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Spring Crochet Along - Shipmates



"NORAH THE NARWHAL"

designed by Foxy.crochet





SIZE Approx 14 cm

TOOLS AND MATERIALS

Ricorumi dk Shade 033 (light blue) 25 g Shade 058 (silver grey) 25 g Ricorumi Twinkly Twinkly dk Shade 005 (yellow) 25 g Shade 013 (blue) 25 g Black embroidery thread for eyes Ricorumi hook 2.5mm Rico stitch marker Rico embroidery needle Rico synthetic stuffing

TENSION

Crochet in X- stitch. 28 sts and 30 rows = 10 x 10 cm

BODY

Rnd 1: In blue working into magic ring, 7 dc. Rnd 2: [2 dc into next st] 7 times. 14 sts. Rnd 3: [dc, 2 dc into next st] 7 times. 21 sts. Rnd 4: [dc, 2 dc into next st, dc] 7 times. 28 sts. Rnd 5: [3 dc, 2 dc into next st] 7 times. 35 sts. Rnd 6: [2 dc, 2 dc into next st, 2 dc] 7 times. 42 sts.

Rnd 7: 42dc.

Rnd 8: [5 dc, 2 dc into next st] 7 times. 49 sts. Rnd 9 – 15 (7 rnds): 49 dc.

Rnd 16: 47 dc, dc2tog. 48 sts.

Rnd 17: [3 dc, dc2tog, 3 dc] 6 times. 42 sts. Rnd 18 – 20 (3 rnds): 42 dc.

Use a thin contrasting colour yarn to mark the beginning of each round. This will be the centreline for the side of Norah's body where you will sew the fin on later.

Rnd 21: [5 dc, dc2tog] 6 times. 36 sts. Rnd 22 – 23 (2 rnds): 36 dc.

Rnd 24: 3 dc, [3 dc, dc2tog] 3 times, 6 dc, [2 dc into next st, 3 dc] 3 times. 36 sts.

Rnd 25: [2 dc, dc2tog, 2 dc] 6 times. 30 sts. Rnd 26 - 27 (2 rnds): 30 dc.

Start stuffing as you go. Stuff very firmly. Rnd 28: [3 dc, dc2tog] 6 times. 24 sts. Rnd 29: 24 dc.

Rnd 30: [2 dc, dc2tog] 6 times. 18 sts.

Rnd 31 - 32 (2 rnds): 18 dc.

Rnd 33: dc, 6 dc2tog, 5 dc. 12 sts.

Rnd 34: 12 dc.

Rnd 35: [dc, dc2tog] 4 times. 8 sts.

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From here is the tail. Stop stuffing. Rnd 36: FLO, [2 htr into next st] 8 times. 16 sts. Rnd 37: *2 tr in next st, tr, 2 htr in next st, 2 htr, 2 htr in next st, tr*, 2 tr in next st. In the next 7 st,

repeat **, in the last st of rnd 36 crochet [htr and dc]. 24 sts. Fold the tail into half. Place the body on a flat

surface, the edge of the tail should be aligned with the centreline of the side. If not, crochet one more or less dc.

Rnd 38: Ch 2 then crochet across all loops of the 12 sts of the folded tail: 3 dtr in next st, 3 tr in next st, 2 tr in next st, tr, dc, 2 sl st, dc, tr, 2 tr in next st, 3 tr in next st, 3 dtr in next st. 22 sts. Fasten off, cut yarn and weave in end.

TUSK

Rnd 1: In silver grey working into magic ring, 4 dc. Work in BLO from rnd 2 to rnd 13. Rnd 2: [2 dc into next st, dc] twice. 6 sts. Rnd 3 – 4 (2 rnds): 6 dc. Rnd 5: [2 dc in next st, 2 dc] twice. 8 sts. Rnd 6 – 7 (2 rnds): 8 dc. Rnd 8: [2 dc in next st, 3 dc] twice. 10 sts. Rnd 9 – 10 (2 rnds): 10 dc. Rnd 11: [2 dc in next st, 4 dc] twice. 12 sts. Rnd 12 – 13 (2 rnds): 12 dc. Rnd 14: In both loops, 12 dc. Fasten off, cut and leave a long tail for sewing. Stuff the tusk.

SHELL (MAKE 2)

Work in BLO from row 1 to row 9. Do not count ch 1 in row 2 - 8 as st. Row 1: In twinkly twinkly yellow ch 6. From the 2nd st from hook, 3 dc, 2 sl st. 5 sts. Row 2: Turn, ch 1, 2 sl st, 2 dc, 2 dc in the last st. 6 sts Row 3: Turn, ch 1, 4 dc, 2 sl st. 6 sts. Row 4: Turn, ch 1, 2 sl st, 3 dc, 2 dc in the last st. 7 sts. Row 5: Turn. ch 1. 4 dc. 3 sl st. 7 sts. Row 6: Turn, ch 1, 3 sl st, 4 dc. 7 sts. Row 7: Turn, ch 1, dc2tog, 3 dc, 2 sl st. 6 sts. Row 8: Turn, ch 1, 2 sl st, 2 dc, dc2tog. 5 sts. Row 9: Turn 3 dc, sl st, sl st in last st to fasten off. 5 sts Cut yarn and leave a tail. Thread yarn in a needle, insert the needle through the bottom of the shell then gently pull to bring both ends of the bottom

together, making the shell curl up. Join the two shells together via the bottoms,

forming a bow shape.

PEARL

Rnd 1: In silver grey working into magic ring, 5 dc. Rnd 2: BLO, 5 dc. Fasten off, cut and leave a tail.

Weave tail through back loops of rnd 2, pull tight to close.

Use yarn end to sew to the bottom of the shells.

LEFT FIN

In blue, ch 7, crochet (tr, picot, 3 tr) into the 3rd st from hook, tr, htr, dc, sl st. Cut and leave a tail for sewing.

RIGHT FIN

In blue, ch 6. From the 2nd st from hook, sl st, dc, htr, tr, (3 tr, picot st, tr) in the last st of chain. Ch 2 then sl st to join the last st of chain to fasten off. Cut and leave a tail for sewing.

TO MAKE UP

Sew tusk on top of head, between rnd 5 & 8. Wrap the yarn end around the bottom of the tusk to hide the sewing stitches then weave in end. With the head facing you, sew the right fin in the 1st st of rnd 21, 14 rnds away from tail. Leave half of the fin unsewn to make it curl out. Sew the left fin on the other side of the body, about 20 sts away from the right fin. In light blue, embroider various marks on Norah's back starting from head down to tail. Marks should be 1 or 2 sts long, 3 - 4 sts away from each other. Embroider 6 lines on the tail. Sew the yellow shells on the right of the tusk. Use black thin yarn to embroider the eyes between rnd 10 & 13. Eyes are 3 sts wide and the bottom of eyes should be in the same line where top of each fin lands. Embroider the eyelashes at the end. Apply pink blush below the eyes.

ABBREVIATIONS (UK TERMINOLOGY)

dc	double crochet
tr	treble
htr	half treble
dtr	double treble
sl st	slip stitch
ch	chain
dc2tog	invisible decrease
Picot stitch	chain 2 then dc
	into the first chain.
st(s)	stitch(es)
BLO	back loop only
FLO	front loop only
rnd	round

Use Cross stitch to crochet (X-stitch) throughout this pattern.



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