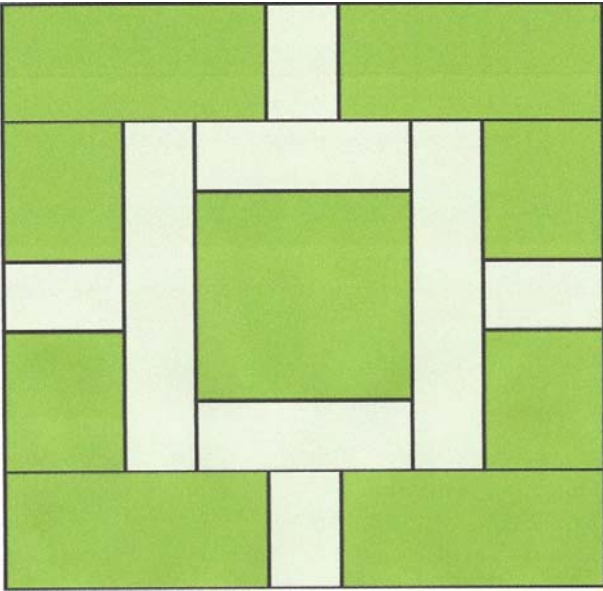


National Grange Quilt Block Contest

2017 Pattern: **Garden Path** (10½" Unfinished Block)



The National Grange Quilt Block Contest is open to both members and prospective members. There is no limit on the number of quilt blocks a person may submit.

Groups:

- Adult (Age 14+)
- Junior (Age 13 and under)

A 2017 Quilt Block Contest Submission Form must be completed for each block. Download the form from www.orgrange.org/grange-workers-activities

State Judging: Entries received in the GWA room at the Florence Event Center no later than **noon on Sunday June 25** will be judged to determine Oregon's winners. The 1st place winner in each group will be sent to National Grange for judging. Second and third place winners will receive ribbons.

All quilt blocks not sent to National will be retained and used to make an item for the oral auction to benefit the GWA Committee.

National Judging: Anyone may send entries directly to the National Grange contest. All contest submissions must be received by the National Grange Lecturer by **October 31, 2017**. Send your blocks with submission forms to:

Christine Hamp, National Lecturer
16418 N. Birdie Road
Nine Mile Falls WA 99026

- Any entries received after the deadline will not be judged. However, all entries received will be exhibited at the 151st National Grange Convention in Spokane, Washington.
- All entries will be retained by the National Grange to be made into finished quilts and will be sold at a later date to raise funds for the Grange Foundation, a 501(c)(3) non-profit entity. Upon submission, you will receive a donation letter from the Grange Foundation acknowledging your donation.

Cutting Instructions:

Dark print (please use browns or greens)

- 1 square, 4½" x 4½"
- 4 strips, 2½" x 5"
- 4 strips, 2½" x 3"

Cream print

- 4 strips, 1½" x 2½"
- 2 strips, 1½" x 6½"
- 2 strips, 1½" x 4½"

Piecing the Block Sewing Instructions (ALL seams are ¼"):

- A. Sew the 1½" x 4½" cream strips to the top and bottom of the 4½" square.
- B. Sew the 1 ½" x 6 ½" cream strips to the sides of the square.
- C. Sew together the dark print 2½" x 3" and the cream 1½" x 2½", keeping the cream in between the dark print (make 2). These will be the sides of your square.
- D. Sew together the dark print 2½" x 5" and the cream 1½" x 2½", again keeping the cream in between the dark print (make 2). These will be the top and bottom of your square.
- E. Attach the sides (C) to the center block.
- F. Attach the top and bottom (D) to the center block.

Prizes:

- National Grange will award monetary prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place in both Groups.
- Ribbons will be awarded for all submissions.