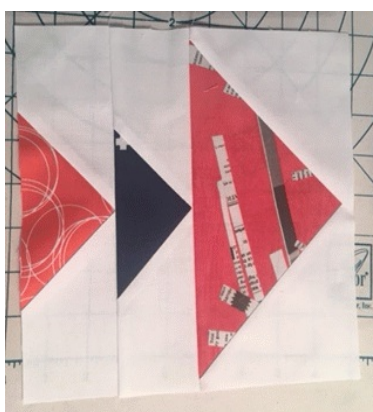


BNMQG Block Lotto

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Fast Forward Block



This Block is made with units that are over sized so you can trim them to the perfect size.

This month we will be making our blocks with any blue or orange modern print or solid for the goose part and the wings will be white or snow you can use a subtle print for these (white on white).

Cut from blue and orange:

cut one- $4 \frac{3}{4}$ " x $8 \frac{3}{4}$ " in blue or orange

cut two- $2 \frac{3}{4}$ " x $4 \frac{3}{4}$ " in the opposite color

Cut from white:

cut two - $4 \frac{3}{4}$ " x $4 \frac{3}{4}$ "

cut four- $2 \frac{3}{4}$ " x $4 \frac{3}{4}$ "

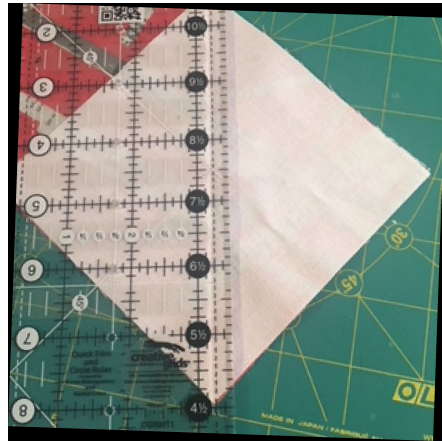
To make the flying geese you will take one of the blue or orange $4\frac{3}{4}" \times 8\frac{3}{4}"$ piece and two of the white $4\frac{3}{4}" \times 4\frac{3}{4}"$ pieces. Draw a line from corner to corner on the back side of the white pieces.



Place white on top of blue or orange with right sides together and sew directly on the line drawn.



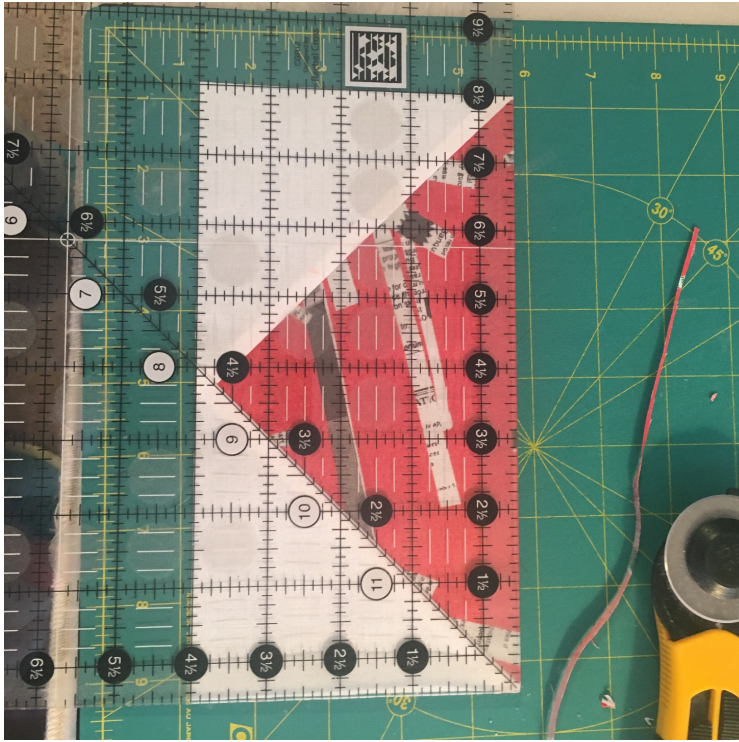
Press back the white piece and trim a quarter inch from the stitched line.



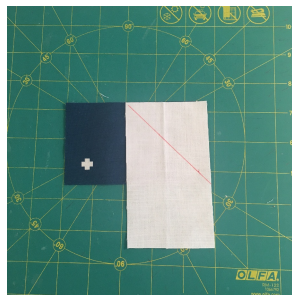
Take the other white piece and sew it on the other side as shown below then press and trim like the other side.



Trim the unit making sure you are a quarter inch from the peak of the goose and place your ruler at $4\frac{1}{4}"$ at the peak of the goose and trim all sides to make your unit $4\frac{1}{2}" \times 8\frac{1}{2}"$.

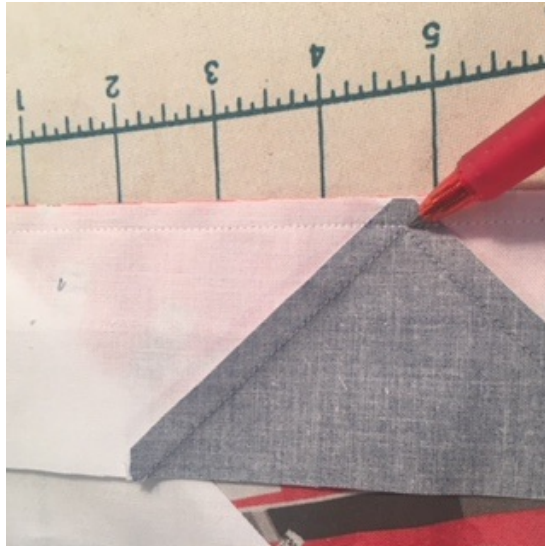


For the smaller units you will make them the same but they have longer wings than a traditional flying geese block. You will be trimming this unit to $2\frac{1}{2}" \times 4\frac{1}{2}"$. You will make two of the smaller units.



Be sure all units are trimmed.

When sewing the units together make sure you have your quarter inch seam allowance accurate and sew directly through the X that the two seams make.



Your block will measure 8 1/2" x 8 1/2" .

