

# Petaluma Quilt Guild

## Block of the Month

August 2016

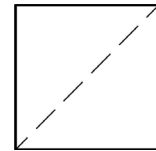
For this month's block, we will be using 1930's reproductions fabrics from the Toy Chest line by Penny Rose Fabrics. All of the fabric needed to make this block has been included. This block is good for a wide variety of prints, because the fabric do not get cut up into small pieces. It is also a great block to use for charm packs.

### Required Fabric:

- (3) - 5" squares of patterned fabric
- (1) - 5" square of background fabric
- (4) - 2 3/4" squares of background fabric

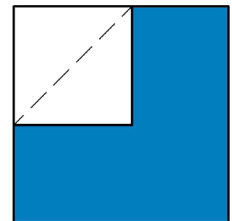
### Step 1:

Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of each of the small 2 3/4" background squares.



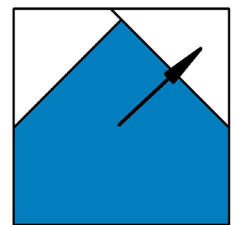
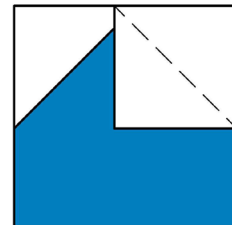
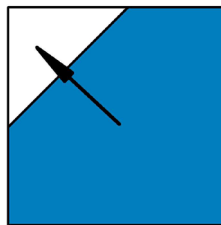
### Step 2:

Select one of your patterned 5" squares and place a small background square on the top left corner with right sides facing each other. Stitch on the drawn line and trim 1/4" away from the seam. Repeat this step with another of your patterned 5" squares.



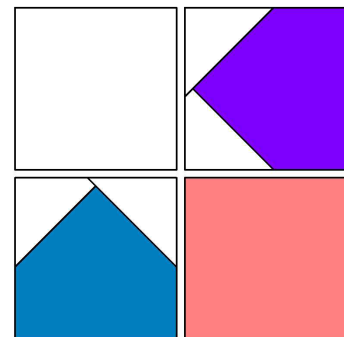
### Step 3:

Press open and repeat the above step placing your small background square on the top right corner of your 5" squares.



### Step 4:

Place your four squares as shown in the diagram to the right. Sew them together as you would a four-patch. The final dimensions of your block should be 9 1/2" square.



Remember to bring your completed block to the September guild meeting for a chance to win all of the blocks. If you have any questions or issues when putting together your block, email Melissa at [melissa.r.reilly@gmail.com](mailto:melissa.r.reilly@gmail.com)