

AHQ Block of the Month Project – February 2016

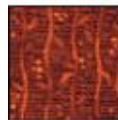
COLOURWAY - Black, White and Red.

Please make two blocks with a red centre. One block should be black fabric with a red centre and the other block should be white fabric with a red centre. The red fabric should be the same in each of the two blocks.

The black fabric should have some white print on it but be predominantly black.
The white fabric should have some black print on it but be predominantly white.
The red fabric should be plain or tone-on-tone or predominantly red.



CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS - for each of the two blocks using white for one of the blocks



Cut 1 - 3.5 x 3.5 inches



Cut 2 - 3.5 x 5 inch



Cut 2 - 12.5 x 5 inch

Apologies for the next set of pics, for some reason I can not make them bigger so if you can't read the writing I apologise but the instructions are pretty self explanatory if you follow the diagrams.



Join these 3 pieces together then press seam allowances to one side

Join the long rectangles to the sides of the centre piece and then press the seam allowances to one side

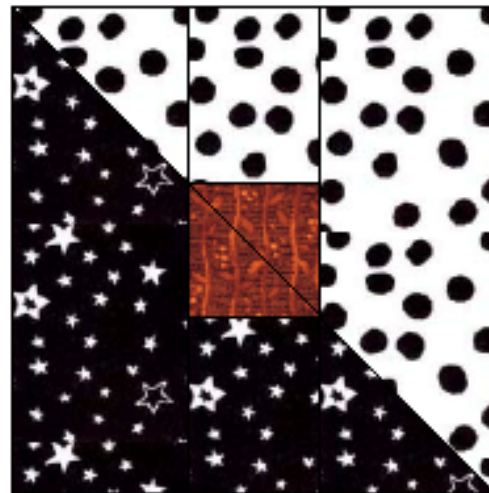
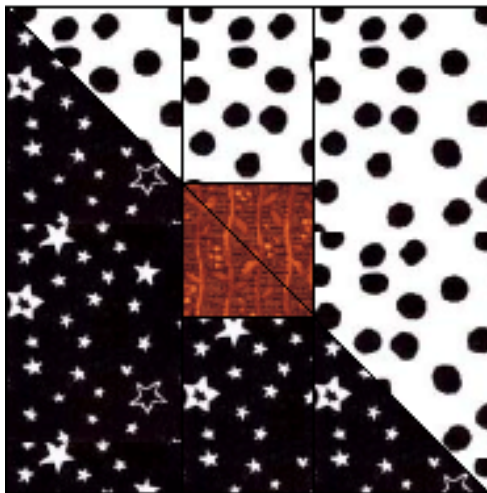
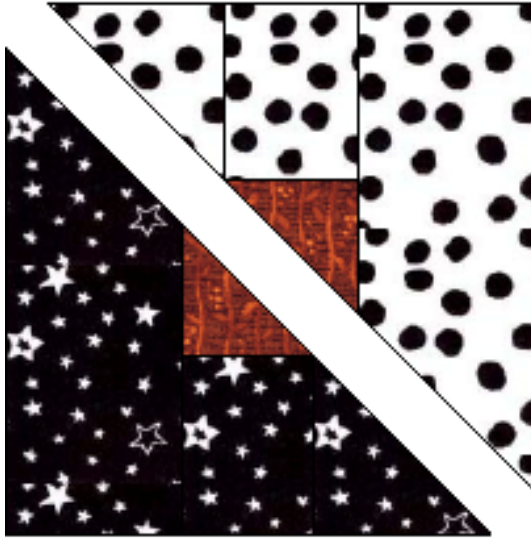


Cut square diagonally in half



Repeat the process with white patterned fabric and make another block. Then cut diagonally in half.

Join half of a white patterned fabric block with half of a black patterned fabric block to create the finished 2 blocks.



Please note, when using red, it might be worth considering pre-washing your fabric as red is the worst colour for running in the wash.

Please send your blocks in at this stage to Caroline at the following address.

Aussie Hero Quilts
PO Box 248
Cherrybrook, NSW, 2126

Please do not trim them.

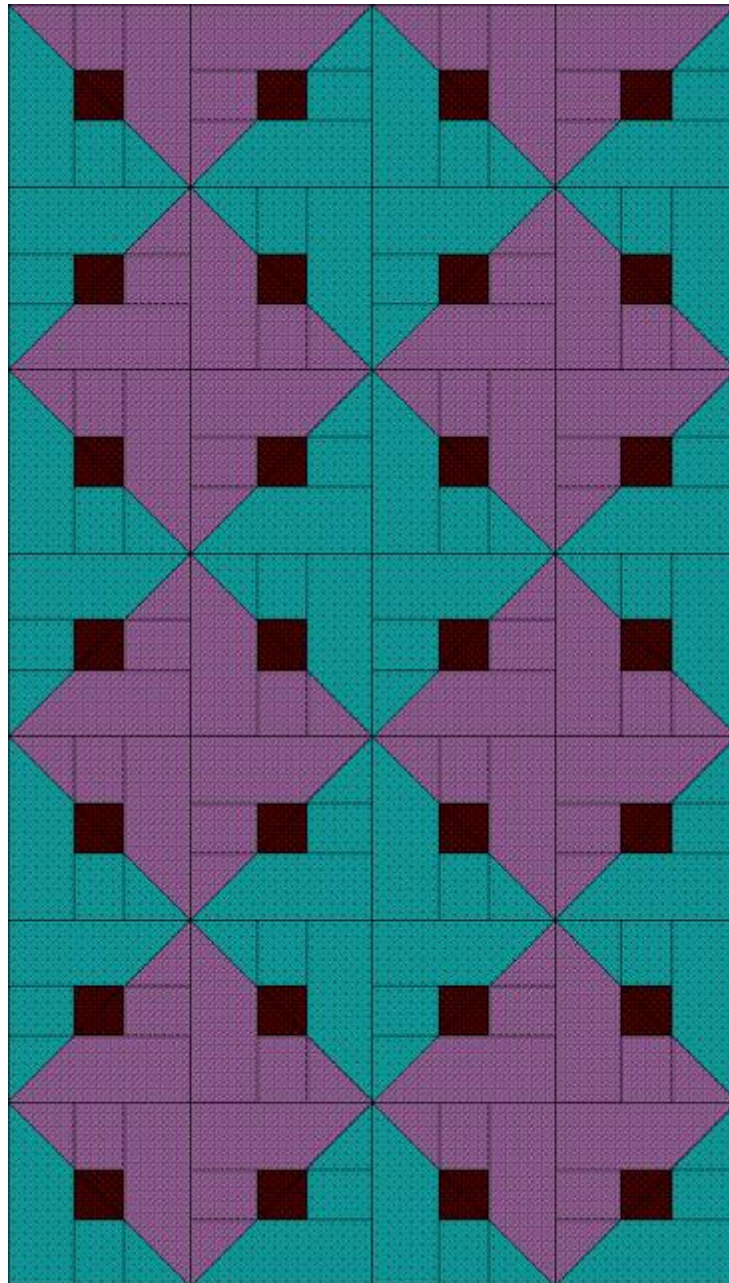
Note to the quilter joining the blocks together.

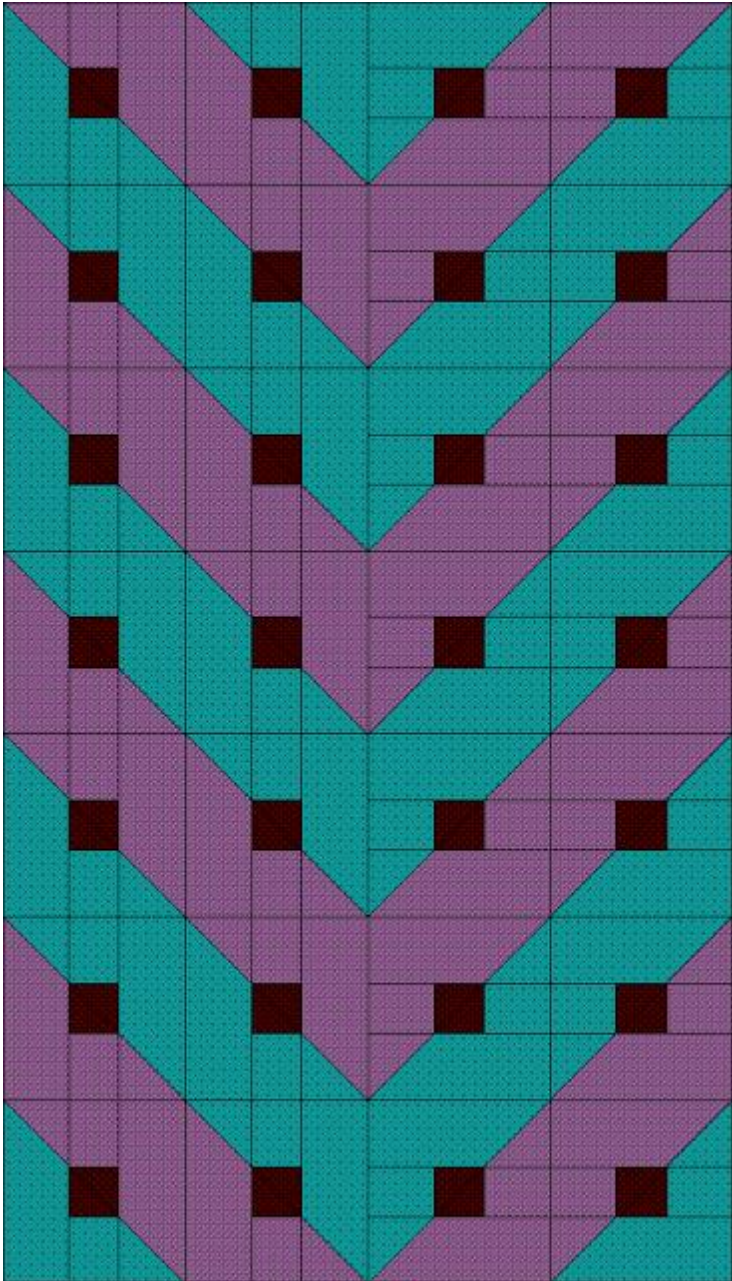
Block layout is 4 x 7 blocks requiring 28 blocks. Finished Quilt top will be 42 x 73.5 inches.

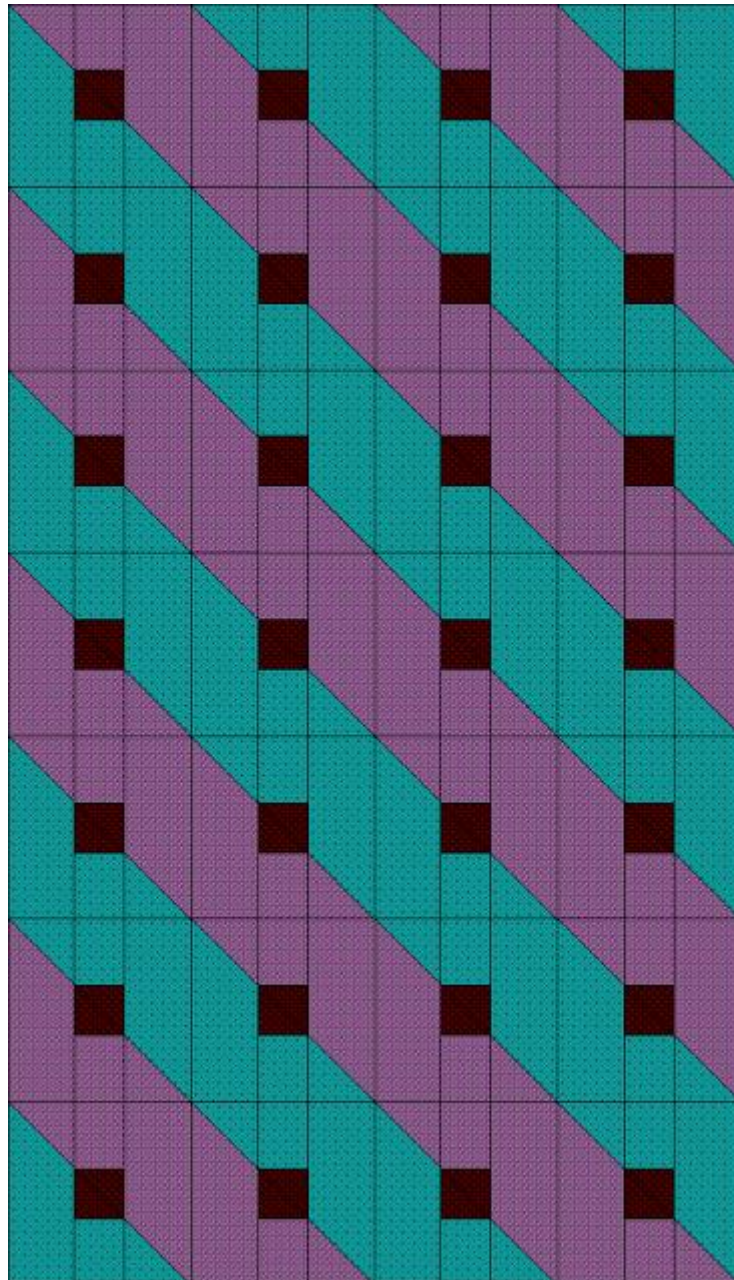
<http://aussieheroquilts.blogspot.com.au/2016/02/weekly-dispatches-5-feb.html>

The instructions should make a block that is 12.25 inches square. The blocks should be trimmed back
back
to 11 x 11 inch making them 10.5 x 10.5 inch when sewn together.

Some possible block layout plans but I'm sure there are more. Sorry the colours are not black, white
and red...Sandy's Quilting program wasn't co-operating ;-)







Till next time.....keep spreading the word and happy stitching!
Jan-Maree xx