**Puff Quilt Square Pillow**  Patty Ibarra Nov 2019

NEEDED:4 different pieces of fabric 10x25–I used winter prints, holiday prints work well also.

One 25x25 square of coordinating fabric for pillow back. (I used 4 pieces of scrap fabric sewn together to make a square).

Cut 4 strips of fabric 10x25-fold fabric in half lengthwise, cut the length into 2-10” in pieces, place both pieces on top of one another, then cut 5x5” squares from both pieces of fabric. You’ll have 40 pc of 5x5 squares- 10 of each of the 4 prints.

Match the prints-you should have 5 pair squares of each print.

Good side showing sew ½” seam allowance on 3 sides of each square-(Leaving one side open).

Lay out your squares for pattern of pillow, On the open end, stuff lightly with fiberfill and stitch sm pillow closed using ½” seam allowance. Continue to fill all the pillows.

Placing both seam allowances together of 2 filled pillows- stitch the pillows together- continuing to attach each 5 in the line. Next attach all 4 lines. This will make the front of the Puff Pillow (20 squares filled with fiberfill).

Pin the backing to the front of the Puff Pillow with good sides together. Beging to sew ½” seam allowance around diameter of pillow, allowing 4” opening @ each end.

Zigzag along the straight seam allowance. Trim corners.

Turn pillow. Press edges and fill inside to desired size (usually less filling is needed because of the fill squares on the front of pillow).

Stitch closed the opening.