March monthly block
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After attending the Winter and Climate Change talk given by Sam Potter on 12 March 2019, I chose to make a traditional quilt block called Weathervane. This block dates back to when the pioneers named quilt blocks based on everyday objects. The colors are based on a bright, sunny ski on fresh snow along the Fish Lake Nature Trail. The yellow is for the sun and the increasing warmth it gives in March. The purple and blues are the colors of the shadows on the snow. You can really see the purple light scatter in my shadow selfie. I was lucky to have a scrap of batik fabric with florets in my fabric stash.

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