

# Whitlock's Weekly Whimsy Week 31 

## Block 42

## Cutting:

| Fabric | Measurements |
| :---: | :---: |
| Color 4 |  |
| Color 6 | $\begin{aligned} & 2 @ 23 / 8 \times 23 / 8 \\ & 1 @ 31 / 2 \times 31 / 2 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| Color 8 | $\begin{aligned} & 8 @ 2 \times 2 \\ & 1 @ 3112 x 31 / 2 \end{aligned}$ |

## Techniques:

Square in a Square
Parallelogram
4 @ a time HST
Partial Seam

## Block Breakdown:

This block takes us back to many of the techniques we have learned! We could use the same plan as we did for Block 4, but I didn't want the seams in the center of this one. So we are going to us the partial seam method and build in rows instead of quadrants.


## Sewing:

First order of business is the Square in a Square for the center. Use the $25 / 8$ Color 4 square for the center. Cut the $23 / 8$ Color 6 squares once diagonally for the triangles. Add them to each side. Press towards color 6. Trim to $31 / 2$


Use Color 4 and Color 8 to make your parallelograms. They are all the same so chain piece them and you will be done in no time. Press towards Color 4.

Finally use the $31 / 2$ squares of Color 6 and Color 8 to make the four at a time HST. Press towards color 6. Trim to 2"


Sew the parallelograms and the HST triangles together to form one unit. Press towards the Parallelogram.


Begin building by sewing Unit 1 to the center unit from the circle to the point of the arrow. Leave the rest of the seam open. Add Unit 2, Unit 3 and Unit 4. Now go back to Unit 1 and finish the seam.


