

# NEW YEARS RUNNER



16" X 37"

## FABRIC REQUIREMENTS:

FABRIC A (blocks & Cornerstones): 1/4 yard

FABRIC B (setting triangles): 1/4 - 1/2 yard

FABRIC C (border 1 & 3): 1/4 yard

FABRIC D1 (tricolor border 2 - outer): 1/4 yard

FABRIC D2 (tricolor border 2 - Center): 1/8 yard

BINDING: 1/4 yard

BACKING: 1-1/2 yards

- Seam allowances are sewn right sides together and 1/4" unless otherwise noted.
- WOF refers to width of fabric, from selvedge to selvedge. Cutting instructions and yardage is based on 42" useable WOF. PRESS ALL SEAMS TO THE DARK FABRIC.

**CUTTING:** *I recommend you cut as you go to make adjustments, if necessary.*

### Fabric A: Blocks & Cornerstones

- Cut (4) 2-1/2" squares for cornerstones
- Cut (4) 5-1/2" squares for blocks

### Fabric B: Setting triangles

- Cut (2) 4-1/2" squares for corner triangles
- Cut (2) 8-1/2" squares for side triangles

### Fabric C: Border 1 and 3

- Cut (2) 1-1/2" x 7-5/8" strips border 1
- Cut (2) 1-1/2" x 30-3/4" strips for border 1
- Cut (2) 2" x 13-5/8" strips for border 3
- Cut (2) 2" x 37-3/4" strips for border 3

### Fabric D: Border 2 (Tricolor)

#### Fabric D1

- Cut (4) 1-1/8" x 9-5/8" strips
- Cut (4) 1-1/8" x 30-3/4" strips

#### Fabric D2

- Cut (2) 1-1/8" x 9-5/8" strips
- Cut (2) 1-1/8" x 30-3/4" strips

## PREPARE SETTING TRIANGLES:

Using the (2) 4-1/2" squares of fabric B, cut each square on the diagonal once as shown. This will yield (4) corner triangles.

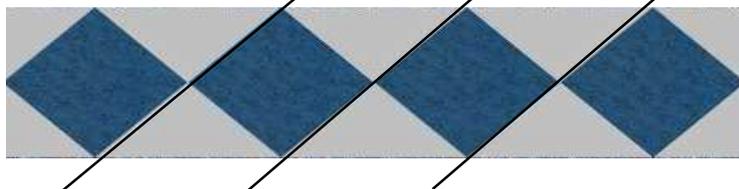


Using the (2) 8-1/2" squares, cut on the diagonal twice. This will yield (8) triangles, but you need only (6).



## ASSEMBLE BLOCKS AND TRIANGLES:

Using your (4) 5-1/2" blocks and setting corner/side triangles, assemble rows as shown below.



When sewing your corner triangles, be sure to center the point with the 5-1/2" square as shown. The best way to achieve this is to fold each piece in half and mark your center point and line up mark.



When sewing your side triangles, be sure the top point of the triangle is lined up in the 90 degree of the on-point block.



**NOTE:** The setting triangles are oversized to help when piecing, trim top before adding borders, line your ruler up to the point of the triangle and measure out 1/4" and trim. Be sure your 1/4" is not beyond the point or else you will lose the point once the border is added.

**BORDERS** – Make sure your top is measuring correctly, if not, adjust the size of the border as you go.

### Border 1

- Sew (1) 1-1/4" x 7-5/8" fabric C strip to the left and (1) to the right of the trimmed top.
- Sew (1) 1-1/4" x 30-3/4" fabric C strip to the top and (1) to the bottom of the trimmed top.

### Border 2

Sew (2) 1-1/8" x 9-5/8" strips of D1 fabric and (1) 1-1/8" x 9-5/8" strip of D2 fabric together as shown below. Make (2) sets. This is the right and left border 2.



Repeat above step using the 1-1/8" x 30-3/4" strips. Once sets are complete, attach the 2-1/2" cornerstones to each end of the 30-3/4" border.

- Sew (1) 9-5/8" tricolor strip to the left and (1) to the right of border 1.
- Sew (1) 30-3/4" tricolor with cornerstones to the top and (1) to the bottom of border 1.

### Border 3

- Sew (1) 2" x 13-5/8" fabric C strip to the left side and (1) strip to the right side of border 2.
- Sew (1) 2" x 37-3/4" fabric C strips to the top and (1) to the bottom of border 2.

## Quilting and Binding

Cut and piece backing to 24" x 46" size. Quilt as desired.

Cut (3) binding strips 2-1/4" x WOF. Piece together along short edge pressing seams open to reduce bulk. Sew on using the method of your choice.