

### 2008-2009 BVP Challenge Rules

In an effort to encourage a larger membership participation in this year's challenge, we have decided to go back to a more traditional challenge. We have chosen two gorgeous fabrics from Moda's new 3 Sisters line called Portobello Market and we hope they will inspire you to create a beautiful quilted wall hanging or other quilted item to display at our June dinner and then at next year's quilt show.

The challenge this year is a simple one.

- 1) Use a recognizable amount of both challenge fabrics on the front of the quilted item.
- 2) Use as many other fabrics as you like, including more of the challenge fabrics.
- 3) If making a quilt, make the perimeter of the quilt 160 inches or less. The quilt can be any shape.
- 4) Use any techniques and embellishments you like.
- 5) Include the Churn Dash block in any form, in your quilted item design. It can be distorted, stretched, fragmented, or otherwise changed as long as it is recognizable as a Churn Dash Block or units from a churn dash block if it is fragmented. The challenge for others might be in trying to find the block or fragmented parts of the block in the quilted item!

That's it! Sounds pretty easy, but hopefully a little challenging, too. Please bring your completed challenge, in a bag, to the June dinner. The guild members in attendance that night will vote for their favorite challenge and the winner will receive next year's guild dues free.

Have fun! If you have any questions about the challenge, please feel free to contact one of us.

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