



CROCHET KNOCKERS REVISITED by Claudia Barbo

Size: A (B, C, D, DD)

Materials:

- 1 (1, 1, 2, 2) skeins North Shore
- 3.5mm crochet hook (or size needed to get gauge)
- 3 locking stitch markers (1 in a different color for start of round)
- Tapestry needle

Gauge: 4 ½ sc and 5 ½ rows = 1 inch

Abbreviations:

Ch = chain

Pm = place marker

Rnd = round

Sc = single crochet

Rep = Repeat

Inc = work 2 scs in next sc

Dec = work 2 scs together (sc2tog)

NOTES:

- To form a magic ring leave approximately 6" of tail wrap yarn around index finger twice and work desired number of sc over both strands. When complete pull up tail to close ring. Continue to work in the round.
- Knockers are crocheted in a continuous spiral.
- Move markers up as you go.

Front

Form a magic ring

Rnd 1: Work 6 sc in ring. Close ring.

Rnd 2: Inc in each sc around. (12 scs)

Rnd 3: (Work 2 sc, inc in next 2 sc, pm) 3 times (on the last repeat use a different colored marker). (18 sc)

Rnd 4: (Work 4 sc, inc in next 2 sc) 3 times. (24 scs)

Rnd 5: (Work 7 sc, inc in next sc) 3 times. (27 scs)

Rnd 6: (Work to 1 sc before marked sc, inc in next 2 sc) 3 times.

Rnd 7: (Work to marked sc, inc marked sc) 3 times.

Repeat rnds 6 & 7 until you have 57 (66, 75, 84, 93) sc. (19, 22, 25, 28, 31) per side

Work 2 rnds even through the back loop **only**

Back

Rnd 1: (Sc2tog, sc to 1 sc before marked sc, sc2tog) 3 times.

Repeat rnd 1 until you have 15 sc left.

Cut yarn leaving a 10" tail. Thread tapestry needle and weave through front loop only of 15 sc. Leave open for stuffing. Tuck tail into knocker so that filling can be adjusted as needed.



Crocheted knocker as crochet by its nature results in a stiffer knocker and so we will be using crocheted knockers as our Aqua knockers for swimming. We recommend an acrylic yarn like North Shore as it will dry faster and is washable and soft. Don't stress too much about the sizing. The most important thing is to make sure that all pairs are the same size (same number of stitches). We can use all sizes but the most demand is for sizes B, C and D.

If you don't have someone to give your beautiful knocker to please send them to us for distribution (always free) We need lots of them! Send to Knitted Knockers of Canada, 115 Fiddlehead Cres, Waterdown, Ontario, LOR 2H8. Visit www.knittedknockerscanada.com (the one with the pink ribbon logo on it) to learn more and to locate a group in your area.

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