

# Lewis & Irene

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## Whatever the Weather Cushion

*Designed and made by Sally Ablett*

Cushion Size: 18" x 18"



**DESIGN 1 (Main Diagram)**

### **FABRIC REQUIREMENTS (Whatever the Weather Collection)**

Fabric 1: Fat $\frac{1}{4}$  - A370.1 (Whatever the weather light)

Fabric 2: Fat $\frac{1}{4}$  - A371.3 (Winter on dark blue)

Fabric 3: Fat $\frac{1}{4}$  - A372.1 (Autumn on biscuit)

Fabric 4: Fat $\frac{1}{4}$  - A373.2 (Summer on tropical pink)

Fabric 5: Fat $\frac{1}{4}$  - A374.3 (Spring on duck egg blue)

Fabric 6: Fat $\frac{1}{4}$  - BB175 (Bumbleberries dusky lilac)

Wadding and backing  $\frac{1}{2}$ yd -  $\frac{1}{2}$ mtr

18" x 18" cushion pad

All measurements include  $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowances; press each seam as you go

From the cutting of the triangles you will have one left over each time, this could be put into another cushion

## **CUTTING**

From fabric 1 cut:

2x 3" x 18½" (top and bottom)

2x 3" x 13½" (sides)

From each of the fabrics 2, 3, 4 and 5 cut:

1x 6⅞" x 6⅞" cut in half diagonally once

1x 5¼" x 5¼" cut in half diagonally once

1x 3⅞" x 3⅞" cut in half diagonally once

1x 2⅝" x 2⅝"

From fabric 6 cut:

2x 1" x 12½" (sides of block)

2x 1" x 13½" (top & bottom of block)

## **MAKING UP THE CUSHION**



Sew the small squares together to make a larger square. Next stitch the triangles to the square opposite sides first and then the other two pieces to the square. Keep going until all the triangles are sewn to make the block

Stitch the inner border, sides and then the top and bottom. Sew the outer border sides and then the top and bottom to the cushion

Sandwich the top and wadding together, quilt and trim to the size of the cushion

### **Cushion Back**

Cut

1x 9¾" x 18½"

1x 13¾" x 18½"

Make a double fold to wrong side along one long edge on each backing rectangle and stitch in place

Place cushion front right side up on work surface. Lay one backing rectangle right side down on top, aligning raw edges at bottom edge and sides

Add second backing rectangle on top right side down and aligning raw edges at top edge and sides. Pin in place. Folded edges should overlap by several inches at centre

Stitch around all four edges, clip the corners

Turn right side out and insert an 18" cushion pad

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**DESIGN 2 (Main Diagram)**

### **FABRIC REQUIREMENTS (Whatever the Weather Collection)**

- Fabric 1: Fat $\frac{1}{4}$  - A370.3 (Whatever the weather dark)
- Fabric 2: Fat $\frac{1}{4}$  - A371.2 (Winter on red)
- Fabric 3: Fat $\frac{1}{4}$  - A372.3 (Autumn on light pumpkin)
- Fabric 4: Fat $\frac{1}{4}$  - A373.1 (Summer on zingy green)
- Fabric 5: Fat $\frac{1}{4}$  - A374.1 (Spring on cream)
- Fabric 6: Fat $\frac{1}{4}$  - BB172 (Bumbleberries vibrant lilac)

Wadding and backing  $\frac{1}{2}$ yd -  $\frac{1}{2}$ mtr

18" x 18" cushion pad

All measurements include  $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowances; press each seam as you go

From the cutting of the triangles you will have one left over each time, this could be put into another cushion

## **CUTTING**

From fabric 1 cut:

2x 3" x 18½" (top and bottom)

2x 3" x 13½" (sides)

From each of the fabrics 2, 3, 4 and 5 cut:

1x 6⅞" x 6⅞" cut in half diagonally once

1x 5¼" x 5¼" cut in half diagonally once

1x 3⅞" x 3⅞" cut in half diagonally once

1x 2⅝" x 2⅝"

From fabric 6 cut:

2x 1" x 12½" (sides of block)

2x 1" x 13½" (top & bottom of block)

## **MAKING UP THE CUSHION**



Sew the small squares together to make a larger square. Next stitch the triangles to the square opposite sides first and then the other two pieces to the square. Keep going until all the triangles are sewn to make the block

Stitch the inner border, sides and then the top and bottom. Sew the outer border sides and then the top and bottom to the cushion

Sandwich the top and wadding together, quilt and trim to the size of the cushion

### **Cushion Back**

Cut

1x 9¾" x 18½"

1x 13¾" x 18½"

Make a double fold to wrong side along one long edge on each backing rectangle and stitch in place

Place cushion front right side up on work surface. Lay one backing rectangle right side down on top, aligning raw edges at bottom edge and sides

Add second backing rectangle on top right side down and aligning raw edges at top edge and sides. Pin in place. Folded edges should overlap by several inches at centre

Stitch around all four edges, clip the corners

Turn right side out and insert an 18" cushion pad

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**DESIGN 3 (Main Diagram)**

### **FABRIC REQUIREMENTS (Whatever the Weather Collection)**

Fabric 1: Fat $\frac{1}{4}$  - A370.2 (Whatever the weather bright)

Fabric 2: Fat $\frac{1}{4}$  - A371.1 (Winter on soft green)

Fabric 3: Fat $\frac{1}{4}$  - A372.2 (Autumn on yellow)

Fabric 4: Fat $\frac{1}{4}$  - A373.3 (Summer on turquoise)

Fabric 5: Fat $\frac{1}{4}$  - A374.2 (Spring on lilac)

Fabric 6: Fat $\frac{1}{4}$  - BB169 (Bumbleberries peppermint)

Wadding and backing  $\frac{1}{2}$ yd -  $\frac{1}{2}$ mtr

18" x 18" cushion pad

All measurements include  $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowances; press each seam as you go

From the cutting of the triangles you will have one left over each time, this could be put into another cushion

## **CUTTING**

From fabric 1 cut:

2x 3" x 18½" (top and bottom)

2x 3" x 13½" (sides)

From each of the fabrics 2, 3, 4 and 5 cut:

1x 6⅞" x 6⅞" cut in half diagonally once

1x 5¼" x 5¼" cut in half diagonally once

1x 3⅞" x 3⅞" cut in half diagonally once

1x 2⅝" x 2⅝"

From fabric 6 cut:

2x 1" x 12½" (sides of block)

2x 1" x 13½" (top & bottom of block)

## **MAKING UP THE CUSHION**



Sew the small squares together to make a larger square. Next stitch the triangles to the square opposite sides first and then the other two pieces to the square. Keep going until all the triangles are sewn to make the block

Stitch the inner border, sides and then the top and bottom. Sew the outer border sides and then the top and bottom to the cushion

Sandwich the top and wadding together, quilt and trim to the size of the cushion

### **Cushion Back**

Cut

1x 9¾" x 18½"

1x 13¾" x 18½"

Make a double fold to wrong side along one long edge on each backing rectangle and stitch in place

Place cushion front right side up on work surface. Lay one backing rectangle right side down on top, aligning raw edges at bottom edge and sides

Add second backing rectangle on top right side down and aligning raw edges at top edge and sides. Pin in place. Folded edges should overlap by several inches at centre

Stitch around all four edges, clip the corners

Turn right side out and insert an 18" cushion pad