
BYRON MUSEUM OF HISTORY

ByronFest Cacciatore Quilt Show 2026

Entry Instructions and Show Details

Welcome to the Byron Museum's quilt show, presented by ByronFest 2026. Thank you for entering a quilt in this years' display! Special Thanks to Wanda Murphy Cacciatore for sponsoring the quilt show since 1987!

Please consider getting involved by volunteering during the show, helping to keep an accurate count of visitors and hand out people's choice ballots. The show opens on Friday, July 10th at 5:00 pm.

Quilt Drop Off	Quilt Show Hours	Quilt Pick Up
Wednesday-Saturday 10:00-3:00 Beginning June 17 (Closed 7/4) Last Day-Wed, July 8	Friday, July 10 5-8 pm Saturday, July 11 10am-7 pm Sunday, July 12 10am-12 pm	Sunday, July 12 3:00-4:00 PM Items can also be collected the following week Wed-Sat.

For each entry:

- Complete one "Quilt Details" questionnaire per item.
- For each JUDGED item, include the \$5 fee. (No fee for "Just for Show" items)
- Be sure to sign your entry form.
- Note your preferred pick up time, if Sunday, July 12 3:00-4:00 pm is not convenient for you.

Every quilt has a story:

- What would you like the viewers to know about your entry?
- Who made this and why? What was your inspiration? Is this your first quilt?
- Feel free to use a separate note to be displayed with your entry.

Just a Suggestion:

- Please consider attaching a rod pocket (around 4") to the top edge of your piece.
- Take color photos of your piece showing the pattern, scale and colors.
- Sew a label onto one corner of your quilt with name, phone number and year of completion.

Judging and Awards:

- This show will be judged and ribbons awarded.
- Byron Museum and the quilt show committee reserves the right to change the category of a quilt.
- Cash prizes are awarded for first place in each category.
- Ribbons are awarded to first, second and third place winners.
- All persons that register an item will receive a certificate or ribbon of participation.

ByronFest Quilt Show Entry Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Number of Quilts entered # _____

Amount Enclosed \$ _____

(Entry fee is \$5 per judged item)

Intended pick up date and time _____

Please bring all entries to:



110 N. Union St. Byron IL 61010

815-234-5031

Registration Open

June 17-July 8

Wed-Sat 10AM - 3PM

I understand that the Byron Museum of History will take every precaution to protect my item exhibited in the ByronFest Quilt Show. I agree not to hold the Byron Museum District liable for any damage or loss to any property left in the museum's care, custody or control. I also understand that the judge's decisions are final.

SIGNATURE _____

DATE _____

Circle ONE Category

Quilt:

1. Antique (pre 1950)
2. Q-Hand Quilted
3. Q-Machine Quilted
4. Q-Commercially Quilted

Wall Hanging:

5. W-Hand Quilted
6. W-Machine Quilted
7. W-Commercially Quilted.

Special:

8. Wearable Art
9. Fabric Art
10. Just for Show (No fee)

Quilt Details

Owner of Quilt: _____

Made By: _____

Made For: _____

Pieced By: _____ Method: _____

Quilted By: _____ Method: _____

Pattern: _____

Colors: _____

Size: _____

Title: _____

History/Story: _____

Entry #

Receipt #