



Quilt Block Contest

**“4-Ever Green” Boone County Fair 2009
To Benefit Boone County 4-H Program**



This is the fifth year for a special event sponsored by *Connie’s Custom Quilting and Boone County ISU Extension*.

Individuals will have the opportunity to sew a quilt block in 2009 that will become part of a quilt to be raffled in 2010. At the 2010 Boone County Fair, drawings from raffle ticket sales will be held for a queen sized quilt.

Quilt Block Contest Rules

A packet of fabric for a quilt block will be available **April 1, 2009** at the Boone County Extension ISU Office, 603 Story Street, Boone, IA 50036 (under the Dutch Oven Bakery in downtown Boone.)

Individuals wishing to complete a block will pay a **\$3.00** registration fee for the packet of fabrics. The registration fee will be used towards fabric purchased for the completion of the quilt that will be raffled the following year to benefit Boone County 4-H.

Guidelines:

1. Quilt Blocks are to be made from the packet of fabrics provided. **DO NOT ADD OTHER FABRICS!** Three out of four fabrics **MUST** be used.
2. No three-dimensional embellishment such as buttons, yo-yos, bows, etc. The block must lay flat. Fabric adhesive or fusible web may be used, but also please machine stitch edges of appliqués. No fabric paint.
3. Quilt Blocks should measure 9½ inches x 9½ inches and be ready to set into a quilt. That means a 9 inch block with ¼ inch seam allowances (total 9½ inches).
4. Do not quilt.
5. Individuals may use an established pattern or an original block design.
6. One fabric packet per individual until packets are gone. Youth may sew a block and may be assisted by an adult.
7. Deliver completed quilt block prior to **Friday, June 26, 2009** to the *Boone County Extension Office*, 603 Story Street. Please pin the index card provided to the back of the quilt block that identifies the block design along with your name, address and phone number.
8. The top 3 blocks chosen through a viewers’ choice contest during the 2009 Boone County Fair will be awarded prizes. 1st place 2nd place 3rd place. The quilt block receiving the most votes from the youth fair goers will also receive a prize.
9. The quilt blocks will become the property of the Boone County ISU Extension. The blocks will be assembled and the finished quilt will be raffled during the 2010 Boone County Fair to benefit the Boone County 4-H program.