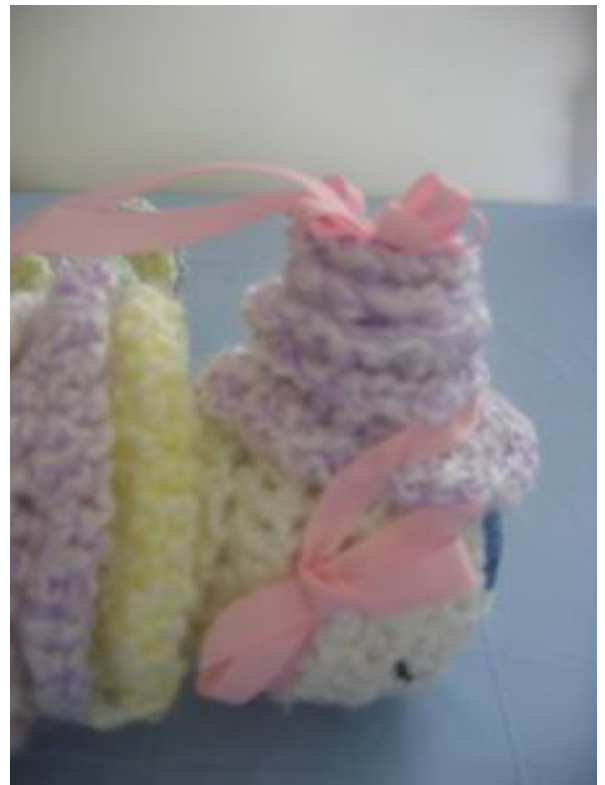


My Lady Rattle-pillar Free Crochet Pattern



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MATERIALS:

Baby Homespun yarn in: Sunshine, Sweet Pea, Soft Violet, Soft Lime, Carnation and Snow-white; 60mm 2 piece plastic ornament, various beads or buttons (to make noise in the ornament), stuffing, needle to take yarn, needle and embroidery threads, 60" of 3/8" wide light pink grosgrain ribbon, matching thread and H hook or hook to obtain gauge.

GAUGE: 4 sc = 1", 3 rows sc = 1"

FINISHED SIZE: 21" long

HEAD:

With H and snow-white ch-4, sl st to form a ring.

RND 1: Ch-1, work 8 sc in ring, sl st top beg sc, ch-1, turn. (8 sts)

RND 2-4: (2 sc next st, sc next st) around, sl st top beg sc, ch-1, turn. (12 sts)(18 sts)(27 sts)

RND 5-10: Sc ea st around, sl st top beg sc, ch-1, turn.

RND 11: (Sk next st, sc next 2 sts) around, sl st top beg sc, ch-1, turn. (18 sts) Add ornament with beads inside, lp toward opening and stuff lightly around ornament.

RND 12: (Sk next st, sc next 5 sts) around, sl st top beg sc, ch-1, turn. (15 sts)

RND 13: Sc ea st around, sl st top beg sc, ch-1, turn and stuff.

RND 14: Rep rnd 11. (10 sts)

RND 15: (Sk next st, sc next st) around, sl st top beg sc, fasten off. (5 sts)

LARGE CIRCLE:

Rep 1-4 of head.

RND 5: Sc ea st around, sl st top beg sc, ch-1, turn.

RND 6: Sc next 2 sts, (2 sc next st, sc next 4 sts) around, sl st top beg sc, ch-1, turn. (32 sts)

RND 7: (2 sc next st, sc next 7 sts) around, sl st top beg sc, fasten off. (36 sts)

-make 1 circle in ea color.

MEDIUM CIRCLE:

Rep rnd 1-6 of lg circle, fasten off.

-make 1 of every color except snow-white.

SMALL CIRCLE:

Rep rnd 1-5 of lg circle, fasten off.

-make 2 of sunshine and soft lime. Make 1 of Sweet pea. Make 3 of Soft violet (one of which will be used as the base of the hat.)

BEADS (MAKE 3):

With H and carnation ch-4, sl st to form a ring.

RND 1: Ch-1, work 8 sc in ring, sl st top beg sc, ch-1, turn. (8 sts)

RND 2-5: Sc ea st around, sl st top beg sc, ch-1, turn.

Stuff.

RND 6: (Sk next st, sc next st) around, sl st top beg sc, fasten off. (4 sts)

TAIL:

With carnation rep rnd 1-2 of head.

RND 3: Sc ea st around, sl st top beg sc, ch-1, turn.

RND 4: (Sk next st, sc next 2 sts) around, sl st top beg sc, ch-1, turn. (8 sts)

RND 5-7: Rep rnd 3.

RND 8: (Sk next st, sc next st) around, sl st top beg sc, ch-1, turn.

Stuff.

RND 9: Rep rnd 8. Fasten off.

HAT:

With soft violet rep 1-2 of head, fasten off. -make 2.

With Soft violet rep 1-3 of head, fasten off. -make 2.

PUTTING IT ALL TOGETHER:

With needle and embroidery thread, make the face for the rattle-pillar. (It is easier to do without the body attached.

With needle and yarn sew tog the 2 smallest circles for the hat at-around rnd 1. Sew these to the next biggest

and then to the 2nd of the pair. Lastly, sew these 4 circles to the soft violet small circle for body. Sew to head. Cut a 24" piece of pink ribbon and securely sew across the top of the hat and around the rattle-pillar's head. Tie in a bow. Cut 8 pieces of ribbon 2" long. Fold ea in half and sew tog at the ends in a circle. Cut 8-1\2" of ribbon fold in half and sew to the center of the ribbon lp circle, trim ends. Sew to the top of the hat.

Sew tog (at\around rnd 1 of ea circle) sunshine, soft violet, white, carnation, sweet pea and soft lime of large circle. Sew one bead to center to last lg circle. Sew medium circle of sunshine to bead, then sew soft violet, carnation, sweet pea and soft lime to this. Rep with bead, then continue with sunshine, soft violet, sweet pea and soft lime of small circle. Rep with bead, then sew on sunshine, soft violet and soft lime. Lastly, sew on the tail. Cut 8 pieces of ribbon 2" long. Fold ea in half and sew tog at the ends in a circle. With remaining ribbon tie a small bow and sew in the center of this ribbon circle. Sew this to the end of the rattle-pillar's tail.

Abbreviations Used In This Pattern

Ch = Chain

St = Stitch

Sl St = Slip Stitch

Sc = Single Crochet

Hdc = Half Double Crochet

Dc = Double Crochet

Lg = Large

Rnd = Round

Beg = Beginning

Rep = Repeat

Bet = Between

Sk = Skip

Bk Lp = Back Loop

Lp = Loop

Dec = Decrease

Ea = Each

Tog = Together

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