

# Open 24 Hours - Road Side Diner Quilt

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Finished Quilt Approx. 42" x 42" - Finished Block Size: 9" square

**Open 24 Hours** fabrics by Exclusively Quilters - Style #4103

## Fabric Requirements:

- Based on 42" wide fabric  
1/2 yard sign print (#61346-2)  
1/2 yard blue tossed motifs (#61348-2)  
5/8 yard black tossed motifs (#61348-8)  
5/8 yard blue silverware (#61349-2)  
7/8 yard black silverware (#61349-8)  
7/8 white silverware (#61349-9)  
2/3 yard white solid (#400-400-100 White)  
2-7/8 yards fabric for backing (#61347-9 suggested)  
48" x 48" quilt batting  
1 yard 18" fusible web  
1/2 yard 20" wide tear-away stabilizer

An added 1/8 to 1/2 yard is added to all yardages to account for shrinkage, straightening, cutting errors and prints that may require special cutting to get the best results.

You should protect your investment in time and fabric by making sample blocks before cutting into your fabric because Exclusively Quilters will take no responsibility for replacing fabrics.

Shops who wish to kit this design are responsible for figuring yardage for their kits if they wish to reduce yardages.

## Cutting Directions:

All measurements based on a 1/4" seam allowance.

From the **blue tossed motifs**:

Cut three 2-1/2" x 42" strips, recut into forty 2-1/2" squares and five 1-1/2" squares

From the **black tossed motifs**:

Cut seven 2-1/2" x 42" strips, recut into (108) 2-1/2" squares

From the **blue silverware**:

Cut one 2-1/2" x 42" strip, recut into twelve 2-1/2" squares

Cut four 2" x 42" strips

From the **black silverware**:

Cut five 2-1/2" x 42" strips for binding

Cut one 1-1/2" x 42" strip, recut into four 1-1/2" x 9-1/2" strips

From the **white silverware**:

Cut two 2-7/8" x 42" strips, recut into twenty 2-7/8" squares\*

Cut seven 2-1/2" x 42" strips, recut into (96) 2-1/2" squares and twenty 1-1/2" x 2-1/2" pieces

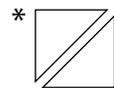
From the **white solid**:

Cut one 9-1/2" x 42" strip, recut into four 4-1/2" x 9-1/2" pieces, two 2-1/4" x 9-1/2" pieces and two 6-3/4" x 9-1/2" pieces

Cut two 2-7/8" x 42" strips, recut into twenty 2-7/8" squares\*

Cut one 2-1/2" x 42" strip, recut into twenty 1-1/2" x 2-1/2" pieces

Cut squares as indicated:



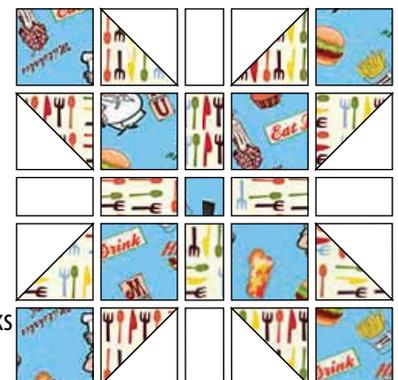
## Sewing Directions:

1. Sew each 2-7/8" white solid triangle to each white silverware triangle. Make a total of forty triangle units. Unfinished triangle unit size 2-1/2" square.



Make 40

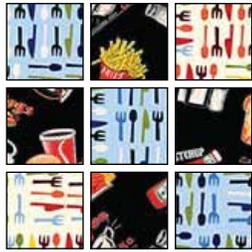
2. Arrange eight triangle units, eight blue tossed motif 2-1/2" squares, one blue tossed motif 1-1/2" square, and four each white solid and white silverware 1-1/2" x 2-1/2" pieces in five rows as shown. Stitch into rows. Sew rows together. Make a total of five Star Blocks. Unfinished block size 9-1/2" square.



Make 5 Star Blocks

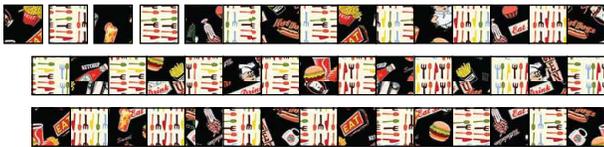
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3. Arrange four black tossed motif, three blue silverware and two white silverware 2-1/2" squares in three rows. Stitch into rows. Sew rows together. Make a total of four Border Corner Blocks. Unfinished block size 6-1/2" square.



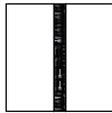
Make 4 Border Corner Blocks

4. Arrange 23 black tossed motif and 22 white silverware 2-1/2" squares in three rows. Stitch into rows. Sew rows together. Make a total of four Border Edge Blocks. Unfinished block size 6-1/2" x 30-1/2".



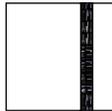
Make 4 Border Edge Blocks

5. Stitch a 1-1/2" x 9-1/2" black silverware strip between two 4-1/2" x 9-1/2" white solid pieces. Make a total of two center strip background blocks. Unfinished size 9-1/2" square.



Make 2

6. Stitch a 1-1/2" x 9-1/2" black silverware strip between 2-1/4" x 9-1/2" and 6-3/4" x 9-1/2" white solid pieces. Make a total of two off-center strip background blocks. Unfinished size 9-1/2" square.



Make 2

7. Trace one each of all templates (and two of the Small Ovals) to paper side of fusible web leaving about 1/2" between shapes. Roughly cut out each leaving about 1/4" around each shape.

8. Referring to the color quilt image, place the Square, Rectangle, Circle and all Oval Templates web side down on the sign print fabric so the motifs you desire fit within the template shapes. Lightly press the fusible web to fabric. Cut out each shape. Repeat with Large Triangle and Arrow Templates on black silverware fabric and Small Triangle on the blue silverware fabric.

9. Arrange appliqué pieces on the center strip and off-center strip background blocks referring to the block diagrams on Page 3 and the color quilt image. Permanently press shapes to background blocks.

10. Line each appliqué block with tear-away stabilizer. Hand or machine stitch all raw edges of appliqué pieces. Remove stabilizer.

11. Arrange blocks in three rows. Stitch blocks into rows. Sew rows together. Quilt center is 27-1/2" square unfinished.

12. Sew 2" x 42" blue silverware strips to right and left sides of quilt center. Press and trim excess. Add 2" x 42" blue silverware strips to top and bottom of quilt center. Press and trim excess.

13. Sew Border Edge Blocks to right and left sides of quilt. Stitch Border Corner Blocks to both ends of two remaining Corner Edge Blocks and add to top and bottom of quilt.

## Finishing:

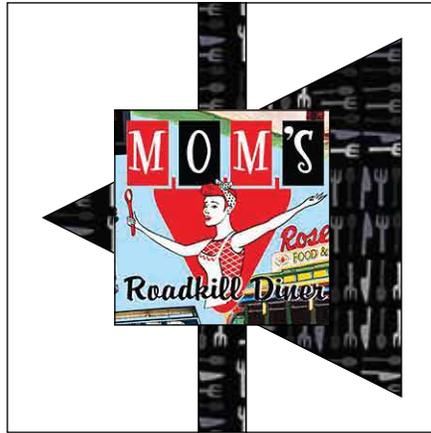
1. Sew the two lengths of backing together along selvage edges creating a two-panel wide backing. Layer the backing, batting and quilt top. Quilt or tie as desired. Carefully trim backing and batting even with quilt top.

2. Prepare binding from five 2-1/2" x 42" black silverware strips. Sew strips together into one long binding strip. Press strip in half lengthwise.

3. Leaving an 8" tail of binding, sew binding to top of quilt through all layers matching all raw edges. Miter corners. Stop approximately 12" from where you started. Lay both loose ends of binding flat along quilt edge. Where these two loose ends meet, fold them back on themselves and press to form a crease. Using this crease as your stitching line, sew the two open ends of the binding together right sides together. Trim seam to 1/4" and press open. Finish sewing binding to quilt. Turn binding to back of quilt and blind stitch in place.

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Appliqué  
Block  
Diagrams



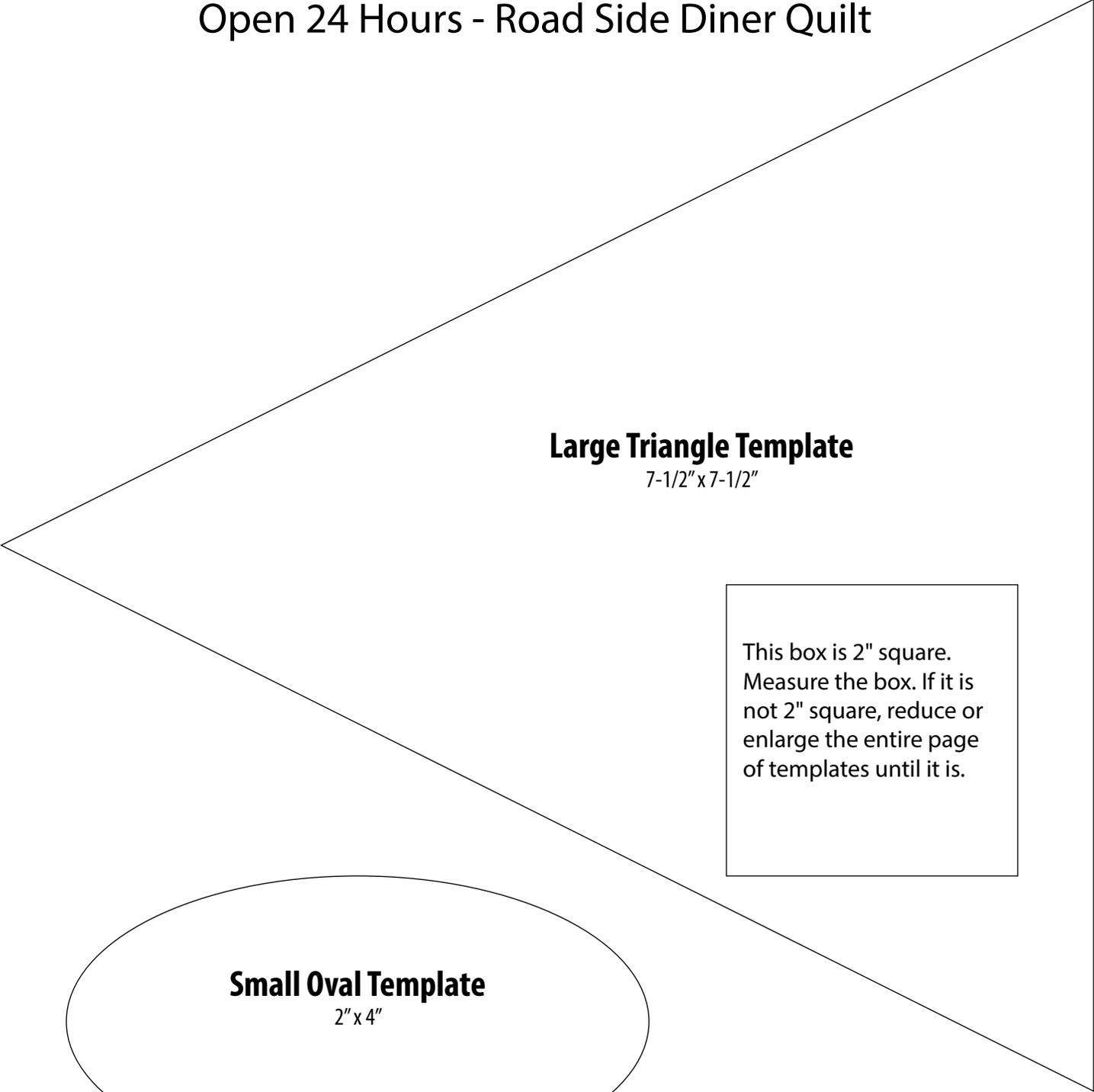
## Large Oval Template

2" x 6"

Trace template onto  
template plastic. Cut out  
shape and label.

This box is 2" square.  
Measure the box. If it is  
not 2" square, reduce or  
enlarge the entire page  
of templates until it is.

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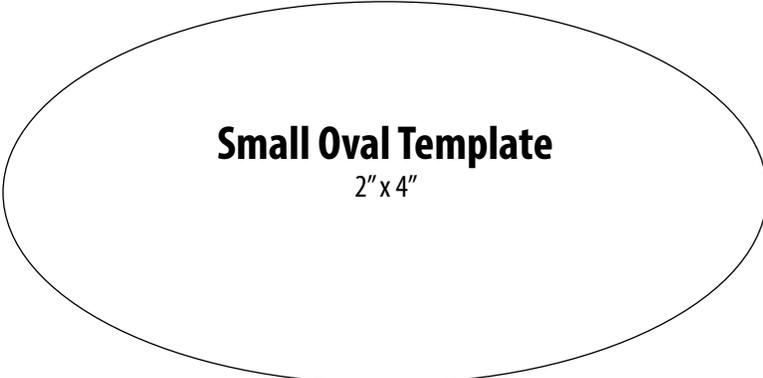


A large isosceles triangle with its apex pointing to the left. The two equal sides are approximately 7.5 inches long, and the base is approximately 7.5 inches wide.

## Large Triangle Template

7-1/2" x 7-1/2"

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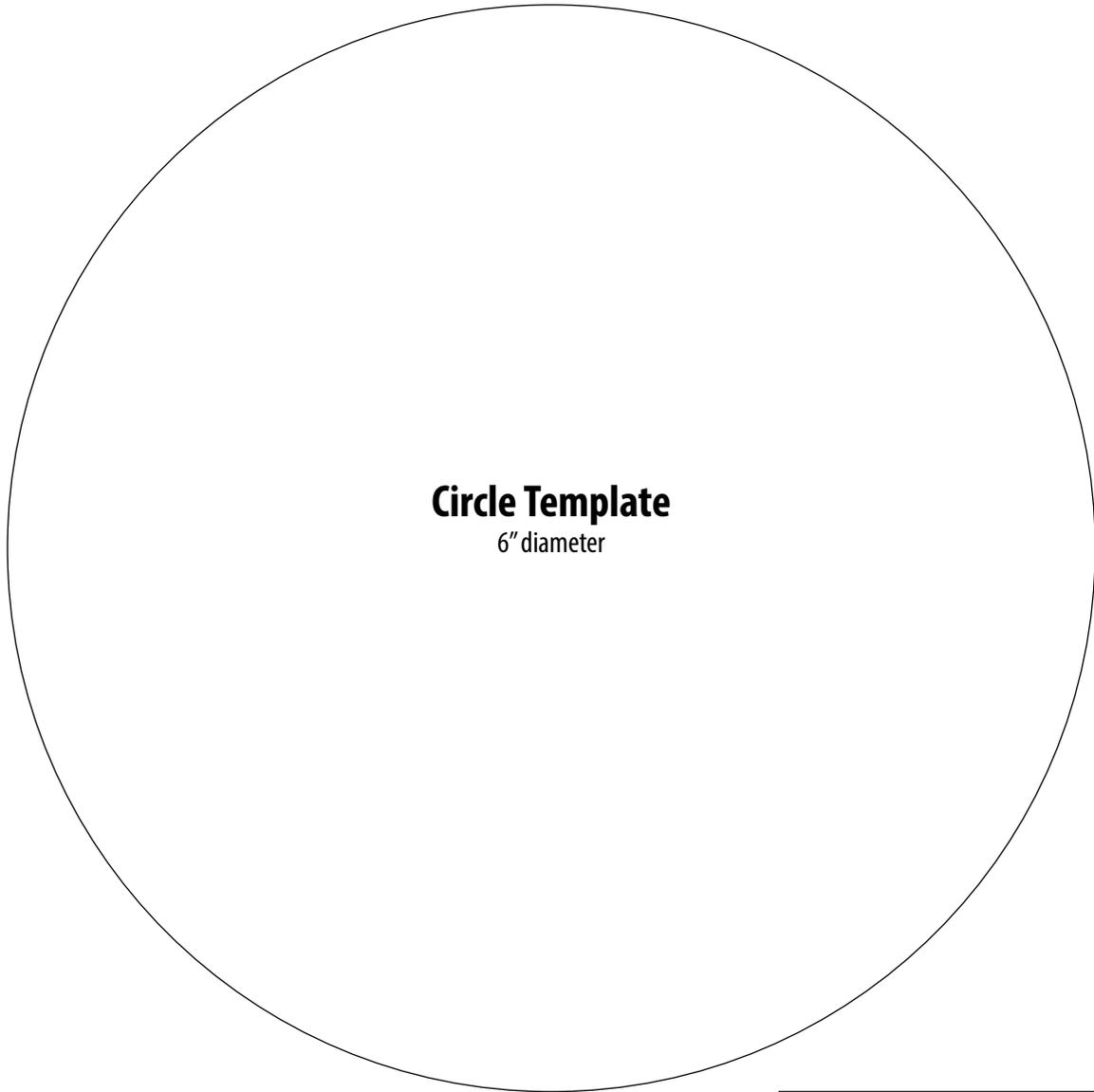
An oval shape, oriented horizontally, with a width of 2 inches and a height of 4 inches.

## Small Oval Template

2" x 4"

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**Small Triangle Template**  
5" x 8"

**Arrow Template**  
4-3/4" tall x 5" wide

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## Rectangle Template

6" x 6-1/2"

## Square Template

4-1/2" square

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