

October Block of the Month

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Blocks are due November 2, 2006

Make block in white on white background and a bold black and white print for figure.
Make it in bright or pastel prints for the Community Quilts Project. Choose your own color scheme for the sampler block.

Cutting instructions:

From fabric A background:

Cut two 3" by 3" squares

Cut eight 2 1/2" by 4 1/2" rectangles

From fabric B (black):

Cut two 3" by 3" squares

Cut sixteen 2 1/2" by 2 1/2" rectangles

Cut one 4 1/2" x 4 1/2" square

Sewing instructions:

1. Draw a line diagonally on wrong side of fabric A, pair with a square of fabric B. With wrong sides together SEW A QUARTER INCH SEAM ON BOTH SIDES OF LINE. Trim on line. Press triangles open with seams to dark. These are oversize. Square up to 4 1/2" by 4 1/2".
2. To make a flying geese unit: Draw a diagonal line from upper left corner to lower right corner on each dark Fabric B 2 1/2" by 2 1/2" square. Place a square with right sides together on a corner of one of the light 2 1/2" by 4 1/2" rectangles. SEW ON LINE. Trim away underlying two layers. Press towards corner. Repeat with other corner. Repeat above steps until you have eight flying geese units.
3. Sew flying geese units together in tandem. Repeat until you have four geese in tandem units.
4. Following diagram, sew corner units to center units in rows.

