Part 13

Abbreviations

St, sts  Stitch, stitches  Hdc  Half double crochet  Fl  Front loop only
R  Round  Dc  Double crochet  Bl  Back loop only
Ch  Chain  Tr  Treble crochet  Fp  Front post
Sl-st  Slip stitch  Dtr  Double treble crochet  Bp  Back post
Sc  Single crochet  Ttr  Triple treble crochet

Hints: Are typed in italics and coloured purple, they are to help and guide you and hopefully make life a little easier.

* Repeat instructions between asterisks the amount of times specified. This is normally a repeat for a complete side and will consist of multiple instructions.
() - Repeat instructions between parentheses the amount of times specified. This is a lower level repeat.

Special Stitches

Long Single Crochet: Insert hook into stitch one round below next st, and pull up a loop to level of current round, then yarn over and pull through both loops on hook.

In Rounds 85 and 87 you will be working back post stitches around 2 stitches together [both at the same time].
Make sure that your 2nd back post stitch sits below the 1st.
83. Join with a standing sc in 1<sup>st</sup> bpsc of any repeat, sc in next 6 sts, *skip next 3 sts, 9 tr in next st, skip next 3 sts, sc in next 10 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 11 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 10 sts, skip next 3 sts, 9 tr in next st, skip next 3 sts, sc in next 36 sts.*

Repeat from * to * 7 more times, omit last 7 sc.
Join to standing sc with a sl-st.
Stitch Count: Per repeat: 71 sc, 18 tr.
Total: 568 sc, 144 tr.

84. sl-st into next st, ch 1 and hdc in same st, ch 1, skip next st, hdc in next st, ch 1, [you now have 3 sts remaining before tr shell],
*skip next 3 sts, (tr in next st, ch 1) 9 times,
skip next 3 sts, sc in next 11 sts, ch 1, skip next 3 sts,
in next st (tr, ch 1) 7 times,
skip next 3 sts, sc in next 11 sts, ch 1, skip next 3 sts,
(tr in next st, ch 1) 9 times,
skip next 3 sts, hdc in next st,
(ch 1, skip next st, hdc in next st,) 7 times,
(hdc in next st, ch 1, skip next st) 7 times, hdc in next st, ch 1.*

Repeat from * to * 7 more times, omit last hdc, ch 1, hdc.
Join to 1<sup>st</sup> hdc, fasten off, and secure ends.
Stitch Count: Per repeat: 22 sc, 16 hdc, 25 tr, 43 ch-1 spaces.
Total: 176 sc, 128 hdc, 200 tr, 344 ch-1 spaces.
Hint: This is another very wordy round, as are the next two rounds.

85. Join with a standing hdc in ch1-space before last hdc of any repeat, bpdc around next st,
*Shell 1 (dc in ch-1 space, bptr around next st,) 4 times,
2 dc in next ch-1 space, bptr around next st, 2 dc in next ch-1 space,
(bptr around next st, dc in ch-1 space) 4 times,
skip next 2 sts, sc in next 2 sts, long sc in next st, sc in next st, long sc in next st, sc in
next 2 sts, skip next 2 sts, [P6]
Shell 2, (dc in ch-1 space, bpdc around next st) 3 times,
2 dc in next ch-1 space, bpdc around next st, 2 dc in next ch-1 space,
(bpdc around next st, dc in ch-1 space) 3 times,
skip next 2 sts, sc in next 2 sts, long sc in next st, sc in next st, long sc in next st, sc in
next 2 sts, skip next 2 sts,
Shell 3, (dc in ch-1 space, bptr around next st,) 4 times,
2 dc in next ch-1 space, bptr around next st, 2 dc in next ch-1 space,
(bptr around next st, dc in ch-1 space) 4 times,
(bpdc around next st, hdc in ch-1 space) 7 times,
2 bpdc around next 2 sts together, [P10,11,12]
(hdc in ch-1 space, bpdc around next st) 7 times.*
Repeat from * to * 7 more times, omit last hdc and bpdc.
Join to standing hdc with a sl-st.
Stitch Count: Per repeat: 10 sc, 4 long sc, 14 hdc, 34 dc, 16 bpdc, 25 bptr.
Total: 80 sc, 32 long sc, 112 hdc, 272 dc, 128 bpdc, 200 bptr.

86. Ch 3 [counts as dc] or make a starting dc in same st as sl-st, dc in next st, [last bpdc before shell]
*Shell 1, (ch 2, skip next 2 sts, dc in next 2 sts) twice,
ch 2, skip next 2 sts, 2 dc in next st,
(ch 2, skip next 2 sts, dc in next 2 sts) twice,
ch 2, skip next 2 sts, hdc in next 2 sts, ch 1, skip next st [long sc], hdc in next st, ch 1, skip
next st [long sc], hdc in next 2 sts,
Shell 2, (ch 2, skip next 2 sts, dc in next 2 sts) twice,
ch 2, skip next st,
(dc in next 2 sts, ch 2, skip next 2 sts) twice,
hdc in next 2 sts, ch 1, skip next st [long sc], hdc in next st, ch 1, skip next st [long sc], hdc
in next 2 sts,
Shell 3, (ch 2, skip next 2 sts, dc in next 2 sts) twice,
ch 2, skip next 2 sts, 2 dc in next st,
(ch 2, skip next 2 sts, dc in next 2 sts) 10 times.*
Repeat from * to * 7 more times, omit last 2 dc.
Join to top of ch-3 or starting dc, fasten off, and secure ends.
Stitch Count: Per repeat: 10 hdc, 44 dc, 2 ch-1 spaces, 24 ch-2 spaces.
Total: 80 hdc, 352 dc, 16 ch-1 spaces, 192 ch-2 spaces.
Hint: as you work the back post stitches around the pairs of stitches, keep your tension soft to hug both stitches, rather than strangle them!

87. Join with a standing hdc in ch-2 space above bpdc around 2 sts together [R85] of any repeat, hdc in same space,
(2 bpdc around next 2 sts together, 2 hdc in next ch-2 space) twice,
2 bpdc around next 2 sts together,

*Shell 1, (2 dc in next ch-2 space, 2 bptr around next 2 sts together) 3 times,
3 dc in next ch-2 space, 2 bptr around next 2 sts together, 3 dc in next ch-2 space,
(2 bptr around next 2 sts together, 2 dc in next ch-2 space) twice,

Hint: 3 dc groups sit above 2 dc groups [R85],
2 bpdc around next 2 sts together, skip ch-1 space [above long sc], bpdc around next st,
skip ch-1 space [above long sc], 2 bpdc around next 2 sts together,
Shell 2, (2 dc in next ch-2 space, 2 bptr around next 2 sts together) twice,
3 dc in next ch-2 space,
(2 bptr around next 2 sts together, 2 dc in next ch-2 space) twice,
2 bpdc around next 2 sts together, skip ch-1 space [above long sc], bpdc around next st,
skip ch-1 space [above long sc], 2 bpdc around next 2 sts together,
Shell 3, (2 dc in next ch-2 space, 2 bptr around next 2 sts together) twice,
3 dc in next ch-2 space, 2 bptr around next 2 sts together, 3 dc in next ch-2 space,

Hint: 3 dc groups sit above 2 dc groups [R85],
(2 bptr around next 2 sts together, 2 dc in next ch-2 space) 3 times,
(2 bpdc around next 2 sts together, 2 hdc in next ch-2 space) 5 times,
2 bpdc around next 2 sts together.*

Repeat from * to * 7 more times, omit last 12 sts.
Join to standing hdc, fasten off and secure ends.
Stitch Count: Per repeat: 10 hdc, 43 dc, 22 bpdc, 32 bptr.
Total: 80 hdc, 344 dc, 176 bpdc, 256 bptr.

Part 13 is now complete, see you next week.