Part 15

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.

Reference to photos is [P] with the relevant photo number

* 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

Tr Cluster: Yarn over twice, place hook in stitch or space to be worked and pull up a loop, 4 loops on hook, yarn over and pull through 2 loops twice, 2 loops on hook.
Yarn over twice, place hook in same st/sp, pull up a loop, 5 loops on hook, yarn over and pull through 2 loops twice, 3 loops on hook.
Yarn over twice, place hook in same st/sp, pull up a loop, 6 loops on hook, yarn over and pull through 2 loops twice, 4 loops on hook.
Yarn over and pull through all 4 loops.

9 tr cluster: 3 partial tr in 1st ch-3 space, 1 partial tr in next ch-2 space, 1 partial tr in sc, 1 partial tr in next ch-2 space, 3 partial tr in next ch-3 space, yarn over and pull through all loops on hook.

5 tr cluster: worked with 3 partial tr in ch-3 space, 1 partial tr in ch-2 space and 1 partial tr in sc, and in reverse for the other side, 1 partial tr in sc, 1 partial tr in ch-2 space and 3 partial tr in next ch-3 space.

Ruffle Stitch: Made over 3 sts. Flsc in indicated stitch, and working around the front of the post of the same st, from top to bottom (hdc, 3 dc), skip next st, flsc in next st.
93. Join with a standing sc in 2nd fptr2tog of large shell on any repeat, [P1]
*hdc in next 3 sts, dc in next 2 sts, dc3tog over next 3 sts, dc in next 9 sts,
(2 dc in next st, dc in next 18 sts) 3 times,
2 dc in next st, dc in next 9 sts, dc3tog over next 3 sts, dc in next 2 sts, hdc in next 3 sts,
sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 4 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts.*
Repeat from * to * 7 more times, omit last sc.
Join to standing sc, fasten off, and secure ends.
Stitch Count: Per repeat: 12 sc, 6 hdc, 84 dc, 2 dc3tog.
Total: 96 sc, 48 hdc, 672 dc, 16 dc3tog.

Hint: The first and last cluster groups of each repeat fall in the dc3tog.

94. Join with a standing sc in 3rd hdc after dc3tog at beginning of any large shell, [P1]
*2 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts,
2 sc in next st, sc in next st,
(ch 2, skip next 4 sts, in next st (tr cluster, ch 3, tr cluster, ch 3, tr cluster), ch 2 skip next
4 sts, sc in next st) 8 times,
ch 2, skip next 5 sts, in next st, (tr cluster, ch 3, tr cluster, ch 3, tr cluster), ch 2 skip next 4
sts, sc in next st).*
Repeat from * to * 7 more times, omit last sc.
Join to standing sc, fasten off, and secure ends.
Stitch Count: Per repeat: 26 sc, 27 tr cluster, 18 ch-2 spaces, 18 ch-3 spaces.
Total: 208 sc, 216 tr cluster, 144 ch-2 spaces, 144 ch-3 spaces.
95. **Hint:** in this round you will be making 9 tr clusters, keep your chains and closing loop slightly looser to avoid puckering.

**9 tr cluster:** 3 partial tr in 1st ch-3 space, 1 partial tr in next ch-2 space, 1 partial tr in sc, 1 partial tr in next ch-2 space, 3 partial tr in next ch-3 space, yarn over and pull through all loops on hook. [P2 to 7]

**5 tr cluster:** worked with 3 partial tr in ch-3 space, 1 partial tr in ch-2 space and 1 partial tr in next sc. [P8], and in reverse for the other side, 1 partial tr in next sc, 1 partial tr in ch-2 space and 3 partial tr in next ch-3 space [P10].

Join with a standing sc in centre cluster in any 1st cluster group on any repeat, *(ch 3, 9tr cluster, ch 3, sc in next centre cluster) 8 times, ch 3, 5 tr cluster, ch 1, (tr in next 5 sts, 2 tr in next st) twice, tr in next 4 sts, 5 tr cluster, ch 3, sc in next centre cluster).*

Repeat from * to * 7 more times, omit last sc.

Join to standing sc, fasten off, and secure ends.

Stitch Count: Per repeat: 8 sc, 18 tr, 2 5-tr cluster, 8 9-tr cluster, 18 ch-3 spaces.
Total: 64 sc, 144 tr, 16 5-tr cluster, 64 9-tr cluster, 144 ch-3 spaces.

96. Join with a standing dc in 17th tr [2nd to last] on any repeat, [P1] dc in next st, *(dc in cluster, dc in eye of cluster, 4 dc in ch-3 space, dc in sc, 3 dc in ch-3 space) 9 times, dc in cluster, dc in eye of cluster, dc in next 18 sts.*

Repeat from * to * 7 more times, omit last 2 dc.

Join to standing dc, fasten off, and secure ends.

Stitch Count: Per side: 110 dc.
Total: 880 dc.

97. Join with a standing fltr in dc made into eye of 5tr cluster [R95] before tr group on any repeat, ch 1,

*{(flsc in next dc, in same st (fphdc, 3 fpdc) skip next st, flsc in next st), making a Ruffle st, 6 times, ch 1, (fltr in next 30 sts, 2 fltr in next st) twice, fltr in next 30 sts, ch 1.}*

Repeat from * to * 7 more times, omit last tr and ch-1.

Join to front loop only of standing fltr with a sl-st. **Leave yarn attached**

Stitch Count: 94 fltr, 6 ruffle st, 2 ch-1 spaces.
Total: 752 fltr, 48 ruffle st, 16 ch-1 spaces.

**End of part 15, see you next week as the sun starts to set on our journey.**