**Crosstown Quilt Guild**

**Block of the Month**

**Due: November 10, 2026**

# Football

Size: 12.5 inches unfinished

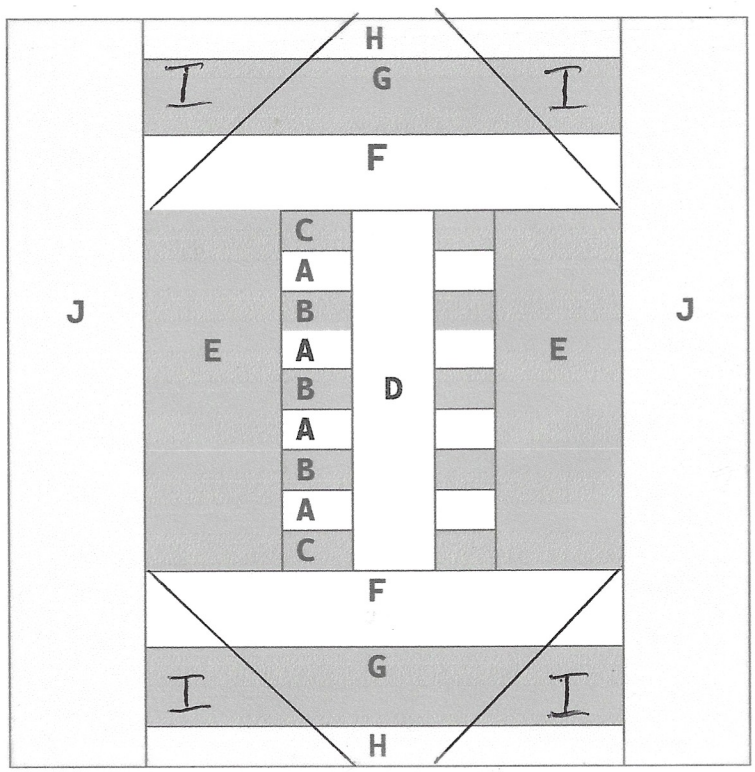
**Notes:** Cutting is the hardest part. All seams are ¼ inch. Have fun!!

**FABRICS:**

Off-White or tone on tone beige for background

White for stripes on football

Brown (or any color) for football




**CUT:**

| White (for stripes) | Piece |
|---|---|
| Four – 1" x 2.5" | A |
| One – 1" x 6.5" | D |
| Two – 1.5" x 8.5" | F |
| **Brown (football)** | |
| Three – 1.5" x 2.5" | B |
| Two – 1" x 2.5" | C |
| Two – 3.5" x 6.5" | E |
| Two – 2" x 8.5" | G |
| **Background** | |
| Two – 1" x 8.5" | H |
| Four – 4" x 4" | I |
| Two - 2.5" x 12.5" | J |

**CONSTRUCTING THE BLOCK:**

Sew piece **A** to **B** along 2.5" sides, repeat 2 more times to form a lattice.

Sew 1 **C** piece to the white rectangle at the top of the lattice and another **C** piece to the bottom of the lattice. Press seams towards brown.

Cut lattice unit in half, lengthwise, to yield two 1.25" wide lattice strips.

Sew each lattice strip to left and right of piece **D** to create center stripe. Press seams towards center.

Join an **E** piece to the left and right sides of the football unit. Press seams towards brown.

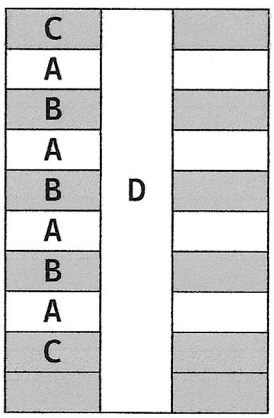
Join an **F** piece to the top and bottom of the football unit.

Join a **G** piece to the top and bottom of the football unit.

Join an **H** piece to the top and bottom of the football unit.

Mark a diagonal line on the wrong side of the **I** pieces. With right sides together, place an **I** piece on the top left corner of the football unit. Stitch on the marked line. Trim to ¼" and press towards corner. Repeat on all remaining corners of the football unit.

Join a **J** piece to the left and right of the football unit to form the finished block. Press towards Background fabric.




Lattice unit