

HELLS CANYON MULE DAYS QUILT SHOW

PO BOX 50, ENTERPRISE, OR 97828

SEPTEMBER 11-12-13. 2009

“ALWAYS THE WEEKEND AFTER LABOR DAY”

• Greetings From The Valley Of The Wallowas In Northeast Oregon •

The Hells Canyon Mule Days Quilt Show Committee invites you to participate as a vendor in our 7th annual quilt show. The show is staged in the Cloverleaf Hall at the Wallowa County Fairgrounds, during the Hells Canyon Mule Days event in Enterprise, Oregon. The HCMD show is the fastest growing mule show in the Northwest and draws visitors from near and far. The quilt show was added to the event line-up in 2003 and the quilt show's success continues to grow each year. The Cloverleaf Hall comes alive with quilts that foster designs from the past and also current day patterns that will amaze and inspire the quilter and non-quilter alike.

The Merchants Mall has been expanded to include not only quilt vendors but artisans with quality crafted goods or products, home and country items, and garden accents... Also, new this year will be a Trunk Show of Wallowa County Ranch Women. With these additions to the quilt show we believe there will be a broader market to draw from, and in so doing, it will increase show attendance.

Vendors planning to attend this year's show will have the option to set up their booth displays on Thursday, September 10th between noon and 8:00 p.m. and Friday, September 11th between 8:00 a.m. and 9:30 a.m.. Please note that all vendors must be open during the hours of the quilt show and in place all three days. Each space will include one table and two chairs. Please indicate on your vendor form the space needed and if you need electricity for your display. Vendors are responsible to prevent damage to floors, walls, etc. in their space. Vendors are also responsible for cleaning their area after take-down.

A light lunch will be provided each day for vendors as well as chilled bottled water throughout the weekend. There will also be a variety of excellent food vendors set up on the fairgrounds including the Hurricane Creek Grange menu that will include a hearty breakfast and lunch, plus great pies!

HCMD utilizes local, national, and internet advertising to promote our show and vendor participation. While HCMD cannot guarantee attendance or profit for each merchant, we will do our utmost to insure a well attended, successful event. We will provide a full list of show vendors on the HCMD website with a link to their website. The quilt show has been included in all of Hells Canyon Mule Days advertising which reaches across the nation. Both the mule and quilt shows have had heavy exposure in the region and full page HCMD Quilt Show ads are in The Quilters Path and WRBQ Inc. Northwest, the Wallowa County Visitors Guide, as well as being listed on many quilt website's with a link to the HCMD site.

The Cloverleaf Hall is a secured facility. Quilt and vendor areas will be locked throughout the night. Overnight parking for campers, trailers, and motor homes is permitted at a cost of \$10.00 per night when prearranged.

Our vendors are always a highlight of the Quilt Show and we look forward to seeing you at this year's show. Please fill out the application form and return it with your payment to Hells Canyon Mule Days no later than **August 15, 2009**. If you have questions or need additional information please call: local - 541-426-3271, cell - 541-263-0104 or toll free - 888-323-3271 or email - president@hellscanyonmuledays.com

We look forward to hearing from you... Smiles always!
Sondra Lozier and the Quilt Show Committee