

South Country Quilting & Stitchery Show Early Alert!

Dates are now in place for the fifth South Country Quilting & Stitchery Show!

Please mark your calendar for April 27 and 28, 2012 and plan to be in Assiniboia for our fun-filled Quilting & Stitchery Show.

Are you up for a Challenge?

We have created three Challenges for those interested in the competitive and specialized aspects of working with fabric and fibres.

Challenge One: is a theme based challenge. Using any combination of fabrics and fibres you are to create a unique piece that develops the theme *Then and Now*. The piece should be no smaller than 12 inches by 12 inches and no larger than 48 inches by 48 inches. We picked this theme because 2012 is Assiniboia's Centennial (and the Centennial of a number of other communities in this part of Saskatchewan). We hope you have fun with it!

Challenge Two: will challenge your creativity especially in the use of colours. For this challenge we will provide you with a colourful box such as a dry cereal box or a cookie box. You will create an item measuring 30 inches by 30 inches using the colours on the box provided. You may use an established quilt pattern or you may create your own themed piece. We only ask that you get your box from us and then confine yourself to the 30" X 30" size and the colours on the box.

Challenge Three: at this show we will be separating those items that have been made taking materials from some other use and re-purposing them in useful, creative and fun ways. Common examples are the jeans that are re-worked into quilts, vests, picnic tablecloths and so on; or the plastic bags that become welcome mats. This category invites you to join the recycle / reuse movement in unique and surprising ways.

To be in touch with us (remember that to do Challenge Two you will need a box from us) you can phone 306-263-2064; or e-mail Lorelei at hughp@sasktel.net ; or you can write us at Box 1561, Assiniboia, SK. S0H 0B0