

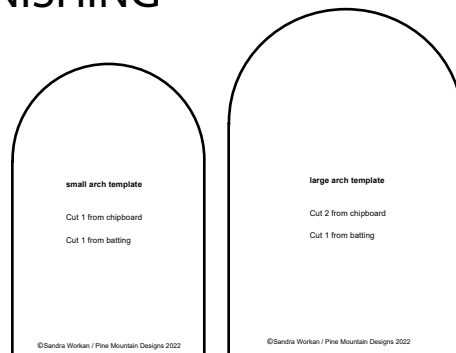
HILLTOP CROSS STITCH CLUB FINISHING

Cut from chip board:

- 2 large arches
- 1 small arch

From batting cut:

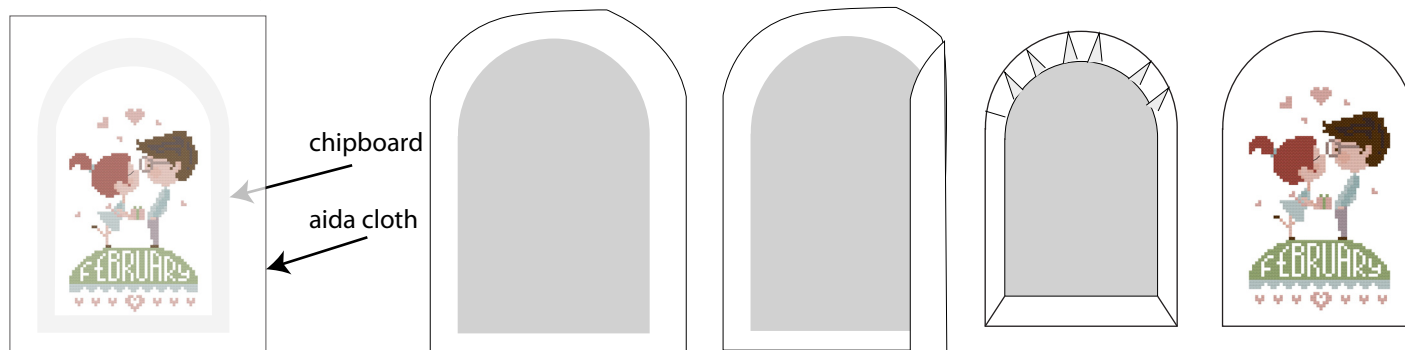
- 1 large arch
- 1 small arch



From each of the two cotton fabrics:

Trace large arch on the wrong side of each of the two fabrics with a pencil. Cut out 1" beyond traced line.

1. Using tacky glue or hot blue - glue the batting to one of the large chip board arches and the small arch.
2. When you have finished your cross stitch you will need to center it over the batting topped small arch. Fold aida around chipboard to confirm that you are centered correctly. I like to use the binding clips to hold it in place. Then trim excess aida leaving only about 3/4" beyond the chipboard.
3. Turn the stitching/chipboard over to the back side. Fold the fabric around the chipboard and glue in place. You will need to gently ease the fabric along the curve to avoid any folds on the front.



4. Repeat this process with the large arch, the one with the batting is covered in the print fabric and the one without the batting will have the solid fabric.
5. Put the print arch face down. Glue the pom pom trim along the bottom edge so that only the balls of the poms show below the edge on the front.
6. Glue the white ric rac over the pom pom trim, so that the ric rac extends below the pom poms.
7. Place the two pink arches wrong sides together and glue together.
8. Center your cross stitch to and glue to the front of the pink print arch.
9. Clip to your stand and tie the blue ribbon around the clip.

