



From Cupboard to Creativity Project

Dec 2021 - Row by Row Quilt

Theme this month: Find time to complete your project

Hi Everyone,

December is always a busy month for families with end of year functions for school and work, and preparations for Xmas and all that means for your family. For some it may also mean travel to see loved ones and the juggling around that can be challenging at the moment with all the border uncertainties, so whatever your plans are, I hope they all come together effortlessly and that you have time to have fun and to rest.

I like to think this month you may still have the time to be finishing off your Row by Row projects, so next year we can start again with some fresh challenges.

Having made 2 completed row by row quilts already, I hope to finish my current gingham & lace one before the end of the year.

To make the quilt to the size I prefer my gifting quilts to be (approx 50" x 70"), I will need to make up rows to go between my monthly challenge strips. I will make these very simple by using more checks with white to create 4½" nine patch blocks, then will use white and/or navy to make the rows, and finally adding a navy strip on both sides.

I plan to use a simple navy border to finish the quilt.

That is only 1 quilt that needs my attention!

I am guessing many of you will have other projects that are still in an incomplete state, just like me, and there is never a "I have nothing to do" statement hereha ha

This photo shows 1 quilt pinned ready to quilt (the blue backing) with the rest in the tub and on top all waiting for their turn. There are also other tubs and bags with partially sewn blocks, or partial quilts waiting for inspiration for the next border etc. HOWEVER.....

Before I get into any of those projects I have decided a major "Summer" clean is required to get things back into an organised state around here!



Have a wonderful month and I will catch up again in January with a whole new challenge for 2022.

Best Wishes

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