

St. Croix International Quilters

Snippet Bag Workshop

Saturday Afternoon June 2, 2012, 12 noon to 4 p.m.

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This snippet bag is a fancy way to collect all your threads and fabric snips and keep your sewing area neat and clean!

MATERIALS NEEDED:

- (1) fat quarter **(A)** of a print (outside of bag, top of pincushion, straps)
- (1) fat quarter **(B)** of one color in the print (inside bag, accent band, pincushion)
- (1) fat quarter **(C)** of color in print that contrasts with other fabrics (accents on pincushion and bag) This piece of fabric can be smaller – check size of pieces below in cutting directions.
- (1) 4" X 12" piece of muslin (fine weave like batik fabric)
- (1) 18" square of thin batting (cotton or polyester) or iron-on fleece
- (1) 22" length $\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{3}{4}$ " wide piece of package strapping, boning, or other stiff, flexible material
- (1) cup of sand
- (1) 4" x 6" piece of foam-type shelf/drawer liner (will be provided)

QUILTING & CUTTING DIRECTIONS:

Quilting Fabric A:

- Cut Fabric A into a 18" square
- Sandwich Fabric A and 18" square batting – with a thin piece of batting you do not need a backing fabric that will add bulk
- Quilt as desired

Cut from quilted Fabric A:

- (1) 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 15" piece
- (1) 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 8" piece
- (1) 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ " piece

Cut from Fabric B:

- (1) 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 15" piece
- (1) 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 8" piece
- (1) 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ " piece
- (1) 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 18 $\frac{1}{4}$ " piece
- (1) 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 9" piece

Cut from Fabric C:

- (1) 2" x 18 $\frac{1}{4}$ " piece
- (1) 2" x 9" piece

