



“Seeing Red”

Old Aurora Colony Museum 40th Annual Quilt Show

October 12 - 21, 2012

10 am - 4 pm Daily

- ✂ Demonstrations
- ✂ Country Store
- ✂ Coffee Shop
- ✂ Featured Quilter
- ✂ Block Contest
- ✂ Raffle Quilt

Admission \$6 Groups of 10+ \$5 Students \$2

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Aurora Colony Historical Society
Second and Liberty Streets
Aurora, Oregon

Eighteenth Annual Block Contest

“Aurora: 50 Years Keeping the Memories”

The Old Aurora Colony Museum houses all that remains of a way of life which began in Aurora in 1856. Founded by the dynamic Dr. Wilhelm Keil and named for his eight year old daughter, Aurora Mills was Oregon’s first and most successful Christian communal society lasting until 1883.

In 2013 the Aurora Colony Historical Society will be celebrating 50 years of preserving the history of the Aurora Colony. Our block contest theme for this year is, *“Celebrating Our Golden Memories”*. Blocks should be made using autumn colors.

Guidelines

- Unfinished blocks should measure **12 ½” x 12 ½” to finish as a 12” square.**
- Please measure carefully.
- Blocks should be made using a design of your choice.
- Blocks should NOT be set on point
- Blocks may be pieced or appliquéd. (if appliquéd, no fusing or gluing should be used and base fabric should be cut away)
- Blocks should be made of **pre-washed 100% cotton fabrics.**

The blocks will be judged first on size, then workmanship and overall appearance. Prizes will be awarded to twenty blocks, which will be used to make up the 2013 raffle quilt. All blocks entered will be used to make quilted items to be sold by ACHS. The proceeds from those sales will benefit the Aurora Colony Historical Society and it’s programs.

To enter: Please enter completed blocks with your name, address, phone number, and the name of your block pattern safety pinned to the back. All blocks will be displayed during the quilt show. Blocks should arrive at the museum no later than Friday, Oct. 19, 2012. Judging will be held after 4:00 p.m. that day. The twenty winners will be displayed Saturday, Oct. 20, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. at the Aurora Colony Museum. Blocks may be brought to the Aurora Colony Museum at the corner of Second and Liberty Streets in Aurora or sent to:

**Quilt Block Contest
Old Aurora Colony Museum
P.O. Box 202
Aurora, OR 97002**

For more information about the quilt show or the block contest you may contact the Aurora Colony Museum at 503-678-5754 or email: info@auroracolony.org