## Trail Blazer

Featuring the Mountain Pass Collection by Whistler Studios Quilt design and pattern by Heidi Pridemore of The Whimsical Workshop Size: 64" x 78"


Please Note: Quilt Image shown is a digital representation, fabric look may vary on your project. Check www.windhamfabrics.com Free Project section online to see if there are any pattern updates before you start your quilt project.

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## Estimated Fabric Requirements:

½ yard - 50682-1 Sand
$1 / 4$ yard - 50684-2 Gravel
3/4 yard - 50681-1 Sand
½ yard - 37098-5 Saddle
$1 / 4$ yard - 50684-5 Burnt Umber
$3 / 8$ yard - 50680-X Multi
2/3 yard - 37098-48 Safari
1 1⁄8 yards - 37098-3 Smoke
2/3 yards - 50683-3 Water
2/3 yard - 50683-4 Clay
2 yards - 50681-2 Gravel
5 yards - 50679-X Multi


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## Cutting Instructions:

Fabric A: Horseshoes - Sand

- Cut three $41 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ Width of Fabric (WOF) strips. Sub-cut the strips into twenty-four $41 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ squares.

Fabric B: Woodgrain - Gravel

- Cut one $41 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strips into six $41 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ squares.

Fabric C: Boots and Hats - Sand

- Cut two $10 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into five $101 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ squares.

Fabric D: Palette - Saddle

- Cut four $1 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into ten $1 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times 12 \frac{1}{2} 2^{\prime \prime}$ strips.
- Cut three $1 \frac{1}{1 / 2 \prime} \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into ten $1 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times 10 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime}$ " strips.

Fabric E: Woodgrain - Burnt Umber

- Cut one $4 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strips into six $41 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ squares.

Fabric F: Scenic - Multi

- Cut one $10 \frac{1}{1} 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strips into four $101 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ squares.

Fabric G: Palette - Safari

- Cut three $1 \frac{1}{1 / 2 \prime} \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into eight $1 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times 12 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime}$ strips.
- Cut two $1 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into eight $1 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times 10 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime}$ " strips.
- Cut four $1 \frac{1}{1 / 2 \prime \prime} \times$ WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut two $1 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times 661 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ strips.
- Cut three $1 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times$ WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut two $1 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times 541 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ strips.

Fabric H: Palette - Smoke

- Cut eight $11 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut six $1 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times 521 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ strips.
- Cut eight $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strips for the binding.

Fabric I: Blanket - Water

- Cut three $6 \frac{1}{2} 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end matching the pattern and cut two $6 \frac{1}{1} 2^{\prime \prime} \times 521 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ strips.

Fabric J: Blanket - Clay

- Cut three $6 \frac{1}{2} 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end matching the pattern and cut two $6 \frac{1}{1} 2^{\prime \prime} \times 521 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ strips.

Fabric K: Boots and Hats - Gravel

- Cut two $5 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times 681 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Length of Fabric (LOF) strips.
- Cut two $51 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 641 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ WOF strips from the remaining fabric, piece as needed.

Backing: Photos - Multi

- Cut two 86 " x WOF strips. Sew the strips together and trim to $72^{\prime \prime} \times 86^{\prime \prime}$ for the pieced back.


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## Block Assembly:

1. Sew one $1 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times 10 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime}$ Fabric $D$ strip to each side of one $10 \frac{1}{2} 2^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric C square. Sew one $1 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times 121 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric D strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric C square to make one Block One square (Fig. 1). Repeat to make five Block One squares total.
2. Sew one $1 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times 10 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime}$ Fabric $G$ strip to each side of one $10 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime}{ }^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric F square. Sew one $1 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times 121 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric $G$ strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric F square to make one Block Two square (Fig. 2). Repeat to make four Block Two squares total.


## Quilt Assembly - Refer to the Quilt Layout below while assembling the quilt top:

5. Sew one $1 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times 521 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric H strip lengthwise to the bottom of one $6 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times 521 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric I strip to make Row One.
6. Sew together two Block Three strips, two Block One squares, two Block Four strips and one Block Two square to make Row Two. Repeat to make Row Six.
7. Sew one $1 \frac{1}{1 / 2 \prime \prime} \times 52 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} 2^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric H strip lengthwise to the top and to the bottom of one $6 \frac{1}{1 / 2 \prime} \times 521 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric J strip to make Row Three. Repeat to make Row Five.
8. Sew together two Block Four strips, two Block Two squares, two Block Three strips and one Block One square to make Row Four.
9. Sew one $1 \frac{1}{1} 2^{\prime \prime} \times 521 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric H strip lengthwise to the top of one $6 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times 521 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric I strip to make Row Seven.
10. Sew the rows together, in numerical order, to make the Center Block.
11. Sew one $1 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times 66 \frac{1}{1} 2^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric G strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew one $1 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times 541 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric G strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block.

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12. Sew one $51 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 68 \frac{1}{1} 2^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric K strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew one $51 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 641 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric K strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block to make the quilt top. Pay attention to the orientation of the Fabric K strips. Note: The arrows in the Quilt Layout represent the fabric direction.
13. Layer and quilt as desired.
14. Sew the eight $2 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times$ WOF Fabric H strips together end-to-end with 45 -degree seams to make the binding. Fold this long strip in half lengthwise with wrong sides together and press.
15. Bind as desired.


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