THE CATSKILL MOUNTAIN QUILTERS HALL OF Fame

Proudly Presents

"A FESTIVAL OF QUILTS"

Dear Quilting Friends,

It is our pleasure to announce the 19th Great Catskill Mountain Quilt Show to be held **Saturday** and **Sunday, September 22 and 23, 2018** from **10AM – 4PM** at ROXBURY ARTS CENTER, 5025 VEGA MOUNTAIN ROAD, ROXBURY, NY 12474. We invite all members of the guilds that make up the CMQHOF to enter the show. September 21 will be a special day for students. We hope to have the 2017 inductees present Saturday, September 22 if possible, as part of our "Inductee Day" where they can meet with the public.

What is a quilt and why do we make them? A Quilt is defined as consisting of three layers: a woven top, a filler or batting, and a woven back held together with stitching. We make quilts to celebrate significant events and to express emotions such as love, hope, happiness, faith, and sorrow. Quilts are a gift of love, sharing, and remembrance.

Your registration form is enclosed and should be returned and postmarked by <u>August</u> <u>20, 2018</u>. Every quilt and wall hanging should be delivered in a non-returnable plastic bag (prefer clear) and <u>must have a 6" hanging sleeve</u> and must be <u>accompanied by a photo</u>. The photo is required for insurance purposes. Please complete the entire registration form, including a brief description of the quilt or your reason for creating it. This information adds warmth and human interest to the show. Because space is limited, please submit only 2 pieces for the show. Please be sure that your quilt has <u>a</u> <u>sewn in label</u> on the left hand back corner with the name of the quilt and its maker.

Please bring your quilt (s) in a clear plastic bag to the Roxbury Arts Center on **WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 19, 2018 BETWEEN 10 AM AND 12 NOON**. ***any quilt not registered or photo'd prior to the show will not be accepted***. On Wednesday, you will receive a receipt for each item. These receipts <u>must</u> be presented for each item when picked up after the show on **SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 23 FROM** 5:00 – 5:30PM. No quilts will be released without a receipt. If you have any questions, please call Pat Cumming 607-326-7569 or Eileen Buel 607-588-9424. Please send completed form(s) and photo(s) to: <u>Eileen Buel, 103 Briggs Road, Gilboa, NY 12076</u>

Please spread the word to your quilting friends and interested members of your community to attend this wonderful show. These beautiful quilts are a feast for the eyes and meant to be shared with others so please......share the love!

2018 Great Catskill Mountain Quilt Show Committee