

Design Challenge January 2012

Everyone needs a challenge every once in awhile to learn and improve our skills. The idea is to get your imagination going so that you can see the possibilities! The challenge this year is to create a two-block quilt. You can use any two blocks to create a quilt design of your own. The only catch is that you can't have seen them used together before. One of your goals can be to create secondary patterns, or you can just focus on two blocks that you like. Make it as visually appealing as possible.

- Combine any **two blocks** (only two, but can be repeated over and over)
- Try to create secondary designs
- You can use as many or as few colors as you would like
- You can never have seen the two blocks used together before, but they can be blocks you've seen or used before.
- Finished quilt can be any size (it can be **miniature** or **king size!**)
- Must be completed (**bound and with a label**) by the Design Challenge Quilt Show, **April 5, 2012**, in order to be eligible for **prize money**.
- Can have a border if desired
- A resource for block patterns is <http://www.quilterscache.com>, but there are many others as well. Just Google "free quilt block patterns" and you'll have many options.
- Good luck!!! Any questions.... call Michele (654-4917)