

# Quilt Along: Dutch Postcard week 18

## Border 7 : Zaans House Blocks, Windmill Block Applique

### Assemble border 7 and add border 8

#### What you'll need:

The blocks of the houses are 8.5 by 5.5 inches with seam allowance  
Everything is raw edge or needle turn applique.

#### For the houses and mill

- White Fabric 4 x 8.5 x 5.5 inches x 2
- Rose fabric, 2 types
- Yellow fabric, two types
- Red fabric, 2 types
- Green fabric, 2 types for the mill.
- Scraps of Delft blue fabric.
- Ruler, rotary cutter, scissors.
- Needles, pins, yarns in different colors.
- Fusible web
- The templates of the Zaan houses and windmill.

#### For Border 8

- Delfts blue fabric of 2.5 inches wide with possibly corner blocks.

Note that a blade of the mill ends up on the other block, the left part has been shortened to supposedly fall behind the house, with that the right side has been added 1 inch. I made a waterline out of this.

#### Raw Edge Applique

You will need the templates week 18.

Trace the pattern on fusible web and cut it out. Iron on the fabric to be used and cut out. Do the same with the windows and doors. Iron all the shapes on the white blocks. Remember the 1/4 inch seam allowance. I left that free so it didn't get too thick to sew together. I draw the seam allowance on the white blocks with a friction pen, then it makes it easier to place. Secure everything with a small zigzag. You can measure the doors and windows with a ruler, or just by eye.

#### Needleturn Applique

The templates show the parts with seam allowance. Cut out the stencils, place them on the fabric and mark them, think of your 1/4 inch hem. But maybe that's too much explanation and you know better!

#### Assemble

Now you have all the blocks complete from border 7 and you can start assembling. On the second page you will find the overview.

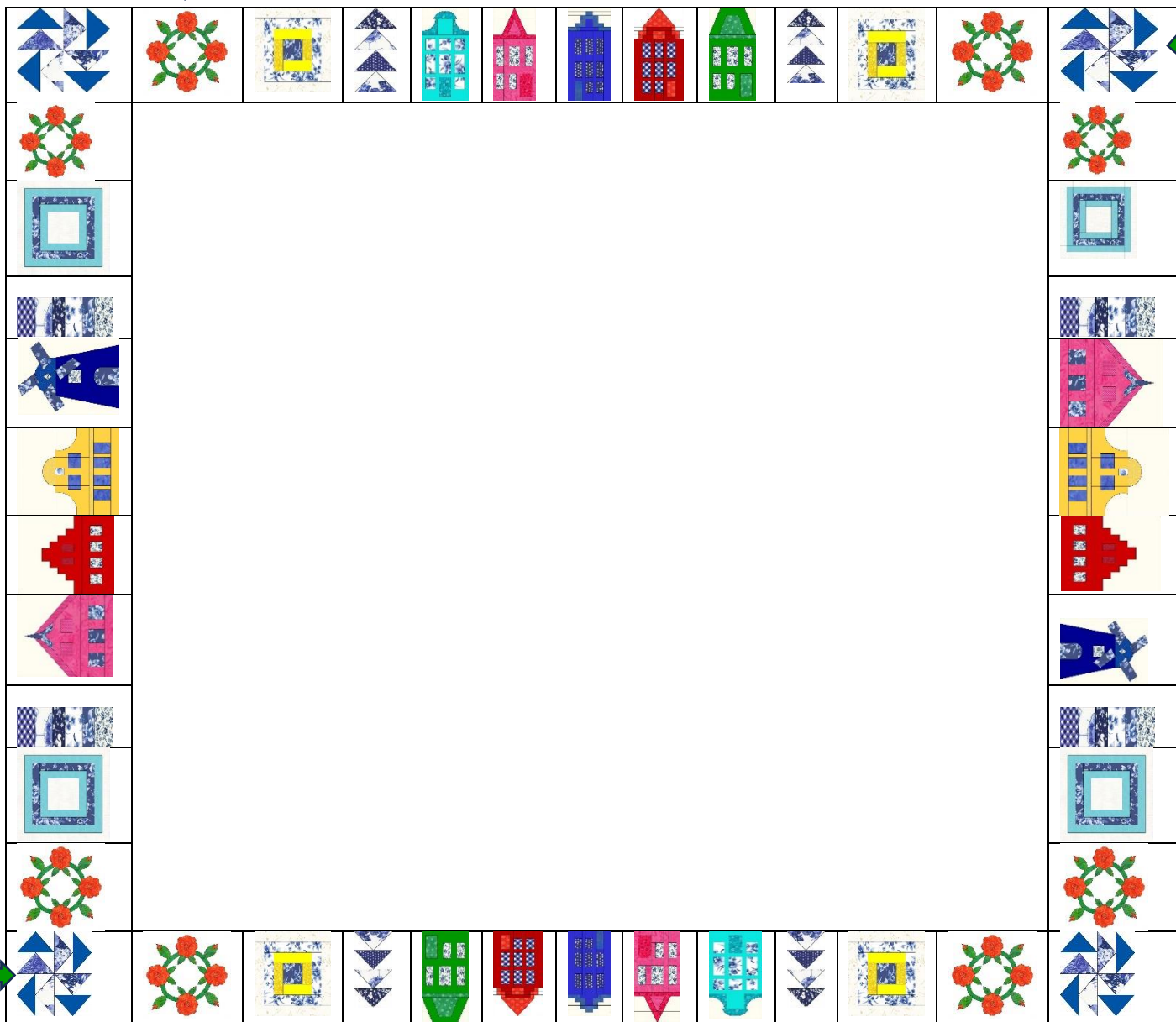
#### Border 8

Finally, a border of 2.5 inches and then the top is ready!

Side 1



Side 2



Side 4

Side 3

