Residents like Rose

To celebrate the 10th birthday of Embracing Age, a rose crochet pattern in honour of one of the first care home residents we found a volunteer for called Rose.

Two sizes – medium and large.

Equipment:

- Red dk yarn
- 3.5mm crochet hook
- Large needle

A video instruction of the medium crochet rose can be found here:
https://youtu.be/IUArmvfOPwE

Medium Rose

Chain 36

Row 1: 6 ch in 6th chain from hook; [skip 2ch, {dc, 3ch, dc} in next stitch] x 8 times; [skip 2ch, {dc, 2ch, dc} in next stitch] x2; chain 1, turn

Row 2: [5dc in 2 chain space, slip stitch in gap between V's] x2; 6dc in 3 chain space, slip stitch in gap between V's; [7dc in 3 chain space, slip stitch in gap between V's] x2; [8dc in 3 chain space, slip stitch in gap between V's] x2; [9dc in 3 chain space, slip stitch in gap between V's] x2; [10dc in 3 chain space, slip stitch in gap between V's] x2

Pull about 6 inches of yarn through the last stitch.

Starting with the 5 dc clusters in the middle, arrange the petals in a spiral shape.

Use the 6 inches of yarn and the large needle to secure the rose at the back. The video shows you how to do this if further instruction needed.

Large Rose

Chain 54

Row 1: 6 ch in 6th chain from hook; [skip 2ch, {dc, 3ch, dc} in next stitch] x 13 times; [skip 2ch, {dc, 2ch, dc} in next stitch] x3; chain 1, turn

Row 2: [5dc in 2 chain space, slip stitch in gap between V's] x3; [6dc in 3 chain space, slip stitch in gap between V's] x3; [7dc in 3 chain space, slip stitch in gap between V's] x3; [8dc in 3 chain space, slip stitch in gap between V's] x3; [9dc in 3 chain space, slip stitch in gap between V's] x3; [10dc in 3 chain space, slip stitch in gap between V's] x2

Pull about 6 inches of yarn through the last stitch.

Starting with the 5 dc clusters in the middle, arrange the petals in a spiral shape.

Use the 6 inches of yarn and the large needle to secure the rose at the back. The video shows you how to do this if further instruction needed.