

The Pizza Box Swap Quilt

Provided for you in your Pizza Box:

- 1) **Pizza Box – color coded and number (I will keep track of your name and number for your team).**
- 2) **(1) Ziploc bag to hold your 2 yards of background fabric**
- 3) **(1) Ziploc bag to hold your 2 yards of focus fabric**
- 4) **(1) Ziploc bag to hold all scrapes**

You will need to purchase for your Pizza Box:

- 1) **(2) yards of cotton background fabric**
- 2) **(2) yards of cotton focus fabric**
- 3) **(2) yards of cotton of coordinated fabric (4-8 different fabrics at least, more is always better).**
- 4) **Your first 12 ½ x 12 ½ block will come out of this fabric.**

Things you need to do:

- 1) **Make your first 12 ½ x 12 ½ block for your box and place back into pizza box**
- 2) **Come prepared to swap boxes at each meeting with other people within your color code group.**
- 3) **Wait until next November for your Pizza Box to come back.**

When you receive a Pizza Box from one of your team members (box should have the same color code as your box) you will:

- 1) **Only use the fabric within the Pizza Box to prepare a different 12 ½ x 12 ½ block.**
- 2) **This block must be different from any other blocks in the box, no two blocks are the same. Only use the fabric provided in the Pizza Box.**
- 3) **When 12 ½ x 12 ½ block is completed, put all scrapes inside the marked Ziploc bag mark scrapes.**
- 4) **Make sure all background fabric is returned to Ziploc bag mark background**
- 5) **Make sure all focus fabric is returned to Ziploc bag mark focus**
- 6) **Make sure the block you just completed is in the box.**

Return Pizza Box at next meeting.

Some rules to follow for our Pizza Box Swap:

- 1) **Each participant will choose fabrics for their own quilt out of cotton fabric.**
- 2) **No one can add fabrics to your box, so get everything in your Pizza Box to complete (12) 12 ½ x 12 ½ blocks.**
- 3) **All boxes are color coded and numbered.**
- 4) **Inside each box will be three Ziploc bags. One for main fabric (2 yards focus fabric), one for background fabric (2 yards), one for scrapes.**

- 5) You will add to your **Pizza Box** total 2 yards additional coordinated fabric (4-8 different fabrics at least, more is always better). Make sure you have options for the other people in your group of 12 to pick from.
- 6) You have the option to put special request on the inside lid of the **Pizza Box** if you would like the person to include their name on the front or back of the block, they prepared for you. For example: "Please pin your name on your block so I know which one you made".
- 7) You make the first block for your own **Pizza box**. Any technique goes for block making except, machine embroidery.
- 8) The **Pizza block** size must be 12 ½ x 12 ½ square.
- 9) **Pizza Boxes** will be swapped out each month at club meeting except December.
- 10) You won't see your **Pizza box** again until the swap at the end of the year, (November).

Quilt Police Rules:

Only 3 rules the Quilt Police Enforced are:

- 1) You can only use the fabric included in the box you have receive for that month.
- 2) All blocks must measure 12 ½ x 12 ½ inch square.
- 3) No machine embroidery