## 2020/2021 TBQ Scrappy Mystery BOM Sampler Quilt Part 5 - December 2020

This month we'll be making 6 8" Sawtooth Star blocks and we'll continue making half square triangles to be combined in various ways for filler blocks.


## 8" finished ( $81 / 2$ " unfinished) Sawtooth Star blocks Make 6

The Sawtooth Star Quilt Block is made of a center square, 4 corner squares and 4 flying geese units. We made lots of flying geese last month so you should be an old pro by now.

For each block:
Cut 1 square $41 / 2{ }^{2}$ for center
Cut 4 squares $21 / 2$ " for corners
Same as November, here are 2 methods to make flying geese units. You will need 4 units for each block

## Flying geese-4 at a time method

Cut 2 squares $51 / 4$ " (flying geese centers)
Cut 8 squares $27 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ (flying geese points)

On each of the small squares draw a line corner to corner
Referring to the diagram:

1. Lay 2 small squares diagonally in opposite corners of the large square. They will overlap slightly where both squares intersect in the middle.
2. Stitch a scant $1 / 4$ " seam allowance on both sides of the diagonal line. Cut apart.
3. Press seams towards the smaller triangles.
4. Next, place another small square in the corner of one of the previously pieced units. Stitch a scant $1 / 4$ " seam allowance on both sides of the diagonal line.
5. Cut apart. Repeat for the other pieced unit. Press seams towards smaller triangles.
6. You now have four Flying Geese $41 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$


## Flying geese - 1 at a time method

Cut 8 rectangles $21 / 2$ " $\times 41 / 2$ " (flying geese centers)
Cut 16 squares $21 / 2 \prime$ " (flying geese points)

On each square, draw a line corner to corner.
Following diagram

1. Sew a small square to rectangle on the drawn line
2. Trim
3. Press.

4. Sew a second square to the other corner of rectangle on the drawn line
5. Trim
6. Press


Repeat to make 4 flying geese $41 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$
Assemble the Sawtooth Star blocks


Make 6

2" finished (2 $1 / 2$ " unfinished) Half Square Triangle (HST) blocks - This month we continue to make HST blocks which will be sewn in various configurations (pinwheels, anvils, etc.) for filler blocks. You can make them scrappy or you can make them in sets to match. We will need 76 in total.

Cut 2 squares (Light and dark) $27 / \mathrm{s}^{\prime \prime}$

1. Place a light and a dark fabric square right sides together.
2. Draw a diagonal line from one corner to the opposite corner.
3. On both sides of the diagonal line, stitch a scant $1 / 4$ " seam.
4. Using a quilter's ruler and rotary cutter, cut along the pencil line.
5. Press seams to one side.


Half-square triangles (two-at-a-time method)

