

# BLOCK OF THE MONTH HIGH HEEL SHOE

**July 2021** 

Unfinished Shoe Measurements: 6 1/2" x 9 1/2"

**COLORS: "ANYTHING GOES"** 

**NOTE:** Please read all sewing directions before making this block.

#### **Fabrics Needed:**

Four Colors: Background, Dark Sole, Medium Shoe, and Light Trim needed for each shoe: Pattern suggestions, however, you can mix them up "Anything Goes".

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Cut all pieces according to chart below.

Mark each piece as you cut and place together in color groups.

Background:	Dark Sole:	Medium Shoe:
D - 1 @ 1.5" Square	A - 1 @ 1" x 1.5"	E - 1 @ 1.5" x 4"
F - 1 @ 2" Square	C -1 @ 1" x 9.5"	G - 1 @ 2" x 9.5"
B - 1 @ 1" x 4.5"		L - 1 @ 4.5" x 5.5"
J - 1 @ 3" x 4.5"	Light Trim Strip	
M -1 @ 4.5" x 8"	K - 1 @ 4.5" x 5"	

# 1. Sew Shoe together. Begin with the bottom 2 rows of the shoe.

\*Sew Background Fabric "F" to top left corner of Shoe Fabric "G". With RS together draw a diagonal line from upper right to lower left corner. Sew on the line and trim seam 1/4". Press.

\*Sew Sole Fabric "C" to the bottom of the above section.

Press toward shoe. Set aside. See Diagram 1

All Diagrams are on Page 3.

# 2. Sew Shoe Trim "K" to Background Fabric "M".

\*With RS together align "K" and "M" at the bottom right corners. (Fabric "K" will hang over the top edge of background "M" by 1/2"). Measure UP 4 1/2" from lower corner of right edge and mark a dot. Peek behind. The background upper right corner should match your dot. Draw a diagonal line from your dot to the lower left corner of "K". Sew on the line. Fold "K" down to the right creating a triangle. **DO NOT TRIM YET.** Now "K" should hand over the background 1/2" on the right edge. **DO NOT TRIM THAT.**The piece new massures 4 1/2" x 8 1/2"

The piece now measures 4 1/2" x 8 1/2". See Diagram 2

### 3. Sew Shoe Fabric "L" to Background K/M.

\*With RS together, align "L" to the "K/M" background piece. (Fabric "L" will hang over top edge by 1"). Measure UP 4 1/2" from the lower corner of the right edge and mark a dot. Peek behind to see if top edge "K" meets your dot. Draw diagonal line from dot to lower left corner of "L". Sew on the diagonal line. Keeping "L" folded up, **NOW TRIM** the "K", "L", "M" pieces as one, 1/4" from seam in the back. Then fold down "L" triangle, it will hang over the right edge 1". The piece now measures 4 1/2" x 9 1/2".

See Diagram 3

("K" & "L" pieces hanging over the right edge creates the proper measurements of 9 1/2" for the width of the shoe). Save all your triangles for another quilt project.

#### 4. Sew Background Fabric "D".

\*With RS together, align "D" to background section M/K/L in the upper right corner. Draw a diagonal line from upper left to lower right. Sew on diagonal line and trim 1/4". Fold and press toward corner. See Diagram 4

#### 5. Take the F/G/C Shoe and Sole section that you set aside earlier.

\*Sew that section to the bottom of the above completed shoe section. Press toward bottom.

See Diagram 5

#### 6. Create the Heel.

\*Sew Sole Fabric "A" to the bottom of Shoe Fabric "E".

\*Sew Background Fabric "B" to right side of Shoe Fabric "E".

\*Sew Background Fabric "J" to the left side of Shoe Fabric "E".

Press towards background fabrics. See Diagram 6

### 7. Sew Heel to Shoe. VERY IMPORTANT to line up this part.

\*With RS together, lay the heel section HORIZONTALLY on the shoe with the sole piece to the left, and "J" towards bottom, then aligning the lower right corners, draw a diagonal line from upper right corner to lower left corner on heel section. Before sewing, crease or pin and fold over to see if the sole of the heel will align with the sole of the shoe. If all is well, sew on diagonal line. Before trimming 1/4" seam in back, make sure it all lined up. If all is well trim and press.

See Diagram 7

**Finished Shoe** 

See Diagram 8

Original Pattern Credit: sewfreshquilts.blogspot.com

**Please Note:** Our committee has rewritten this pattern to simplify the instructions, however, all measurements are the same as their website.

