## Windblown Simplified - April BoM 2023

Kit contains:

2-3in x $51 / 2 i n$ White/Black Strips
1-3 $1 / 2$ in White/Black Square
2-3 in x $51 / 2$ in Black/White Strips
1-3 $1 / 2$ in Black/White Square
6-3 $1 / 2$ in Random Print Squares


The block is completed using 3in half square triangles (HSTs), instructions for making the HSTs available separately.

1. Make a HST with the W/B square and one Random Print Square. Press seam away from W/B.
2. Make another HST with the B/W square and one Random Print Square. Press seam away from B/W.
3. Make HSTs with the remaining 4 Random Squares matching a dark with a light square. Press towards dark fabric.

4. Lay the W/B HST diagonally opposite each other and the B/W HST diagonally opposite each other with the points of the triangles in the centre of the square.
5. Sew together two HSTs pressing open the seam.
6. Sew together the other two HSTs pressing open the seam.
7. Sew together the two rectangles pressing open the seam. (square should be $5 \frac{1}{2} \mathrm{in}$ )

8. Lay one $W / B$ rectangle strips along edge of the square on the side with the same $W / B$ triangle. Sew seam and press away from the square.
9. Repeat with other W/B rectangle strip (Centre strip made)

10. Repeat with remaining random print HSTs and $B / W$ rectangle. (Both strips should be identical)
11. Lay a strip across the top of the Centre strip.
12. Sew and press seam away from centre.
13. Lay the remaining strip across the bottom of the Centre strip with random print HST at opposite corners.

Please do not trim the finished block


## Half Square Triangles

Use a pencil to draw a diagonal line from one corner to the opposite corner on the reverse side of the lightest square.
Pair the marked square with the darker square, edges matched and right sides together. Secure with pins and sew two seams, each $1 / 4$ " from the marked centre line, and press to set the seams.

Cut the square on the marked centre diagonal line.


Open the triangles and press carefully.
Using a ruler with a 45-degree line, align the ruler with so that its diagonal line is lined up exactly with the diagonal line between fabrics. Make sure fabric extends beyond the top and right edge of the ruler and beyond the ruler lines for the unfinished size of the HST.

Trim the fabric along the top and right edges of the HST.
Turn the HST 180 degrees, align the ruler placing the ruler lines for the unfinished size of the HST on the newly trimmed edges making sure the diagonal line on the ruler is aligned with the diagonal line between fabrics.

Trim the fabric along the top and right edges of the HST.

