

# Beach Party



44-1/2" x 44-1/2"

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## **FABRIC:**

### **Beach Vista by Paul Brent for Elizabeth's Studio LLC**

**290 Sand (Footprints)**—1 yard  
**P416 Cream (Sparkle)**—1/2 yard  
**291 Multi (Pebbles)**—3/8 yard  
**456 Multi (Seaglass)**—3/4 yard (includes binding)  
**P416 Blue (Sparkle)**—5/8 yard  
**6506 Sand (Umbrellas)**—1/4 yard  
**6505 Sand (Overall)**—1/2 yard  
**6507 Sand (House stripe)**—2/3 yard  
**Backing** for 44-1/2" x 44-1/2" quilt top  
**Batting** for 44-1/2" x 44-1/2" quilt top

## **CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS:**

**290 Sand (Footprints)**—Cut (6) 2-1/2" x width of fabric (WOF) strips, cross cut into (32) 2-1/2" x 4-1/2" rectangles and (32) 2-1/2" squares AND cut (4) 2-1/2" x WOF strips, trim strips to (2) 2-1/2" x 32-1/2" strips and (2) 2-1/2" x 36-1/2" strips for inner border AND cut (4) 1-7/8" x WOF strips for border nine patch blocks  
**P416 Cream (Sparkle)**—Cut (6) 2-1/2" x WOF strips, cross cut into (32) 2-1/2" x 4-1/2" rectangles and (32) 2-1/2" squares  
**291 Multi (Pebbles)**—Cut (4) 2-1/2" x WOF strips, cross cut into (64) 2-1/2" squares  
**456 Multi (Seaglass)**—Cut (4) 2-1/2" x WOF strips, cross cut into (64) 2-1/2" squares AND cut (5) 2-1/2" x WOF strips for binding  
**P416 Blue (Sparkle)**—Cut (4) 1-7/8" x WOF strips, cross cut into (80) 1-7/8" squares for border blocks AND cut (5) 1-7/8" x WOF strips for border nine-patch blocks  
**6506 Sand (Umbrellas)**—Cut (1) 4-1/2" strip, cross cut into (8) 4-1/2" squares  
**6505 Sand (Overall)**—Fussy cut (8) 4-1/2" blocks, centering house and kite motifs as desired  
**6507 Sand (House Stripe)**—Cut (4) 4-1/2" strips, cross cut into (20) 4-1/2" squares, centering motifs—5-6 squares per strip

# Constructing the Quilt:

## STAR BLOCKS (16 blocks)

### Making the Star Point Units:



Place 2-1/2" seaglass square and 2-1/2" x 4-1/2" footprint rectangle right sides together. Draw a diagonal line on the back of the seaglass fabric. Sew on the line. Trim the seaglass fabric 1/4" outside the sewn line. Repeat with second seaglass square. Make (32) units.



### Assembling the Star Blocks:

Sew together the star point sections, 2-1/2" footprint squares, and fussy cut 4-1/2" overall blocks to form rows (1st row = footprint square, star point section, footprint square), then sew rows together to form star block shown above. Repeat to complete (8) blocks.



Follow the same steps, using 2-1/2" x 4-1/2" cream sparkle rectangles and 2-1/2" pebbles squares to make (32) more star point units. Sew together the star point units, 2-1/2" cream sparkle squares and 4-1/2" umbrella squares to form (8) more blocks.

Following cover photo, sew together 16 blocks to form center section of quilt top. Be sure to maintain orientation of the center squares (houses facing up).



### INNER BORDER

Add 2-1/2" x 32-1/2" footprint strips to the sides of the center section.

Add 2-1/2" x 36-1/2" footprint strips to the top and bottom of the quilt top.



## BORDER SNOWBALL BLOCKS (20 blocks)



Place a 1-7/8" blue sparkle square right sides together with a fussy cut 4-1/2" house stripe square. Draw a diagonal line on the back of the blue sparkle square.

Sew on the line.



Trim blue sparkle fabric 1/4" outside the sewn line.

Press. Repeat to add a blue sparkle triangle to each corner of the house stripe square. Make a total of 20 Snowball blocks.

## BORDER NINE-PATCH BLOCKS (20 blocks)



Sew together two 1-7/8" blue sparkle strip and one 1-7/8" footprint strip. Repeat with a second set of blue sparkle strips and footprint strip.

Cut into (40) 1-7/8" segments.



Repeat using two 1-7/8" footprint strips and one 1-7/8" blue sparkle strip. Cut into (20) 1-7/8" segments.

Sew together three segments to form a nine-patch block. Repeat for a total of (20) identical nine-patch blocks.



## COMPLETING THE OUTER BORDER:

Sew together (5) nine-patch blocks and (4) snowball blocks, side to side. Begin and end with nine-patch.



Sew to the top of the center section. Repeat for bottom border.

Sew together (6) snowball and (5) nine patch blocks, top to bottom. Begin and end with snowball block. Sew to side of quilt top. Repeat with remaining blocks for second side border.

## FINISHING QUILT:

Layer quilt top, batting and backing. Quilt as desired. Use reserved 2-1/2" seaglass strips to bind quilt.

