# Sunset Country Quilters' Guild 

Miniature Block of the Month 2022

## Block 5 Log Cabin Star

General Paper Piecing Preparation documentation can be found on the introduction page of the 2022 Mini BOM tab at sunsetcountryquilters.org.


The Log Cabin Star block is made up of a center log cabin block (A) set in a star made with 4 flying geese units: 2 just geese ( $B$ ) and 2 with corner squares added (C). We will not be using paper templates when cutting our pieces this time. Yahoo!

If you are using alternating Light background fabrics, the background in this block is Light \#2.
Light (Background \#2)
$1-4$ " square cut diagonally twice $=4$ right angle triangles
$4-13 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ squares

Medium
1-1" square
1 - $3 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 8^{\prime \prime}$; cut a $3 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 1 \frac{1}{2} 2^{\prime \prime}$ for A6; $3 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 13 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ for $A 7 ; 3 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 13 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ for $A 8 ; 3 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 2$ " for A9
$4-21 / 4 \prime$ squares cut diagonally once $=8$ right angle triangles

Dark

$1-3 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 10^{\prime \prime}$; cut a $3 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 21 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ for A10; $3 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ for A11; $3 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ for A12; $3 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 23 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ for A13

NOTE: When sewing the A unit, trim each seam sewn to less than $1 /{ }^{\prime \prime \prime}$ or you will be sewing them into the next seam.

Paper piece 1 A unit, 2 B units and 2 C units. Press well. Trim along the dashed edge of each unit with the quarter inch line of the ruler on the solid line of the pattern to ensure an exact seam allowance is achieved. Remove the foundation paper sections in reverse order of construction.

Sew the $B$ units to opposite sides of your log cabin (A) unit. Press seam towards the center. Sew each $C$ unit to the remaining sides of your $B+A+B$ piece and press the seams open. Square up the block to $41 / 2 "$ (if necessary) and celebrate your achievement!!

