 patch somewhere in the quilt and be recognizable. There are many 9 patch blocks: shoo-fly, monkey wrench, disappearing nine patch, etc.

The perimeter can be no less than 48 inches or larger than 144 total inches. The quilt can be any shape but must fall within the above measurements. **(Perimeter is the outside measurement around the quilt.)**

Embellishments are fine as long as they are black and white. You can use lace, beads, buttons, ribbon, embroidery, etc.

It may be paper pieced, pieced, or appliqued.

The quilt can be machine or hand quilted. Thread used must be black, white, or variegated black/white.

Must be a finished quilt: top, batting, and backing.

Please do not use anything on your quilt that could harm another quilt.

Optional: There can be **one** accent color used in the quilt but can not be larger than 2 inches. It can also be used in smaller pieces but not to exceed a 2 inch square total.

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