

## 2019 WCQG Quilt Exhibit Viewers' Choice Winners

**Quilters Association Rosette**, a red ribbon, goes to the entry that received the most votes- and is entitled to be called 'Viewer's Choice' or "Best in Show" AND will have a picture of their quilt published in the Galleries pages of the CQA website: <http://www.canadianquilter.com>

The 2019 Viewers Choice **Best of Show** is for **Larger Than Life** by **Ilene Atkins**.

*"Everything about this cat was larger than life! Huge purr. Gigantic heart. Jumbo girth. He certainly made a name for himself, not only because of his size, but also because he loved everyone. P.S. The whiskers are whipper-snipper string."*

Ilene was inspired by the works of Danny Amazonas and Susan Carlson

**In addition to the Best of Show we have two Honourable Mention winners:**

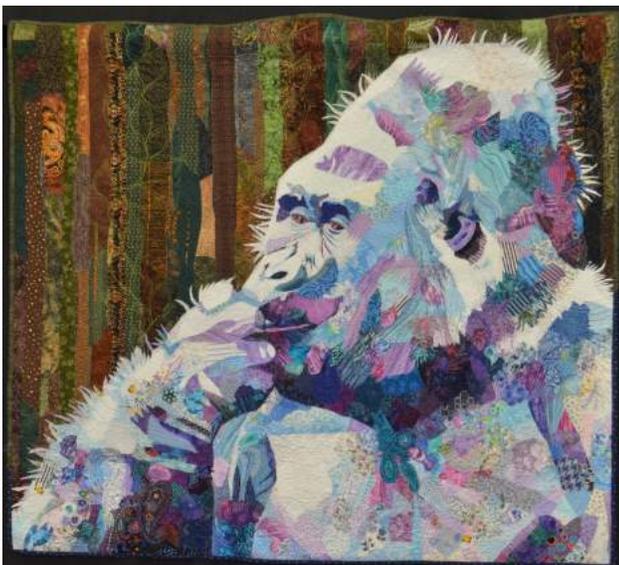
### **Flowers for Mum** by Susan Shillingford-Pearson

*When my mother died in February 2016, I decided to make a quilted wall hanging in her memory. Mum loved flowers and growing tomatoes in her little greenhouse. The quilt started out being just the centre panel, but as I sewed and thought of Mum, it was soon evident that I needed more time to quilt and reminisce, so the quilt grew, border by border. Mum also enjoyed bright colours, so I believe this quilt does justice to her love of gardening - including a bug or two and a tomato.*

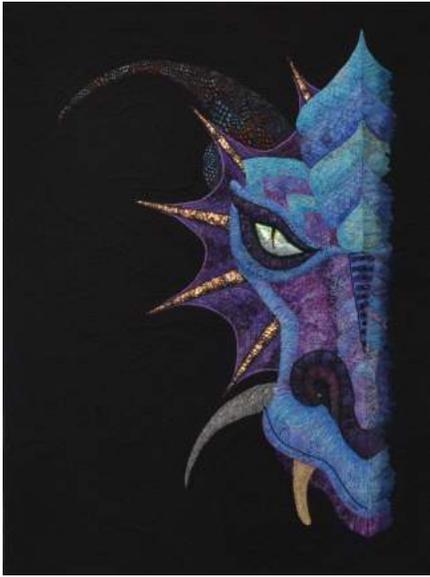


### **Silverback Eats a Snack** by Judy Pearce

*For quite some time I have admired the work of collage quilters like Susan Carlson and Danny Amazonas. July 2018 was the month to dump all the blue and purple scraps out on the floor and create this gorilla. It was an excellent exercise in determining value and it was great fun snipping and gluing.*



We would like to also acknowledge the quilters whose quilts had the most votes the categories not represented by the three rosette winners.



Small Wall Quilts  
**Zarchromia the Dragonicious**  
(29.5" x 39")  
by Marg Notar



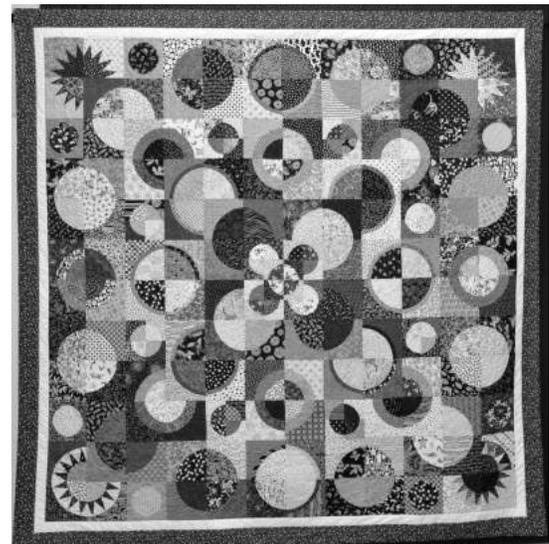
Bed/Lap Quilts  
**Omigosh** (66.5" x 82.5")  
by Sandy Campbell



Modern Quilts  
**Clara the Cow** (43.75" x 64.25")  
by Karen Cassidy



Other Items:  
**Collaboration** (88" x 95")  
by Marg Sandiford  
Marg's friend, Kerry crochet the  
four-patch quilts together.



Group Quilts:  
**Celebration** (104.5" x 106")  
by Bernice Barratt  
Quilted by Kathy Janzen  
Block contributors were: Jean Carberry,  
Marsha Clarke, Pat Costigan, Marilyn  
Farquhar, Dorothy Holdenmeyer and Sue  
Hemmerich, Marilyn Weckworth, Linda