

Web Bonus: Wall Hanging

Winter Weekend

Adapted from a Design by
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Finished Wall Hanging Size

21½" x 29"

Number of Blocks and Finished Sizes

2 Tree Blocks 7½" x 7½"

2 Nine-patch Blocks 7½" x 7½"

1 Snowman Block 7½" x 15"



Create your own lap size version (77" x 77") of this larger quilt from our special issue, America Quilts for Christmas.

Planning

This wall hanging is the perfect companion to the Winter Weekend quilt (see picture below). Sparkle can be added to the wall hanging by using several fabrics with a hint of gold or silver.

Fabric Requirements

White print (Tree Blocks)	¾ yd.
Brown print (tree trunks)	4" x 10" piece
2 assorted green prints (trees)	10" x 10" piece each
Blue print and light blue print (Nine-patch Blocks)	11" x 16" piece each
Navy/gold print and white dot (Snowman Block)	10" x 16" piece each
Navy snowflake print (border, binding)	¾ yd.
Backing	⅞ yd.
Batting size	29" x 37"

Other Materials

- 2 black ball buttons (eyes), ½"
- 1 carrot button (nose), 1⅛"
- 3 black ball buttons (buttons), ⅝"

Cutting Instructions

White print

- 2 strips 3½" x 8"
- 4 rectangles 2½" x 4¼"
- 4 rectangles 2½" x 3½"
- 4 squares 2½" x 2½"

Brown print

- 1 strip 2" x 8"

2 assorted green prints—cut from each:

- 1 rectangle 2½" x 4½"
- 1 strip 2½" x 6"
- 1 strip 2½" x 8"

Blue print **and** light blue print—cut from each:

- 3 strips 3" x 14"

Navy/gold print

- 4 squares 3" x 3"
- 4 squares 1¾" x 11¾"
- 2 strips 1¾" x 5½"
- 1 strip 3" x 8"

White dot

- 1 square 8" x 8"
- 1 square 5½" x 5½"

Navy snowflake print

- 3 strips 2½" x width of fabric (binding)
- 2 strips 3½" x 20"
- 2 strips 3½" x 33"

Piecing the Blocks

1. Referring to **Diagram I-A**, sew white print $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x 8" strips to sides of brown 8" strip. Make 1. Press in direction of arrows. Cut 2 segments 2" wide.

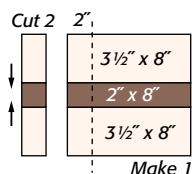


Diagram I-A

Draw diagonal line on wrong side of white print $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $4\frac{1}{4}$ " rectangle (**Diagram I-B**). Place marked rectangle on green $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $4\frac{1}{2}$ " rectangle, right sides together, aligning raw edges. Stitch on drawn line. Trim away and discard excess fabric; press open. Repeat on opposite end of green rectangle to make top tree strip. Make 2 total.

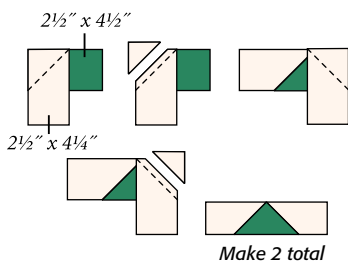


Diagram I-B

In same manner, make remaining tree strips in arrangements shown in **Diagram I-C**. Referring to **Diagram I-D**, use strips made with matching green fabrics to make Tree Block. Make 2 total.

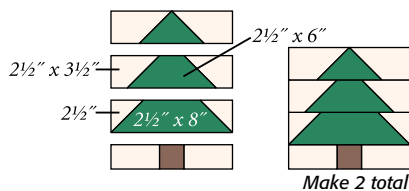


Diagram I-C

Diagram I-D

2. Sew blue print strips to sides of light blue strip (**Diagram II-A**). Make 1. Press in direction of arrows. Cut 4 segments 3" wide. In same manner, sew light blue strips to sides of blue print strip. Make 1. Press. Cut 2 segments 3" wide. Stitch 3 segments together to make Nine-patch Block (**Diagram II-B**). Make 2.

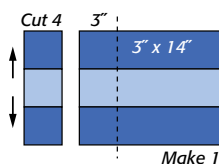


Diagram II-A

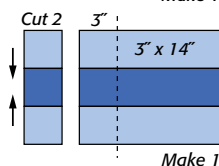


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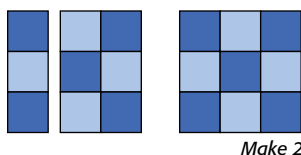


Diagram II-B

3. Draw diagonal line on wrong side of navy/gold 3" square. Place marked square on white dot 8" square, right sides together, aligning raw edges (**Diagram III-A**). Stitch on drawn line. Trim away and discard excess fabric; press open. Repeat on remaining corners of 8" square to make large snowball unit. Make 1. In same manner, use navy $1\frac{3}{4}$ " squares and white dot $5\frac{1}{2}$ " square to make small snowball unit. Make 1.

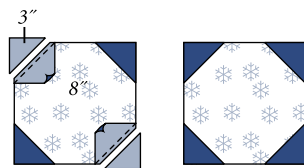


Diagram III-A

Referring to **Diagrams III-B** and **C**, make 1 Snowman Block.

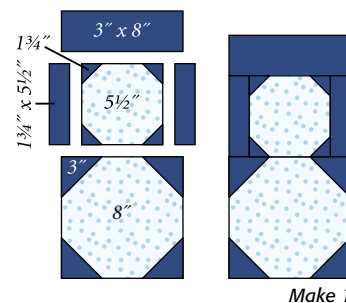
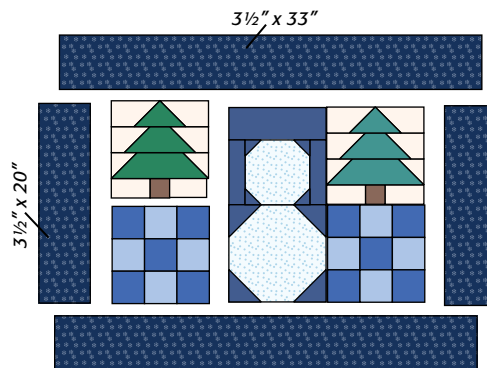


Diagram III-B **Diagram III-C**

Wall Hanging Assembly

4. Referring to **Assembly Diagram**, sew 1 Tree Block and 1 Nine-patch Block together. Make 2. Stitch to sides of Snowman Block. Sew navy snowflake 20" strips to sides; trim even with top and bottom. Sew remaining navy snowflake strips to top/bottom; trim even with sides.



Assembly Diagram

Quilting and Finishing

5. Layer, baste, and quilt as desired. Bind with navy snowflake print.

6. Tack buttons to Snowman Block (see feature quilt photo on page 1).