

Block Party

© Crows on the Ledge Wool Studio- Donna Bennett



Wool/Fabric required:

- 10 ½" x 14" –Backing (can be flannel, wool or homespun)
- 10 ½" x 14" - Background wool
- 10" x 5" – Scrolls
- 3 ¼" x 3 ¼" - Daffodil Petals
- 1 ½" x 3" – Daffodil & Daisy Center
- 4 ½" x 4" – Daisy Petals
- 2 ½" x 4" - Hyacinth Dark
- 2 ½" x 3" - Hyacinth Light
- 5 ½" x 3 ½" - Green Leaves

Supplies needed:

DMC Floss or Valdani to match
Felted wool
Freezer paper
Embroidery needle- Chenille #24
Iron, Scissors for paper and fabric, and pins

General Directions for Applique

1. Transfer/trace your pattern onto the dull side of freezer paper.
2. Cut out each freezer paper piece and place on the matching wool color.
3. Iron onto wool, shiny side down using wool setting.
4. With paper still attached, cut along edge of paper. Note: Some pattern pieces will be cut slightly larger because they need to overlap. For my patterns, this is shown with a dotted line.
5. Position all pieces on the background to check for placement and overlapping.

Stitches Used: (See photo)

Blanket stitch around each flower and scrolls.

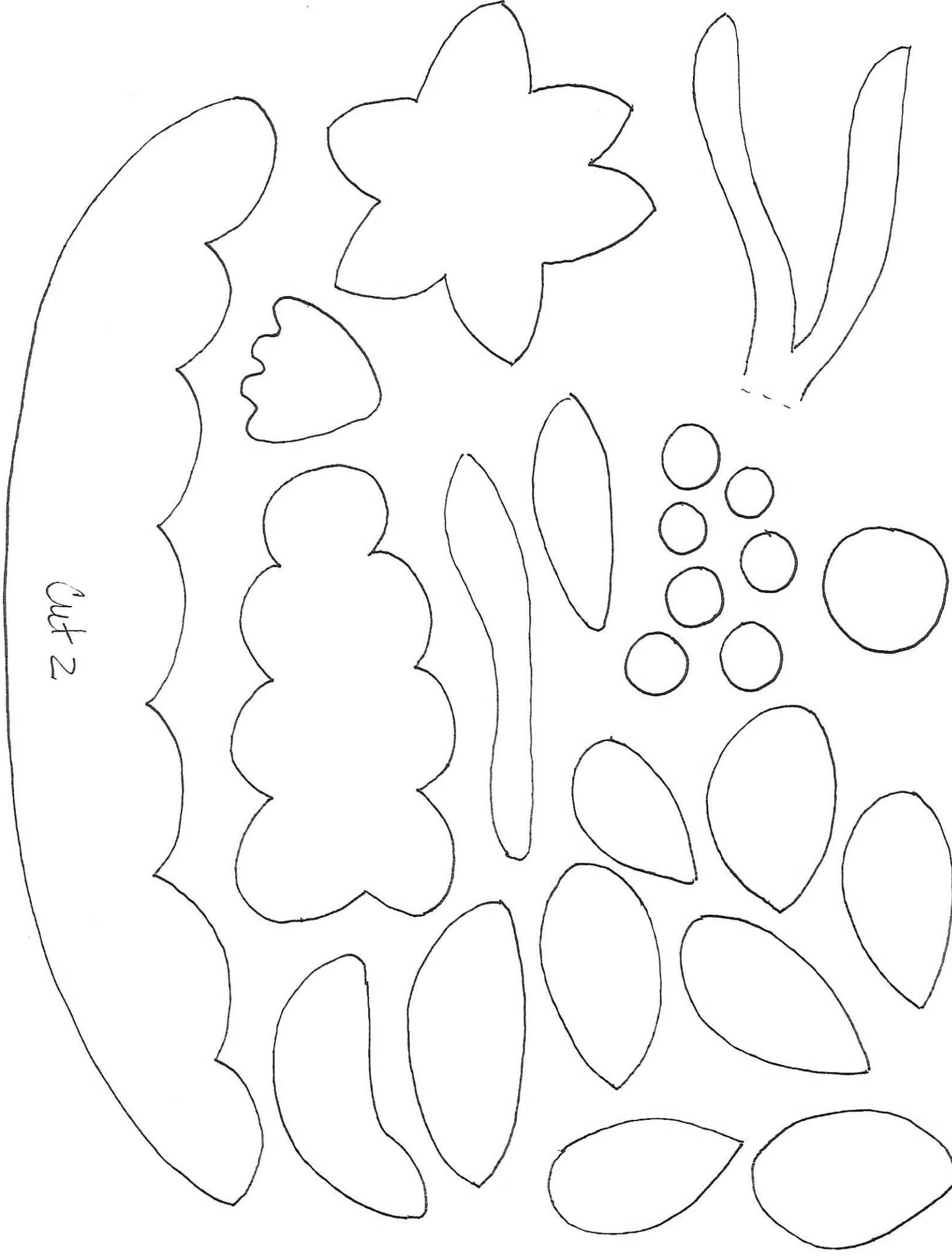
Circles on Hyacinth- whip stitch with matching quilt thread.

Stem stitch for stems- using double thread

- If there are many pieces, it is helpful to pin and then whip-stitch these into place rather than using just pins. By using a matching quilt thread color, you will not see this once the decorative stitches are sewn.
- As you remove the freezer paper cut-outs, set them aside because these can be used more than once.
- Blanket stitch background and backing together.

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