

PAPER DOLLS

Now in Sporty Numbers for Crocheters

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MATERIALS: 4 ply yarn—scraps of pink, white, yellow, brown and assorted colors for clothes; two 12" chenille stems; white glue; yarn needle; size H crochet hook.

Finished size: About 8" tall.

Gauge: 4 sc = 1"; 5 sc rows = 1".

DOLL (make 2 for each doll)

Head

Rnd 1: With pink, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook.

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each st around (12).

Rnd 3: [Sc in next st, 2 sc in next st] around (18).

Row 4: Sc in next 3 sts, ch 1, turn.

Row 5: Sc in each of next 3 sts, ch 1, turn.

Row 6: 2 sc in first st, sc in next st, 2 sc in last st, ch 1, turn (5).

Row 7: 2 sc in first st, sc in each of next 3 sts, 2 sc in last st, ch 1, turn (7).

Arm

Row 1: 2 sc in first st, sc in next st, ch 1, turn (3).

Row 2: Sc in first st, skip next st, sc in last st, ch 1, turn (2).

Rows 3-8: Sc in each st across, ch 1, turn.

Row 9: Sc 2 sts tog, ch 1, turn.

Row 10: 3 sc in st, ch 2, turn. (Note: Eliminate ch 2 for thumb on 2nd doll piece.)

Row 11: Sl st in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each of next 3 sts across, ch 1, turn.

Row 12: Sc first 2 sts tog, skip last st. Fasten off.

2nd arm

Turn piece so head is down and the completed arm is to the left. Join yarn with sc at right edge of row 7.

Row 1: Sc in same st as joining sc, sc in next st, ch 1, turn (3).

Rows 2-6: Repeat rows 2-6 of first arm.

Row 7: 2 sc in first st, skip last st, ch 1, turn.

Row 8: Skip first st, 2 sc in next st, ch 1, turn.

Row 9: Repeat row 7.

Row 10: Skip first st, sc in next st, ch 2, turn. (Note: Eliminate ch 2 for thumb on 2nd doll piece.)

Row 11: Sl st in 2nd ch from hook, 3

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sc in next st, ch 1, turn.

Row 12: Sc first 2 sts tog, skip last st. Fasten off.

Body

Row 8: Join yarn with sc in same st of row 7 of head as last sc of row 1 of first arm, sc in each of next 3 sts of head, sc in same st as last sc of 2nd arm, ch 1, turn (5).

Row 9: Sc in each of first 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in each of last 2 sts, ch 1, turn (6).

Rows 10-12: Sc in each st across, ch 1, turn. At end of row 12, do not ch 1. Fasten off. Turn.

Row 13: With white, 2 sc in first st, sc in next 4 sts, 2 sc in last st, ch 1, turn (8).

Rows 14-15: Sc in each st across, ch 1, turn.

Row 16: Sc in each of first 3 sts, hdc in next st, ch 1, hdc in next st, sc in each of last 3 sts. Fasten off. Turn.

Leg

Row 1: With pink, sc in first 2 sts, sc next 2 sts tog, ch 1, turn (3).

Rows 2-10: Sc in each st across, ch 1, turn. At end of row 10, do not ch 1. Fasten off. Turn.

Row 11: With black, 2 sc in first st, skip next st, sc in next st, ch 1, turn.

Row 12: Skip first st, sc in next st, 3 sc in last st, ch 1, turn.

Row 13: 2 sc in first st, sc in next st, skip next st, sl st in last st. Fasten off.

Work 2nd leg to correspond to first leg.

ASSEMBLY

Fold 1 chenille stem in half. Measure 2nd stem for arms, cut off excess. Bend ends of stems about 1/4" at each end. Glue stems to 1 body piece as shown in diagram. Glue 2nd body piece in place. Whipstitch body pieces together around outside edge.

Embroider face.



HAIR

Girl: With yellow, starting at neck

edge on front side of face, join yarn with sl st, (ch 3, sl st in next st) around, covering head.

Boy: With brown, make satin stitches from the top of the head.

DOLL CLOTHES

Note: All seams are sewn together on outside. Snaps may be sewn to back openings of clothes.

JEANS (make 2)

Row 1: With dk. blue, ch 10, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each ch across, ch 1, turn (9).

Rows 2-6: Sc in each st across, ch 1, turn.

Row 7: (Leg) 2 sc in first st, sc in each of next 2 sts, 2 sc in last st, ch 1, turn.

Rows 8-14: Sc in each st across, ch 1, turn. At end of row 14, do not ch 1. Fasten off.

Work 2nd pant leg to correspond with first. Sew pant pieces together.

SHIRT

Row 1: With desired color, ch 10, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in next 8 chs, ch 1, turn (9).

Rows 2-3: Sc in each st across, ch 1, turn. At end of row 3, ch 5, turn.

Row 4: Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in next 3 chs, sc in each st across, ch 5, turn (13).

Row 5: Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in next 3 chs, sc in each st across, ch 1, turn (17).

Row 6: Sc in each st across, ch 1, turn.

Row 7: Sc in next 13 sts, sl st in next st, ch 1, sc in same st as sl st, sc in each of next 3 sts, ch 1, turn.

Row 8: Sc in next 4 sts, ch 5, turn.

Row 9: Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in next 3 chs, sc in next 4 sts, ch 1, turn (8).

Row 10: Sc in each st across, ch 1, turn.

Row 11: Sc in next 5 sts, ch 1, turn.

Rows 12-13: Sc in each st across, ch 1, turn. At end of row 13, do not ch. Fasten off. Skip next 9 sts of row 7.

Join yarn with sc in next st, sc in each of next 3 sts. Work this 2nd side same as first, reversing shaping.

Sew underarm and side seams.

FOOTBALL UNIFORM

Pants & shirt

With desired color, make football pants same as jeans. After pant pieces are sewn tog, embroider line up side seams.

With lt. blue, repeat shirt pattern. Embroider shirt front as desired and white stripes around sleeves, close to shoulder.

Helmet front

Row 1: With desired color, ch 6, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in next 4 chs, ch 1, turn.

Rows 2-3: 2 sc in first st, sc in each st across to last st, 2 sc in last st, ch 1, turn (7, 9).

Row 4: Sc in each of next 2 sts, ch 1, turn.

Rows 5-7: Sc in each st across, ch 1, turn.

Row 8: Sc 2 sts tog. Fasten off. Skip next 5 sts of row 3, join yarn with sc in next st, sc in last st, ch 1, turn. Repeat rows 5-8.

Helmet back

Row 1: Join yarn with sc in first remaining lp of starting ch, sc in same lp, sc in each of next 3 lps, 2 sc in last lp, ch 1, turn (7).

Row 2: 2 sc in first st, sc in next 5 sts, 2 sc in last st, ch 1, turn (9).

Rows 3-8: Sc in each st across, ch 1, turn. At end of row 8, do not ch. Fasten off.

Sew sides of helmet tog, embroider double white line down the middle.

Football

Row 1: With brown, ch 2, 2 sc in 2nd ch from hook, ch 1, turn.

Row 2: 2 sc in each st across, ch 1, turn (4).

Row 3: 2 sc in first st, sc in each of next 2 sts, 2 sc in last st, ch 1, turn (6).

Rows 4-5: Sc in each st across, ch 1, turn.

Row 6: Sc first 2 sts tog, sc in each of next 2 sts, sc last 2 sts tog, ch 1, turn (4).

Row 7: (Sc next 2 sts tog) 2 times, ch 1, turn (2).

Row 8: Sc in each st across, ch 1, turn.

Rows 9-14: Repeat rows 2-7. Fasten off.

Sew white stitching on 1 side, sew sides of pieces tog, making lps on back to fit over boy's hand.

Skirt

Rnd 1: With desired color, ch 19, join with sl st to form ring, ch 1, sc in each ch around, join.

Rnd 2: Ch 3, dc in each of next 3 sts, 2 dc in next st, dc in next 9 sts, 2 dc in next st, dc in next 4 sts, join with sl st in top of ch 3 (21).

Rnd 3: Ch 3, dc in next 4 sts, 3 dc in next st, dc in next 9 sts, 3 dc in next st, dc in next 6 sts, join (25).

Rnd 4: Ch 2, hdc in next 5 sts, 2 hdc in next st, hdc in next 11 sts, 2 hdc in next st, hdc in next 6 sts, join (27). Fasten off.

Sweater

With white, make same as for shirt. With lt. blue, embroider as desired.

Pom-poms

Make two 1 1/2" pom-poms using both colors of yarn. Make loop at top of each to fit over girl's hands.

Sunsuit (make 2)

Row 1: With desired color, ch 6, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in next 4 chs, ch 1, turn (5).

Row 2: Sc in each of next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 2 sts, ch 1, turn (6).

Row 3: Sc in each st across, ch 1, turn.

Row 4: 2 sc in first st, sc in next 4 sts, 2 sc in last st, ch 1, turn (8).

Rows 5-6: Sc in each st across, ch 1, turn.

Row 7: Sc in first 4 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 3 sts, ch 1, turn (9).

Rows 8-10: Sc in each st across, ch 1, turn.

Row 11: (First leg) 2 sc in first st, sc in each of next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, ch 1, turn (6).

Rows 12-13: Sc in each st across, ch 1, turn.

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turn. At end of row 13, fasten off.

Row 11: (2nd leg) Skip next st of row 10, join yarn with sc in next st, sc in same st, sc in each of next 2 sts, 2 sc in last st, ch 1, turn (6). Finish 2nd leg to correspond with first leg.

Sew the 2 pieces tog, starting at side leg seam and sewing tog for 5 rows. Sew crotch shut.

Tie strings: Ch 15, sl st across top of sunsuit on neck edge in 5 chs, ch 15 fasten off. Repeat for other piece. Sun-suit ties over shoulders.

PARTY DRESS

Top

Row 1: With desired color, ch 10, sc in 2nd ch from hook and next 8 chs, ch 1, turn.

Rows 2-3: Sc in each st across, ch 1, turn.

Row 4: Skip first st, sc in next 6 sts, skip next st, sc in last st, ch 1, turn (8).

Row 5: Sc in each st across, ch 1, turn.

Row 6: Skip first st, sc in next 4 sts, skip next st, sc in last st, ch 1, turn (5).

Row 7: Sc in first st, ch 1, turn.

Rows 8-10: Sc in st, ch 1, turn.

Row 11: 2 sc in st, ch 1, turn.

Row 12: 2 sc in first st, sc in next st, ch 1, turn (3).

Row 13: Sc in each of first 2 sts, 2 sc in last st, ch 1, turn (4).

Rows 14-16: Sc in each st across, ch 1, turn. At end of row 16, fasten off.

Join yarn at 2nd shoulder and repeat rows 7-16. Fold shoulders over and sew underarm seams tog for 3 rows from waist edge. Sew center back tog for 1 row.

Skirt

Rnd 1: Join yarn at center back seam, ch 3, dc in each st around with 2 dc at each underarm seam, join, ch 3.

Rnd 2: Dc in each st around, with 2 dc in each of 2 sts at underarm, join. Fasten off.

Rnd 3: Join white at back of dress, (sc, ch 3) in each st around, join. Fasten off. 