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## SNOW DOG



Featuring tabrics trom the Snow Dog collection by Geoft Allen tor S.T.U.D.F.O

Fabric Requirements
(A) $6356 \mathrm{P}-88$

1 panel
(B) 6351-60
(C) 6350-88

1/3 yard
(D) 6352-99
(E) 1351 Butterscotch*
$1 / 2$ yard
5/8 yard
(F) 1351 Red Delicious* 3

5/8 yard
(G) 6348-99
(H) 6353-60

Backing 6349-88
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$3 / 4$ yard
$1-3 / 8$ yards
3-5/8 yards

## Additional Supplies Needed

Batting: 64" x 74"
(Recommended: Air Lite ${ }^{\circ}$ Colour Me 100\% Cotton)
Sewing and Quilting thread
Sewing and Quilting supplies
Quilt size: 56 " $\times 66^{\prime \prime}$
Skill Level: Advanced Beginner Quilt designed by Denise Russell

## Fabrics in the Collection



6356P-88 Snow Dog Panel - Red


6355-99 Snow Dog Express Blocks - Black


6347-60 Campers and
Trucks - Mint


6351-60 Tossed Sled and Equipment - Mint


6353-60 Snowflake Mint


6348-99 Snowmen Black


6352-99 Tossed Mini Essentials - Black


6353-99 Snowflake Black


6349-88 Tossed Snow Dogs - Red


6350-88 Plaid
Red


## Cutting Instructions

## Cutting

Please note: All strips are cut across the width of the fabric (WOF) from selvage to selvage unless otherwise noted. (WOF = Width of Fabric, LOF = Length of Fabric).

Fabric A (6356P-88 Snow Dog Panel-Red):
*Trim panel to 31-1/2" x 41-1/2".

## Fabric B (6351-60 Tossed Sled and Equipment -

 Mint), cut:*(1) $2-1 / 2$ " $x$ WOF strip. Sub-cut eight
$2-1 / 2$ " x 4-1/2" rectangles.
*(2) 3-1/4" x WOF strips. Sub-cut sixteen 3-1/4" squares.

Fabric C (6350-88 Plaid - Red), cut:
*(2) $1-1 / 2$ " x WOF strips. Sub-cut twelve $1-1 / 2$ " x $4-1 / 2$ " strips.
*(1) 2-1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut twelve $2-1 / 2$ " squares.
*(1) 3 " x WOF strip. Sub-cut four 3 " squares.
*(4) $1-1 / 2$ " $\times$ WOF strips for border 1 .
Fabric D (6352-99 Tossed Mini Essentials - Black), cut:
*(2) 3-1/4"x WOF strips. Sub-cut sixteen 3-1/4" squares.
*(2) 4-1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut:

- Thirty-two $1-1 / 2$ " x 4-1/2" strips.
- Two 4-1/2" squares.

Fabric E (Just Color! 1351 Butterscotch), cut:
*(4) $1-1 / 2$ " x WOF strips. Save two strips for strip sets. Sub-cut forty-eight $1-1 / 2$ " squares.
*(2) 1-3/4" x WOF strips. Sub-cut thirty-two 1-3/4" squares.
*(6) $1-1 / 4$ " x WOF strips for border 5.
Fabric F (Just Color! 1351 Red Delicious), cut:
*(2) $1-1 / 2$ " x WOF strips. Sub-cut sixteen
$1-1 / 2$ " x $4-1 / 2$ " strips.
*(1) $2-1 / 2$ " x WOF strip. Sub-cut sixteen $2-1 / 2$ " squares.
*(7) 2-1/2" x WOF strips for binding.
Fabric G (6348-99 Snowmen - Black), cut:
*(6) 3-1/2" x WOF strips for border 6 .

Fabric H (6353-60 Snowflake - Mint), cut:
*(5) 1-1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut 128 1-1/2" squares.
*(1) $1-3 / 4$ " x WOF strip. Sub-cut sixteen
$1-3 / 4$ " squares.
*(4) $2-1 / 2$ " x WOF strips.
*(1) 3" x WOF strip. Sub-cut sixteen $1-3 / 4 "$ x 3" strips.
*(2) 4-1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut sixty-four
1 " x 4-1/2" strips.
*(10) $1-1 / 2$ " x WOF strips for borders 2 and 4.

## Block Assembly

1. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of the 1-3/4" Fabric E squares. With right sides together, layer a marked Fabric E square on the left short end of a $1-3 / 4$ " x 3 " Fabric H strip and stitch on the drawn line. Trim $1 / 4$ " away from the seam line and press open. Similarly, stitch another Fabric E square to the opposite end of the same strip (figure 1). Repeat to make a total of sixteen $1-3 / 4$ " x 3 " flying-geese units.


Figure 1 - Make (16) 1-3/4" x 3" units.
2. Noting fabric orientation, sew a Step 1 unit to opposite sides of a 3" Fabric C square. Press the seams toward the center (figure 2). Repeat to make four center strips.


Figure 2 - Make 4.
3. Sew a $1-3 / 4$ " Fabric $H$ square to opposite sides of the leftover Step 1 units to make eight strips. Press the seams away from the center. Sew one strip to the top and one to the bottom of the Step 2 center strips to make four 5-1/2" star blocks (figure 3, next page). Press the seams in one direction.

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| Block 1 - Make 4 <br> 6350-88 Plaid - Red Just Color! 1351 Butterscotch 6353-60 Snowflake - Mint | Block 2 - Make 16 6352-99 Tossed Mini Essentials - Black 6351-60 Tossed Sled and Equipment - Mint Just Color! 1351 Butterscotch 6353-60 Snowflake - Mint | Block 3 - Make 8 <br> Just Color! 1351 Red Delicious <br> 6351-60 Tossed Sled and Equipment - Mint Just Color! 1351 Butterscotch 6353-60 Snowflake - Mint |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Block 4 - Make 6 6350-88 Plaid - Red Just Color! 1351 Butterscotch 6353-60 Snowflake - Mint | Block 5 - Make 2 <br> 6352-99 Tossed Mini Essentials - Black <br> Just Color! 1351 Butterscotch 6353-60 Snowflake - Mint |  |

Table 1. Block quantity and fabric combination.


Figure 3 - Make (4) 5-1/2" blocks.
4. Sew the $1-1 / 2 "$ Fabric E strip between two $2-1 / 2$ " Fabric H strips to make a strip set. Repeat to make another strip set and press the seams in one direction. Cross-cut the strip sets into thirty-two 1-1/2" sections (figure 4).


Figure 4 - Make 32.

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5. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of the $1-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric H squares. With right sides together, place one marked Fabric H square on a corner of one $1-1 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 4-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric D strip and stitch on the drawn line. Repeat with the opposite corner of the same strip. Trim seam allowances to ${ }^{1 / 4}$ " and press open (figure 5). Make thirty-two $1-1 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 4-1 / 2$ " units.


Figure 5 - Make (32) 1-1/2" x 4-1/2" units.
6. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of the 3-1/4" Fabric B squares. With right sides together, layer the marked Fabric B squares atop the $3-1 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric D squares and pin. Stitch $1 / 4$ " on each side of the marked line, cut on the drawn line, and press each unit open with seams toward dark fabric (a). Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of half the units. With right sides together, layer the marked units atop the unmarked units - top and bottom fabrics should not match. Pin and stitch $1 / 4$ " on each side of the marked line (b), cut on the drawn line, and press each unit open (c). Make a total of thirty-two 2-1/2" hourglass units (figure 6).


Figure 6 - Make (32) 2-1/2" units.
7. Sew together the Step 6 units two-by-two. Press the seams open. Noting fabric orientation, sew a Step 5 unit to the top and one to the bottom of these units (figure 7). Press the seams away from the center.


Figure 7
8. Sew a 1" x 4-1/2" Fabric H strip to opposite sides of the Step 7 units. Press the seams away from the center. Sew a Step 4 unit to the top of each unit to make sixteen 5-1/2" blocks (figure 8). Press the seams away from the center.


Figure 8 - Make (16) 5-1/2" blocks.
9. Repeat Step 5 with the $1-1 / 2$ " Fabric H squares and the $1-1 / 2$ " $x 4-1 / 2$ " Fabric F strips to make sixteen units (figure 9).


Figure 9-Make 16.
10. Repeat Step 1 with the $2-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric F squares and the $2-1 / 2$ " x $4-1 / 2$ " Fabric B rectangles to make eight $2-1 / 2$ " x $4-1 / 2$ " flying-geese units. Sew a Step 9 unit to the top and one to the bottom of each flying geese and press the seams away from the center. Repeat Step 8 to complete eight 5-1/2" blocks (figure 10).


Figure 10 - Make (8) 5-1/2" blocks.
11. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of the $1-1 / 2$ " Fabric E squares. With right sides together, place one

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marked Fabric E square on a corner of one 2-1/2" Fabric C square and stitch on the drawn line. Repeat with the opposite corner of the same square. Trim seam allowances to $1 / 4$ " and press open. Repeat with the other corners of the square. Make twelve 2-1/2" patches. Sew the patches together two-by-two to make six strips. Press the seams open (figure 11).


Figure 11 - Make 6.
12. Repeat Step 5 with the $1-1 / 2$ " Fabric $H$ squares and the $1-1 / 2$ " $x 4-1 / 2$ " Fabric $C$ strips to make twelve units. Sew one unit to the top and one to the bottom of the Step 11 patches. Press the seams away from the center. Repeat Step 8 to complete six 5-1/2" blocks (figure 12).


Figure 12 - Make (6) 5-1/2" blocks.
13. Repeat Step 11 with the remaining $1-1 / 2$ " Fabric H squares and the $4-1 / 2$ " Fabric D squares. Repeat Step 8 with both units to make two 5-1/2" blocks (figure 13).


Figure 13 - Make (2) 5-1/2" blocks.

## Quilt Top Assembly

(Follow the quilt diagram and photograph while assembling the quilt top.)
14. For border 1, trim two $1-1 / 2$ " Fabric $C$ strips at $41-1 / 2$ " and sew one to each side of the panel. Press
the seams toward the border strips. Measure the width of the quilt top through the center. Cut two border strips that length and sew one to the top and one to the bottom. Press the seams toward the borders.
15. For border 2, sew the $1-1 / 2$ " Fabric $H$ strips together end to end using diagonal seams. Measure the vertical length of the quilt top through the center and cut two border strips that length. Sew one strip to each side of the quilt top. Measure the width of the quilt top through the center. Cut two border strips that length and sew one to the top and one to the bottom. Press the seams toward the borders. Save remaining long strip for border 4. The quilt measures $35-1 / 2$ " $\times 45-1 / 2$ " up to here.
16. For border 3 and referring to the quilt photo for block placement and orientation, arrange nine blocks for each side of the quilt. Sew blocks together and sew one border strip to each side of the quilt center. Press the seam toward the quilt center. Repeat with the star blocks and the remaining blocks and sew one border strip to the top and one to the bottom of the quilt. Press the seam toward the quilt center.
17. Repeat Step 15 with the Fabric $H$ leftover strip to add border 4.
18. Repeat Step 15 with the six $1-1 / 4$ " Fabric E strips to make and add border 5 .
19. Repeat Step 15 with the six $3-1 / 2$ " Fabric G strips to make and add border 6 .

## Layering, Quilting, and Finishing

20. Create a quilt sandwich with the batting between the quilt top and the backing. Pin or baste layers together, mark quilting design, and quilt by hand or machine. When quilting is complete, remove pins or basting and trim batting and backing even with raw edges of the quilt top.

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## Binding

21. Join the seven $2-1 / 2$ " Fabric $F$ binding strips together end to end using a diagonal seam to make one long strip. Fold in half lengthwise and press. Sew binding to the edges of the quilt top, mitering corners, and overlapping ends. Fold binding to the back of the quilt and stitch it in place by hand to finish.


Quilt Diagram

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