

Block of the Month August 07

How I Spent My Summer Blocks

This is the time to dig through your novelty fabric and see what depicts how you spent your summer. Since you undoubtedly have been very busy enjoying the great outdoors here in the Northwest, I've designed a block that is a snap to make. No excuse not to make this one!

You will need : 7" block of novelty fabric

2 white strips, cut 9" x 1 1/2"

4 black 2 1/4" squares

2 white strips, cut 7" x 1 1/2"

Sew each of the 7" white strips to the top and bottom of your novelty square. Sew the 9" strips to each side.

Trim your block so that you have 3/4" of white border on each side.

Fold the black squares in half diagonally and press. Place a pressed triangle, with the folded edge facing the block center, in each corner and baste at 1/8" to create photo corners.

Since photos come in all sizes, feel free to adapt this to a rectangle or larger square.

Let your fabric dictate the size. Make lots! They're fun and addictive!!

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