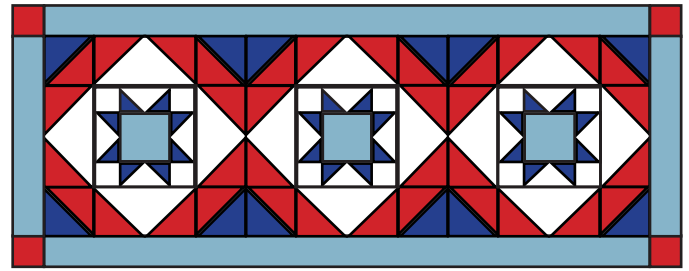


Scrappy Stars Table Topper

Finished Size: 16" x 40"



Cut:

- (3) 7 1/4" Background squares
- (6) 4" Red squares
- (12) 3 7/8" Red squares
- (4) 2 1/2" Red squares
- (6) 4" Navy squares
- (2) 2 1/2" x 36 1/2" Medium Blue rectangles
- (2) 2 1/2" x 12 1/2" Medium Blue rectangles

Materials:

- (3) 6" seasonal quilt blocks
- (1) fat quarter Background fabric
- (1) fat quarter Red fabric (or scraps)
- (1) fat eighth Navy fabric (or scraps)
- 1/4 yard Medium Blue fabric
- 1/4 yard binding
- 2/3 yard backing
- 20" x 42" piece of batting

Construction:

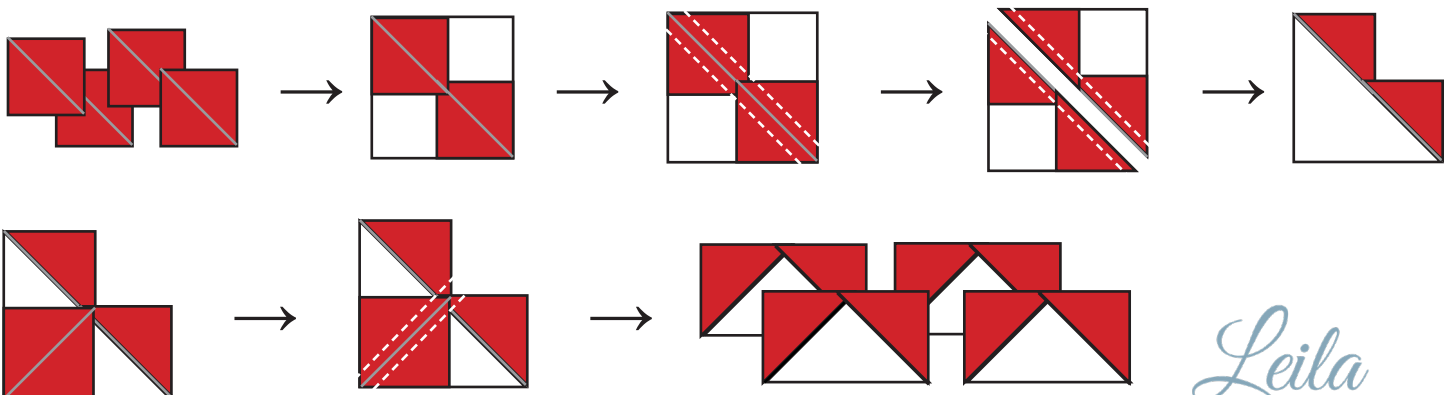
Note: all seams are 1/4"

Step 1: Foundation Paper-Piece (3) 6" Seasonal Quilt Blocks

Choose and foundation paper-piece any 3 of my 6" seasonal quilt blocks. Foundation paper-piecing instructions can be found here: <https://www.leilagardunia.com/blog/how-to-foundation-paper-piece>. You can find the 6" foundation patterns here: <https://www.leilagardunia.com/shop?category=Seasonal>.

Step 2: Make 12 Flying Geese

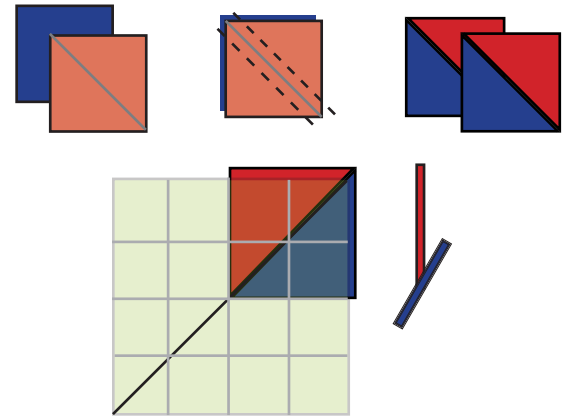
Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of the (12) 3 7/8" Red squares. Pin two Red squares on opposite corners of each 7 1/4" Background square. The Red squares will overlap in the middle, and the drawn line will run from corner to corner. Stitch 1/4" away from the line on both sides. Cut on the diagonal line. Press toward the Red. Pin Red squares to the remaining background corner. Stitch 1/4" away from the line on both sides. Cut on the line. Press toward the Red.



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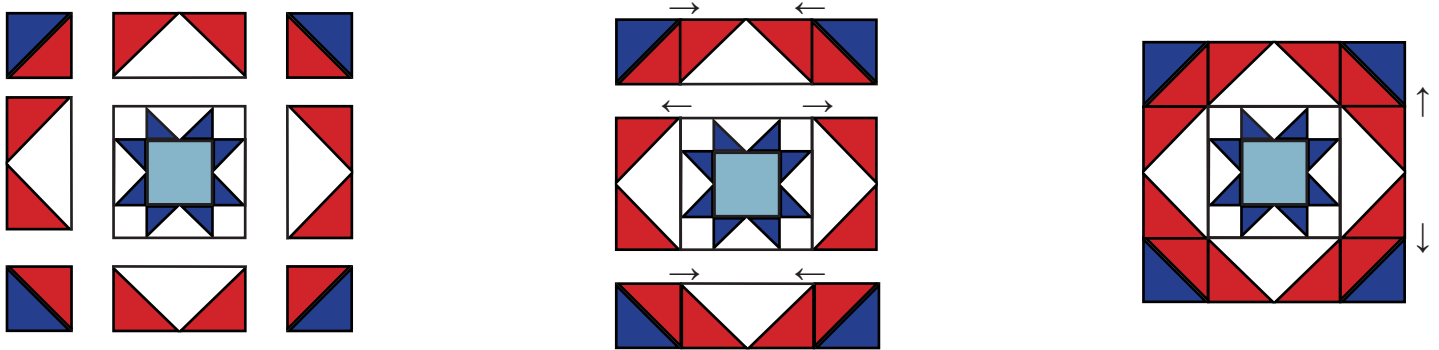
Step 3: Make 12 Half-Square Triangles (HST)

Draw a diagonal line from corner to corner on the wrong side of the (6) 4" Red squares. Place the 4" Red and Navy squares right sides together and sew $\frac{1}{4}$ " away from the line on one side, then sew $\frac{1}{4}$ " away from the line on the opposite side. Cut on the line using a rotary cutter or scissors. Open the triangle and press the seam toward the Navy fabric. Trim HST to $3\frac{1}{2}$ ".



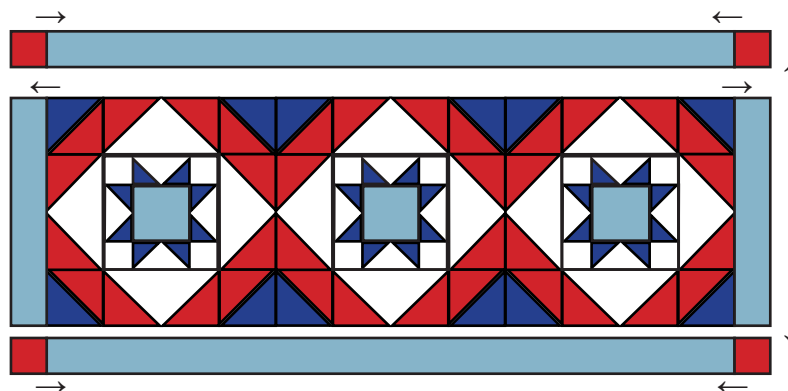
Step 4: Assemble the Blocks

Lay out the 6" Seasonal Blocks, flying geese, and HST units as shown below. Double check the orientation of the flying geese and HST. Sew the units together into rows. Press toward the flying geese. Sew rows together and press toward the flying geese/HST units. Repeat to make 3 blocks.



Step 5: Assemble the Table Topper

Sew the three blocks together, side by side. Press seams open. Sew a $2\frac{1}{2}$ " Red square to each end of the $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $36\frac{1}{2}$ " Medium Blue rectangles. Press toward the rectangles. Sew the $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $12\frac{1}{2}$ " Medium Blue rectangles to both ends of the 3 block unit. Press toward the rectangles. Sew the Medium Blue rectangle/Red squares unit to the top and bottom of the block unit. Set seams and press toward the Medium Blue rectangle unit.



Step 6: Quilt and Bind as Desired

You can find printable basting, quilting, and binding instructions at:
<https://www.leilagardunia.com/blog/finishing>

Additional Table Topper Options

Try using other 6" Seasonal Blocks in this table topper pattern. You can use any of the basic foundations found in the Seasonally Scrappy pattern (<https://www.leilagardunia.com/shop/seasonally-scrappy-pdf-quilt-pattern>) or any of the foundations in the separate add-on bundles (<https://www.leilagardunia.com/shop?category=Seasonal>). Here are some of the possible block and color options. So many cute options!

