

Top 10 Reasons To Try A BOM (Block-of-the-Month) Project*

If you've never tried a block-of-the-month quilting project, this is a great time to consider one! BOM's are popular for lots of reasons. Here are some of those reasons for those who need a little extra encouragement!

- The project is broken down into smaller, more attainable goals, so you'll enjoy a feeling of accomplishment each month.
- As a monthly program you can more easily budget a new project.
- No stressing over fabric choices and figuring out yardage. Just have fun sewing!
- You'll enjoy the camaraderie of those with similar quilting interests.
- You can avoid the stress of last-minute marathons sessions at your machine.
- It's another excuse to visit us on a regular basis!
- Many BOM quilts are designed with a variety of block styles, so you can master different ones and expand your overall quilting knowledge.
- By working gradually, you'll be able to control the usual sewing room clutter when working on a project all at once. Blocks & cut pieces can be stored in clean pizza boxes, plastic zipper bags, or other methods.
- The month-to-month pace of the project allows you to immerse yourself in each section and focus on it differently than you would when you make an entire quilt at once.
- The chances of ending up with yet another UFO are lessened because you can see your progress - a BOM quilt project has a beginning, a middle and foreseeable end!

* These top 10 were adapted by The City Quilter from a list provided by Marcus Fabrics