

# 2024 Quilt Fest Challenge – Sponsored by The Quilted Beehive

Beehive Row



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## GNOME HOMES



### Category One: Gnome Home in the Beehive Quilt

This category is for those creating a row quilt based off the Beehive Row pattern. This row quilt requirements: A row style quilt **including at least 3 rows from the Beehive Row pattern (flying geese count as one row from the original pattern regardless of how many flying geese rows you include)**. You must incorporate at least one row of Gnome Homes or one large Gnome Home at the top of the quilt in place of the queen bee in the original pattern.

### Category Two: Beehive Row in the Gnome Home

This category is for those creating a Gnome Home quilt that is not a row quilt. This can be a quilt featuring a single Gnome Home or a quilt including several Gnome Homes. This is not a row quilt but must include at least 2 rows. The challenge in this category is: **Incorporate 3 aspects of the Beehive Row pattern into your Gnome Home. You can include at least 2 rows of your choice (at least 4 blocks equal a row) and/or the queen bee block from the Beehive Row pattern.** Flying geese count as one aspect/row, regardless of how many are used. The queen bee block equals one aspect/row. These three aspects from the Beehive Row pattern can be used on the Gnome Home, in the background surrounding the Gnome Home, and/or as sashing/borders around the Gnome Home(s).

Participants are encouraged to personalize their quilt to tell their story. After all, this year's theme is **Getting to Gnome You!**

**CHOOSE YOUR OWN COLORS - YOU DO NOT NEED TO USE THE COLORS SHOWN IN PATTERN TO QUALIFY FOR CHALLENGE! BE CREATIVE!**

Row sizes may be enlarged or decreased to fit your quilt, but the pattern must remain to scale and be recognizable (e.g. rectangle "I" from fabric 2 is 3-1/2x6-1/2, if desired it could be increased to 4-1/2 x 8-1/2 and still be in proportion. Remember to account for the seam allowance when changing sizes.) Minimum quilt size is 36 x 36 inches, maximum size is 120 x 120 inches.

The Quilted Beehive will present 2 prizes for each category!

First Place for each category: \$50 gift card

2nd Place for each category: \$25 gift card

You can win prizes from both the Guild challenge and The Quilted Beehive challenge.

PATTERNS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE ON THE UQG WEBSITE - \$15 INCLUDES YOUR