

Splash Into Summer

Ahoy, quilters! Though summer is not the first concept that comes to mind when talking quilts, we're hoping to gain some quilting ground with our **Splash into Summer** theme this year. Let's use our quilting savvy to find ways to temper the heat instead of increasing it—when summer ramps up, even warmth-loving quilters will find ways to beat the heat!

We're celebrating, in quilt form, everything that helps us stay cool in the summer sun; imagery like cool blue swimming pools, gentle ocean winds, refreshing picnics, ice-cold fruity treats, shade trees, deep purple shadows beckoning amongst rays of sun-drenched color, and the breezy relief of the setting sun and resulting twinkling twilight chill. We'd love to incorporate projects that will keep you cool as well, perhaps using Insul-Brite batting for insulating water bottle carriers, totes, or picnic baskets, for example, a light bed cover without batting in between layers, or perhaps, a quilted fan with stiff interfacing included with the batting? Or maybe a unique window treatment to block the sun? While quilts are not renowned for their ability to cool us down, our summer quilt projects aim to provide some cool ideas, splashy techniques, and sizzling style for summer.



Submission Guidelines

We are so excited to share this news with you and we hope that you will submit a design. Please send a diagram, drawing, or photo of your unpublished idea to quiltsubmissions@goldenpeakmedia.com **by October 14, 2024**, along with the completed **Submissions Form** (see following page). Once accepted, we will work with you directly to choose fabrics that you love and get you in touch with the fabric manufacturers to supply fabrics. The finished quilts are due December 16, 2024. This issue will be on sale in April 2025.

About McCall's Quilting:

McCall's Quilting is all about customizing your quilts to your lifestyle, and then actually using them. With timely seasonal inspiration and alternate pattern layouts, McCall's makes it easy for quilters to enhance their lives with quilts.

Happy quilting!
Gigi Levensen
Editor



Quilting DAILY Quilt Submission Form

Please Note: Your design will not be considered unless this form is completed in full and returned.

Designer Information

Name _____ Business Name _____

Address _____ City & State _____

Zip _____ Phone _____ Email _____

Website, blog, or social media _____

Finished Quilt Size _____

Finished Block Size _____

About the Design

Because of copyright requirements, we must know if your quilt was based on, or inspired by, the work of another, whether that inspiration was a quilt, painting, photograph or other design source.

Please check one of the following to best describe your project (providing complete information where appropriate).

- The design is based on a traditional pattern/patterns.
- The pattern is my original design.
- The pattern is my adaptation of a design by _____ (designer).
- The pattern came from the following book, pattern, or other publication (title, author & publisher):

- The design was the result of a workshop with _____ (teacher or sponsor).

Additional Notes