

OCQG Block of the Month  
February 2017

## 6" Candy Heart Block

All seams are 1/4".



For EACH half of the heart, cut:  
One 3 1/2" x 6 1/2" rectangle of red or pink fabric  
Two 1 1/4" squares of white or cream fabric  
One 3 1/2" square of white or cream fabric



Place both 1 1/4" white/cream squares at one end of the 3 1/2" x 6 1/2" red/pink strip. Sew diagonally across each square. Place the 3 1/2" white/cream square at the other end of the strip. Sew diagonally.

Important: make sure that for each heart, you attach the 3 1/2" square in two different directions! Otherwise the pair of strips will not make a heart.



Trim seams to 1/4". Assemble block as shown. Press.  
Finished block should measure 6 1/2" square.

Bonus: the triangles trimmed from the 3 1/2" square and colored strip behind it can be sewn together to make a half-square triangle measuring roughly 2 3/4" square which can be cut to any smaller usable size you choose!

An excellent tutorial for this block can be found at: <http://cluckclucksew.com/2015/01/making-heart-blocks-in-multiple-sizes.html>

Put your name in the drawing once for each block turned in (maximum of five).  
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