

Summer in the Park Quilt Demo by Louise Breneman

This demo is from the Missouri Star Quilt Shop website Tutorial video ([www.missouriquiltco.com/Summer in the Park](http://www.missouriquiltco.com/Summer%20in%20the%20Park)), and is another block made using the “tube-quilt” method.

1. General

- You can use jelly rolls or cut strips from width of fabric (WOF).
- Strips - cut 2 ½” wide
- Seams - sew ¼” wide
- “Fabric” is made from 3 strips of fabric in a combination of solid and patterns.

2. Fabric 1

a. Cut strips

- 2 strips of solid fabric
- 1 strip of patterned fabric

b. Sew strips together

- solid strips on the outside
- patterned strip in the middle
- finished strip - pattern, color, pattern
- press open



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3. Fabric 2

- a. Cut strips
 - 2 strips of patterned fabric
 - 1 strip of solid fabric
- b. Sew strips together
 - patterned strips on the outside
 - solid strip in the middle
 - finished strip - pattern, solid, pattern
 - press open



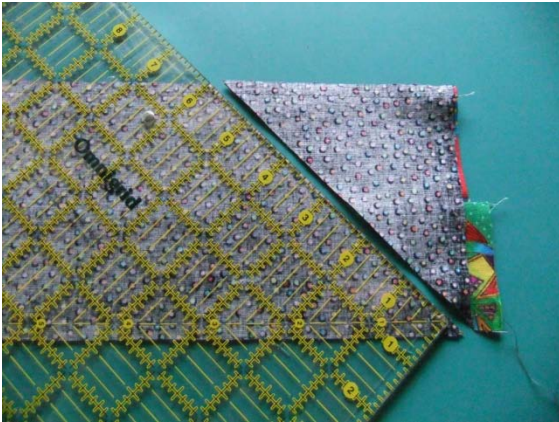
4. Forming the “tube” quilt strip

- a. Lay right sides of Fabric 1 & 2 together.
- b. Sew a seam on the right side of the Fabric. Turn.
- c. Sew a seam on the left side of the Fabric.
- d. You now have a “tube-quilt” strip.

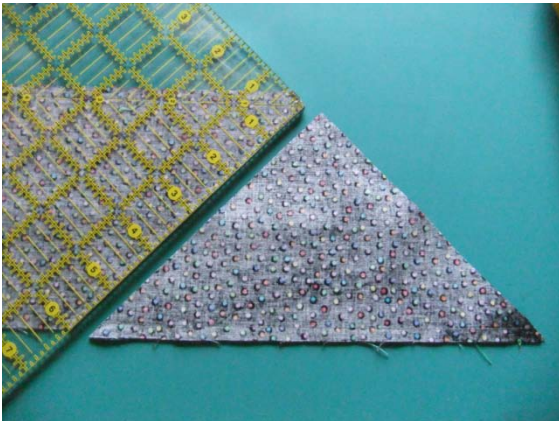


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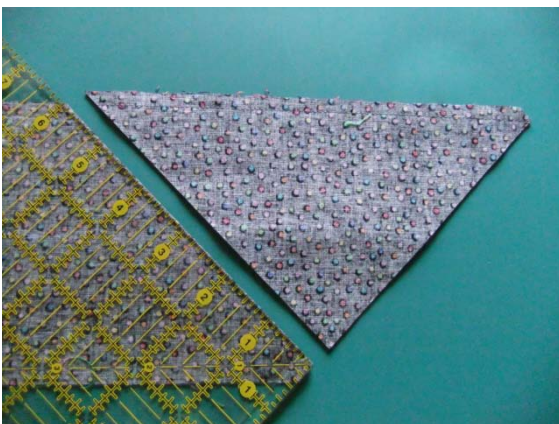
5. Cutting blocks from the tube-quilt strip (samples below are from the Tube-Quilt demo instructions).
 - a. Using a square ruler that has a 45 degree line on the diagonal, you will cut out triangles from the strip. The ruler can be any size - a 9 ½" ruler was used on the website video.
 - b. Lay the strip horizontally on your cutting board.
 - c. Starting at the right side of the strip, place the 45 degree line of the square ruler on the bottom seam and cut along the top right side of the ruler to remove the scrap edge.



- d. Place the 45 degree line on the top seam & cut along the bottom right side of the ruler.



- e. Continue to cut the strip, alternating from the bottom & top seams. Each block diagonal is 8" and you will be able to cut 8 blocks from the width of fabric strip.



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6. To complete the blocks - press open and cut off the corner tags.



7. You can make many patterns with the finished blocks....

8. Enjoy. And check out the tutorial video for Summer in the Park on their website:
www.missouriqltco.com

