

Discovery Day July 28, 2018

Scrappy Quilt Strip Piecing

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Class Date: July 28 from 10 to 4 pm at the Auburn Airport large meeting room
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Supplies Required:

1. Various strips of fabric cut width-of-fabric in strips of various sizes from 1.5 inches, up to 2.5 inches (most of mine are 1 ½, 1 ¾, 2, and 2 ¼). If you have short strips, they will work fine, but most should be at least 12 inches long. As you near the edges of the quilt square, you can have 4 and 5 inch long pieces. Come with a variety of cut strips to class so you can start piecing blocks right away.
2. Very light non-woven interfacing (do **NOT** use fusible) that Joann's has for 50 cents a yard. (If you can't find any, I will have some to sell at the class.) This is the foundation on which we piece the strips. Cut several 10 inch blocks of the interfacing before class.
3. Thread, scissors, pins, sewing machine (sew ¼ inch seams), cutting board and rotary cutter.
4. Bring a 10.5 inch square ruler to square up your blocks to 9.5 inches each.
5. Pick a color for your sashing and cut 1.5 inch wide strips the width of the fabric. You may be ready to sew blocks into rows if you have your sashing with you. I used black since it's high contrast to the scrappy blocks you'll be making and creates a nice window-pane effect.
6. Task light.