

Bluebonnet Shop Hop Block Challenge – 2023

March 22 – April 1, 2023

Welcome to the Bluebonnet Shop Hop Challenge!

This year, our challenge to all of the quilters is to create a quilt block using the fabric we have chosen. The entries are judged by the participating shops and then displayed during the Shop Hop. Challenge Kits, which include the fabric and an entry form, may be purchased for \$2.00 from any of the official Bluebonnet Shop Hop shops. After the Shop Hop, the blocks will be assembled into quilts and donated to charity.

Categories:

Pieced Blocks: Hand or machine pieced

Appliqued Blocks: Using the applique method of your choice

Combination Blocks: Combination of pieced and applique in a single block

Prizes:

There will be a First Prize awarded in each category and a Platinum Award (Judge's Choice) chosen as the overall winner.

Challenge Block Rules:

1. Challenge fabric must be purchased from a Bluebonnet Shop Hop shop.
2. The challenge fabric must be used as an integral and recognizable part of the entry.
3. The official Entry Form (at the bottom of this page) must be securely fastened to the BACK OF THE QUILT BLOCK! If you just want to donate your block, you don't need to fill out the form.
4. The block MUST MEASURE 12 ½" SQUARE. The block should not be quilted so the block can later be set into a quilt top and quilted.
5. Judging emphasizes originality, creativity, visual impact, and workmanship.

Entry Rules:

1. Entries must be received by one of the official Bluebonnet Shop Hop shops no later than Saturday, February 25th, 2023. Late entries will not be eligible for judging but will still be accepted.
2. Entries will be judged prior to Shop Hop and a list of winners will be displayed at each shop during the Shop Hop
3. There's no guarantee where or if your blocks will be displayed during the Shop Hop.
4. All entries become the property of the Bluebonnet Shop Hop.
5. Enter as many blocks as you like; only one prize will be awarded per person.
6. The judges reserve the right to determine the category a block should be placed in.
7. All decisions of the judges are final.

Bluebonnet Shop Hop Challenge Block Entry Form

Please print clearly.

Name _____

Phone # _____

Address _____

Category: Circle one: Pieced Appliqued Combination

I agree to the challenge Block Rules and the Entry Rules.

Sign and date below.

Fill out for a drawing!

Name _____

Phone # _____

Address _____