

40th Anniversary

COLOUR CHIP GUILD CHALLENGE

The coming guild season marks our 40th Anniversary and as part of the celebration, we are offering our members a challenge, with guidelines reflecting the 40th Anniversary theme.

#1. **COLOUR:** The colour for a 40th anniversary is ruby red, so each creation must contain a piece of red fabric or embellishment. The shade or tone of red is your choice; you may wish to choose an older fabric, shop your stash, share fabric with your quilting buddies or support your local quilt shops. A traditional quilt block, the log cabin, always had a red centre which represented the heart and hearth of the home.

The second fabric colour will be generated by a random colour picking website. We will send you two colour swatches with their hex codes (**explanation below) in an email; choose one or use both. Shades or tones of this fabric can be used.

The red colour plus the assigned Pantone colour must be visible on the front of the piece and occupy at least 40% of the front of the piece in any proportion that you wish. You may use up to 40 different fabrics in your creation.

#2. **DESIGN:** This is in your hands: traditional or modern, an innovative piece or a landscape---whatever captures your imagination. The piece does not have to be themed for the 40th anniversary and we hope you will find joy in its creation and end use.

#3. **SIZE:** Minimum size is a 40-inch perimeter (e.g. candle mat or mug rug). Maximum size is a 160-inch perimeter (e.g. baby quilt; long, narrow pieces such as table runners). Perimeter will be **between** 40 and 160 inches. Three dimensional pieces are acceptable.

#4. **ENTRIES:** Wouldn't it be great to see at least 40 pieces for our 40th anniversary? Multiple entries are not only accepted, but encouraged! At this time, it is anticipated that the challenge pieces will be presented at the December 2021 Guild meeting, with a submission deadline of November 30, 2021.

To participate, send an email to communications@saskatoonquiltersguild.com after July 1, 2021 with "40th anniversary" in the subject line, and we'll send you a copy of the guidelines, plus your Pantone colour swatches with their hex codes. Your participation email will contain two hex codes and their colour samples for **each entry** that you intend to create.

**The Pantone Color Matching System is a standardized color reproduction system. By standardizing the colors, different manufacturers can refer to the Pantone system to make sure colors match. Pantone colours can be described by hex codes, which are six-digit codes used in various computing applications to represent colours. If you enter the hex code preceded by "#" into the browser of your electronic device (computer, cell phone or tablet), it will retrieve from a website (e.g. colorhexa.com) the colour represented.