

**Class: 13**  
**Skill Level: Confident Beginner**  
**Class Title: Panama Stars**  
**Cost: \$45**  
**Instructor: Nancy Mahoney**  
**Room: North 1B**  
**Maximum Students: 20**  
**Date: Tuesday, June 10**  
**Time: 8:30 am – 11:30 pm**  
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### **Class Description**

Janome Sewing Machines Provided in Class

Big Star blocks make this traditional looking quilt a real beauty. Students will learn how to make the big block stars using Nancy's quick and easy piecing techniques. This stunning, eye-catching quilt looks great in any color combination.

Quilt size: 66½" x 84½" ✧ Block size: 16"

**Materials Fee for pattern: \$10 (payable in class, cash preferred)**

### **Supply list:**

**Materials** - *Yardage is based on 42"-wide fabric.*

- 3 7/8 yards of white solid (or light print) for background
- 1/3 yard *each* of 4 assorted orange print (ranging in value from light to dark) for star blocks and sashing squares
- 1/4 yard of navy print #1 for star blocks
- 2 yards of navy print #2 for star blocks, border blocks, and binding
- 1/3 yard of medium blue print for star blocks
- 1 yard of light blue print for star blocks and border blocks
- 5 1/4 yards of fabric for backing
- 75" x 93" piece of batting

### **Tools**

- Rotary Cutter (45 mm)
- Cutting Mat (12" x 18")
- Rulers: 6 1/2" square ruler
- Trimming rulers: Corner Trimmer by Marti Mitchell or Triangle Trimmers by Fons & Porter

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## Cutting

### From the white solid, cut:

- (6) 4½" x 42" strips; crosscut into (96) 2½" x 4½" rectangles
- (6) 2½" x 42" strips; crosscut into (96) 2½" squares
- (8) 1¼" x 42" strips; crosscut into:
  - (48) 1¼" x 3⅞" rectangles
  - (48) 1¼" x 2⅝" rectangles
- (2) 5¼" x 42" strips; crosscut into (12) 5¼" squares. Cut the squares twice diagonally ☒ to yield (48) quarter-square triangles.
- (2) 16½" x 42" strips; crosscut into (31) 2½" x 16½" sashing strips
- (3) 3¼" x 42" strips (border blocks)
- (3) 3" x 42" strips (border blocks)
- (7) 1½" x 42" inner-border strips

### From each of 3 orange prints, cut:

- (3) 2½" x 42" strips; crosscut into (48) 2½" squares (144 total)

### From the remaining orange print, cut:

- (2) 2½" x 42" strips; cut (20) 2½" sashing squares

### From the light blue print, cut:

- (4) 2⅝" x 42" strips; crosscut into (48) 2⅝" squares
- (3) 2½" x 42" strips (border blocks)
- (3) 3¼" x 42" strips (border blocks)

### From the medium blue print, cut:

- (2) 4½" x 42" strips, crosscut into (12) 4½" squares

### From navy print #1, cut:

- (4) 2⅞" x 42" strips; crosscut into (48) 2⅞" squares. Cut the squares in half diagonally to ☒ yield (96) half-square triangles (inner star points).

### From navy print #2, cut:

- (4) 5¼" x 42" strips; crosscut into:
  - (24) 5¼" squares. Cut the squares twice ☒ diagonally to yield (96) quarter-square triangles (outer star points).
  - (4) 4½" squares (outer border)
- (3) 2½" x 42" strips (border blocks)
- (3) 2" x 42" strips (border blocks)
- (3) 1¾" x 42" strips (border blocks)
- (3) 1¼" x 42" strips (border blocks)
- (8) 2¼" x 42" binding strips

