

Let It Snow, Man!

September Block by Theresa C. a/k/a TeaSea

With school starting for most people. Here is one of mine favorite things to do.

I have never be up in one. So always soar high and have fun.

Fabric suggestions:

Background - the sky 13" x 9 1/2"
tree line 13" x 6"
mountain 6" x 6"

Balloon 6" x 6"

White for Frosty

Brown for baskets

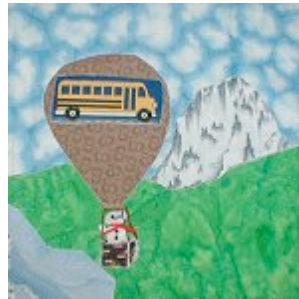
Scraps of your choice for balloon object and pond

Other items :

Fusible web

Fabric Markers

Embroidery Floss or Yarn



Designer's Notes:

Reverse all templates for use with fusible web. Add 1/4" seam allowance to all templates for hand appliqué. I used the 'donut' method with the fusible web--tracing the design onto the paper side of the web and then drawing another line 1/4" inside that traced line and cutting away the inner portion of the web. This eliminates much of the stiffness of using fusible web. It takes a little care when pressing down the web to keep everything smooth, especially with the larger pieces. I used machine blanket stitch, matching the thread color to the fabric, to secure the edges after I fused everything in place. I used 2 ply of 4 ply yarn for the buttons, eyes, nose, basket ropes and scarf.

Instructions:

1. Assemble background. I used a curved piecing method I saw on SQ to make the background. Please see the templates page for

detailed instructions.

2. Place the mountain in between the tree line and the sky. Add the pond on the lower left corner.
3. Position the balloon and secure in place. Layer Frosty in place, under the basket and add the side of basket.
4. Blanket stitch to secure fused fabric edges.
5. Using markers or embroider floss or yarn, add the rope, Frosty's buttons, eyes, nose & scarf.

**It's September, but in the Mountains it's cold...
Thank a teacher because we can read...
And enjoy Fall.**

