Featured Artist Criteria/Rules

The Featured Artist is a special category within the 12-4-12 program for Desert Quilters of Nevada members. This category will "spotlight" the member who submits a project that meets or exceeds the specifications listed below. The featured artist will have an opportunity to obtain an additional \$10.00 if their name is pulled during the first quarterly meeting. The criteria and rules are as follows:

- 1. The 12-4-12 TEAM will collectively choose the "Featured Artist"
- Once a member has been chosen, they can not be chosen again for at least
 24 months. This allows everyone a chance to be featured.
- 3. The criteria the 12-4-12 Team will look for is as follows:
 - The project should be unique
 - Did the artist think outside the box?
 - Does the project have multiple mediums?
 - Does the project fit a holiday within that month?
 - Does the project have a WOW factor?
- 4. Everyone will have the opportunity to be "Featured". No one will be chosen consecutively or more than once within a 24-month period.
- 5. If a member wishes *not* to be "Featured" they must inform us by email
- 6. The twelve members who've been chosen as "Featured Artists" throughout the program year will have their name placed on a ticket. That ticket will be placed in a bag and pulled randomly by a nonchairperson or board member. The member whose name that is pulled will be awarded an additional \$10.00 on their gift certificate.

The listed criteria above is meant to be informational only and is not meant to be followed explicitly. Yet, it is provided to give the member an idea of how their project is accessed. It is designed to show members what the team looks for in judging who the featured artist will be for that particular month. We want this special category to be fun and add value to the program. It's designed to make everyone feel special.