

WENTWORTH MINE

Airing of the Quilts

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GOLD QUILTERS CHALLENGE

Entry information & conditions

The historic Wentworth Main Mine site, Lucknow will host the inaugural Airing of the Quilts on 7-8 March 2020. The 1930s gold mine will be the back drop for the professionally judged and curated quilt show; revitalising the village of Lucknow's economic heritage.

CATEGORIES

1 - Airing of the Quilts

Features works by individuals and groups and is an opportunity to showcase recent works

2 - The Gold Quilters Challenge

Encourages quilt-makers to create a new quilt which reflects theme of 'Gold'

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

- A quilt means three layers of stitched materials using any technique
- All entries are to be via the entry form and emailed to heritage@orange.nsw.gov.au no later than 5.00pm Monday 2 December 2019
- A separate entry form must be completed for each quilt
- Entry fee of \$15.00 is payable per quilt (non-refundable)
- Payment will be via the credit card details on the entry form. To discuss other options for payment, please contact heritage@orange.nsw.gov.au
- The 40 word description must be completed on the entry form
- Entrants must submit one image for

each hung quilt. It must show the entire quilt, up to whatever stage it is at time of entry. Images are to be in JPG format and at least 1800 pixels. Overall size is not to exceed 5MB

- The exhibition curator will select items for the Airing of the Quilts and the Gold Quilters Challenge exhibition

SPECIFICATIONS

Airing of the Quilts

Width and length must not exceed 200cm

The Gold Quilters Challenge

Wentworth Main Mine is a significant site in the history of gold in the Orange district. Quilts entered in the Gold Quilters Challenge should take this into account. Further information on the history of mining in Lucknow is available at www.orange.nsw.gov.au/our-heritage. Width and Length must not exceed 100cm and can be in any technique

AWARDS

- 1ST PLACE - QUILTERS CHALLENGE \$250.00
- VIEWERS CHOICE \$250.00

KEY DATES

- **September 2019**
Call for entries open
- **2 December 2019, 5.00pm**
Entries close
- **January 2020**
Gold Quilters Challenge to be judged and curation of Airing of the Quilts Exhibition
- **1 February 2020**
Notification of selection by email/mail
- **20 and 21 February 2020**
Submission of quilts in person to Orange City Library between 9.00am - 4.00pm weekdays only
- **21 February 2020, 5.00pm**
Selected quilts to be received by post or hand delivered
- **6 March 2020**
Exhibition Installation
- **7 March 2020**
Exhibition opens 10.00am
- **8 March 2020**
Exhibition closes 3.00pm
- **10-13 March 2020**
Quilts may be collected from Orange City Library (see over)

SUBMISSION OF QUILTS

- Selected quilts must be received by 5.00pm 21 February 2020
- Please address quilt delivery to Orange City Library, 147 Byng Street, Orange NSW 2800
- Quilts may be hand delivered to Orange City Library, 147 Byng Street, Orange NSW 2800, on Thursday 20 and Friday 21 February 2020 between the hours of 9.00am – 4.00pm only

EXHIBITION

- All quilts must be submitted with a sleeve sewn on to the back, (not pinned), with a minimum finish depth of 10cm. Quilts received without a sleeve will not be considered
- Entries may or may not be for sale. Pricing must accompany each quilt. Council will retain a commission of 10% for any works sold. Please specify details on the entry form
- All works must be able to be hung with a maximum weight not exceeding 15kg
- A quilt label stating the name and address of the entrant and name of the quilt must be securely sewn on to the back of the quilt. Name and address of the entrant must be clearly marked on the back of the bag in which the quilt is delivered and to be returned
- Selected works will be hung on a 2m high wire fence surrounding Wentworth Mine or in corrugated buildings and will be hung overnight. Should it rain, a selection of works will be hung indoors in the buildings

EXHIBITION CATALOGUE

- Selected works maybe included in a printed catalogue or online. All works will be listed for the exhibition
- Permission is required for photographs to be taken of your work, please include on entry form
- Orange City Council may photograph entries for the catalogue or other purposes including social media

COLLECTION OF ENTRIES

Quilts may be collected from Orange City Library 147 Byng Street Orange from Tuesday 10 March to Friday 13 March 2020 - 9.00am to 4.00pm only (other times only by prior arrangement)

RETURN POST

- Artist who post quilts will be required to pay a further fee of \$30 for return postage, otherwise collection by arrangement

DAMAGE/INSURANCE

- The entrant acknowledges that Orange City Council is not responsible for damage, loss or destruction of quilt(s), however caused, prior to, during or after the event.
- Quilts are entered at own risk. Insurance is your responsibility. Orange City Council does not take out exhibition insurance. Orange City Council or staff is not liable for any loss, damage or destruction of exhibition items, however caused. Note: All quilts will be folded as part of the exhibition process.

- The entrant is financially responsible for the cost of repair or replacement to quilt(s).
- Orange City Council does not take out exhibition insurance. Insurance is the responsibility of the entrant.
- The entrant indemnifies Council against all demands, claims, suits and actions which may arise in connection from damage, loss or destruction to quilt(s) or from injury, death or damage caused to any person or property resulting from the quilt entry submission.

The judge's decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into

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