



## AQS QuiltWeek® – Paducah, Kentucky 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration Event Fact Sheet

### Hours and Location:

**Dates:** April 23, 2014 – April 26, 2014

**Press & VIP Preview:** April 22, 2014, 7:30 p.m.

**Location:** Paducah McCracken County Expo & Convention Center

**Address:** 414 Park Street, Paducah, KY

**Presented by:** American Quilter's Society

### Event Details:

Works on Display: 662

Number of Exhibits: 8

Merchant Booths: 350

Anticipated Attendance: 30,000

Contest Prizes: Over \$125,000

### Exhibit Highlights:

#### Charitable Quilt Travelling Exhibit

Exhibit title: *Quilted in Honor*

Exhibit Details: Curated by Island Batik

Exhibit Includes: 25 works of textile art dedicated to Operation Homefront

#### International Exhibit

Exhibit title: *Stitch Like an Egyptian*

Exhibit Details: Curated by the American Quilter's Society

Exhibit Includes: 100 works of appliquéd art

#### Challenge Winners

Title: *AQS Modern Quilt Challenge*

Exhibit Details: Challenge issued by American Quilter's Society

Exhibit Includes: 32 challenge quilts

#### Invitational Exhibit

Exhibit title: *SAQA™ Masters II Exhibit*

Exhibit Details: An invitational exhibit of one work each by artists belonging to the Studio Art Quilt Associates

Exhibit Includes: 35 works of fiber art

#### Challenge Winners

Title: *Go! Have Fun Challenge*

Exhibit Details: Challenge issued by AccuQuilt

Exhibit Includes: 29 challenge quilts

#### Invitational Challenge Exhibit

Exhibit title: Pilgrim/Roy Invitational Challenge

2014 and 2015 Quilts

Exhibit Details: Curated by the National Quilt Museum

Exhibit Includes: 10 quilts 2014 and 10 quilts from the 2015 Pilgrim/Roy Invitational Challenge

**2014 challenge quilts will be auctioned off the evening of April 24, 2014**

#### Invitational Exhibit

Exhibit title: *AQS Authors' Invitational Quilt Exhibit*

Exhibit Details: Curated by the American Quilter's Society

Exhibit Includes: 15 quilts from the latest AQS Authors

#### International Contest

Exhibit title: AQS Quilt Contest – Paducah

Exhibit Details: Juried quilt competition, \$125,000 total cash prizes awarded

Exhibit Includes: 406 quilts in competition from 41 states and 10 countries

**Special Presentation: Winners announced in special event April 22, 2014**