

Fridge Magnet Instructions

Help promote our Waterloo County Quilters' Exhibit 2019. Make Fridge Magnets to give to friends, family and other quilters. It is our plan to distribute them to local stores, vendors who will be at our guild's market and other quilt shows to help advertise our show in the fall. The magnets will be collected at each guild meeting up until June. We will need thousands of these magnets. They are easy and fun to make. This is one way that each of us can help advertise our show.

Materials:

- scrap or stash fabric that is 6" square
- labels (from guild meeting or down loaded from the website)
- adhesive magnetic tape (try the dollar store or Michael's with your 40% off coupon) or get some at the guild meeting – an 11 inch strip will do 22 magnets

Instructions

Labels:

Pick up a sheet of labels (there are 22 on a sheet) at the guild meeting or down load a sheet from the website.

Cut the label sheet in half lengthwise and then cut the labels to 7/8 of an inch wide.

Squares:

Cut 6 inch squares of fabric.

Fold one side into the centre of the square.

Fold the opposite side into the centre of the square

Fold these together to make one long rectangle that is 6 inches by 1½ inches

Fold the top down to the centre.

Fold the bottom up to the centre

Fold together to make a square about 1/12 inches.

Wrap the fridge magnet label around the square making sure you centre the words "Waterloo County Quilters' Exhibit 2019" and attach with scotch tape.

Magnets:

Cut the magnets to about a ½" square. Stick the flat adhesive magnet firmly to the back of the label over the scotch tape. If you have non adhesive magnetic tape a dab of glue from your glue gun will do the trick. Make sure the magnet lays flat.

Bring your finished magnets to the guild meeting as soon as you have them made and put them in the box labeled "Finished Fridge Magnets". It will be found on the side table near the Smile Quilts.