## **QUILTING IN PARADISE – SANTA BARBARA COUNTY**

## **Call for Entry**

Harvest of Colors - Special Exhibit - QUILTING IN PARADISE - SANTA BARBARA COUNTY

Exhibit Dates - September 17-18, 2016

## Earl Warren Showgrounds, Santa Barbara, CA

This exhibit is designed as a showcase of work from quilters from the Tri Counties – San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara and Ventura. Quilters are invited to submit an entry for a special exhibit featuring work about Santa Barbara County. 40 - 60 pieces will be accepted for this exhibition. Space is limited and we cannot guarantee that all work submitted will be accepted.

Jurors: Irelle Beatie, Kristin Otte, LouAnn Smith, Pat Masterson, Ranell Hansen, Linda Estrada and Karen Pickford.

## **Eligibility and Guidelines.**

Entry is open to all guilters that live in the Tri County area.

Quilts should reflect the theme of "Santa Barbara County". Your inspiration should be anything related to or located in Santa Barbara County.

Entries must be a quilt: a creative visual work that is comprised of three layers and quilted either by hand, machine or both. The piece must either be bound or closed along the edge.

The quilt must be an original design and not shown before in Santa Barbara.

Artists may submit up to 2 works, but only 1 work will be accepted from each artist.

Size: Entry must be 24" by 30" and can be oriented either vertically or horizontally.

Entries must include a 4 " hanging sleeve and a label on the back with the name of the quilt, artist's name and contact information. An artist's statement will be required on the registration form.

Entry registration is due April 14<sup>th</sup>, 2016. Registration forms will be available on our website at <a href="https://www.CoastalQuilters.org">www.CoastalQuilters.org</a> starting in February.

Quilts are due July 14<sup>th</sup>, 2016. Photos are not accepted. We must receive the actual quilt. More information is on the registration form on our website.