

# Pour l'Amour du Fil

# 2019

## «THE MYSTERIES OF THE WEST» contest



### SELECTION CRITERIA FOR TEXTILE WORKS

This contest is open to ALL textile creations: quilting, knitting, embroidery, sewing, lace, crochet, textile art, etc.

To be accepted for competition, the textile work must conform to the following criteria:

- No size requirements • Textile use is required: quilting, knitting, embroidery, sewing, lace, crochet, textile art, etc.
- All hand or machine techniques are accepted.

The textile works presented for selection must respect the contest theme and have been made specifically for this contest.

### SELECTION AND SHOWING OF TEXTILE WORKS

**Step 1:** The first selection is made from photographs (photos must be high-quality). Please send three photos of the project in A5 size as follows: two full-view photographs of the textile work; one detailed photograph.

On the back of the photo indicate your first and last names, the textile work's title and its dimensions as well as the work's direction. A jury will assess adherence to the theme, the quality of the work and the creativity. The deadline for receiving registration packages is March 1, 2019.

**Step 2:** Pieces accepted following notification by the organizer must be sent before March 30, 2019.

**Step 3:** These textile works will be exhibited during the 2019 edition of the International Show of the Arts of Thread in Nantes from Wednesday, April 24 to Saturday, April 27, 2019. Reproduction of a work already in existence may result in prosecution, for which Quiltmania Magazine shall not be held liable.

### SHIPPING FEES AND INSURING OF TEXTILE WORKS

Outgoing shipping fees are the responsibility of the participant.

Return shipping fees are the responsibility of the organizer.

The selected textile works will be insured by the organizers from their arrival until their reshipping.

### AWARDS

The textile works chosen by the jury will be generously awarded with some superb prizes offered by our partners.

### SCHEDULE

The deadline for receiving registration packages is March 1, 2019.

If your registration package is retained and approved by the organizer,

your textile work must be sent to us before March 30, 2019. Results

will be announced and prizes will be awarded during the International

Show of the Arts of Thread in Nantes, Wednesday, April 24 at 3:00 p.m.

at the show's television area.

### HOW TO PARTICIPATE?

Register by downloading the entry form at [www.pourlamourdufil.com](http://www.pourlamourdufil.com)

or by sending the entry form below. Participation and registration are

free of charge. In the details indicate the textile work's title,

the dimensions, the materials and supplies used, the techniques:

a brief and specific description (technique, difficulty, time required, etc.),

and if it is inspired by an existing work, the source of inspiration

(photo, painting, pattern, etc.).

Any entry not in accordance with all entry requirements

will not be accepted.

### WINNERS

The winners will receive their award at the time the results are announced.

Winners who are unable to be present at the show will make arrangements

with the organizers to receive their prize in the most efficient manner.

## REGISTRATION FORM

(photocopies accepted) send to : QUILTMANIA EDITIONS - Contest «The Mysteries of the West»

La Castillerie - 44360 Saint-Etienne de Montluc - France - Or by e-mail ENTRY FORM + PHOTOS to [mathilde@quiltmania.com](mailto:mathilde@quiltmania.com)

Surname: ..... First name: ..... Address: .....

Post Code: ..... Town: ..... Country: .....

Telephone: ..... E-Mail: ..... Entry title: .....

Size in cm (W x H): ..... Insurance value: .....

My inspiration source: .....

I the undersigned, ....., here by certify that my entry to the 'Pour l'Amour du Fil' competition is an original work and not the reproduction of a pre-existing work.

(Location) ..... (Date) .....

Signature (please add 'Read and Approved' in your own hand)