

Umbrella Dance Block Drawing

How does the block drawing work? Make two blocks. One is for the drawing; the other is used in the guild's annual auction. For each two blocks you make, you get one chance to win all the blocks in the drawing set. The more you make, the greater your chance to win - and the guild's share of block-sets bring in auction income that helps pay for our programs.

This is an easy machine applique project and the block will be due the night of the October 20th Meeting. There are some web sites that you can review that will help you with making your block as well as a tutorial that will be shown at the sew-in and at the break of the next three months meetings by request. The web sites are as follows:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=G3-2M5lI9sE&index=65&list=PLNtabBf7OG9JC1YTHt29IE1kpvxY5IKc0>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Hvog7Y7uTtA&index=66&list=PLNtabBf7OG9JC1YTHt29IE1kpvxY5IKc0>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-DBztnmqK-M&index=69&list=PLNtabBf7OG9JC1YTHt29IE1kpvxY5IKc0>

Depending on your level of experience whether beginner or intermediate, one of the tutorials should be able to help.

The block background will be cut out of 10 inch squares and will be white tone on tone. The umbrellas will be bright, a contrast from the sample that is being show. You will use fuseable web (remember to iron on the back of the fabric) or freezer paper which can be reused for the pieces of the pattern. Please note that the dotted mark portion of the handle and top portion of the umbrella go under the fabric. The umbrella single piece will be a different fabric from the base umbrella piece where shown. Place the pieces for the umbrella in the middle of the square then sew with your favorite stitch! Sew easy!!!!

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Happy Sewing

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