

# THE PLATTSVILLE HERITAGE

## POPPY PROJECT 2024

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Join us in making knit or crochet poppies that will be used to honour our Veterans in Plattsville, Bright and Chesterfield. Yes, we need lots of poppies!

**Materials Needed: Red and Black Yarn**  
**Knitting Needles or Crochet Hook: 5 mm**

### KNIT PATTERN

Designed by Susan Simms

Knitting Needle – 5mm

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#### Knit Abbreviations

K: knit | P: purl | K2tog: knit 2 together | (Sl1, K2tog, pss0): Slip 1 purl-wise, knit 2 together, pass slip stitch over

- Cast on 52 sts
- Work the next 8 rows as follows:
  - Right side: \*K10, p3\* repeat from \* to \* to end.
  - Wrong side: \*K3, p10\* repeat from \* to \* to end.
- Cut red.
- Change to black tying to red at needle.
- Next row: K2 tog across
- Next row: P across
- Next row: \*(Sl1, K2tog, pss0)\* repeat from \* to \* across to last 2 sts. K2 tog.
- Cut yarn and thread through the last stitches with a darning needle. Pull tight while removing from needle. Sew sides up with black, then with red. There should be no seam showing.



### CROCHET PATTERN

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Crochet Hook – 5mm

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#### Crochet Abbreviations

Ch: chain(s) | Dc: double crochet | Sc = single crochet | Sl st = slip stitch | (12) = indicates number of stitches at end of round

- Row 1: With black, Ch3, do not join. Do 11 dc into the last chain from the hook. Sl st into top of Ch 3 (counts as a dc). Ch 1 and pull yarn through. (12 stitches in total)
- Row 2: Change to red. Join to top of any black dc. Ch 3, work 1 dc in same st. Work 2 dc into each dc across making sure you do not create an extra st out of the join from the black row. Join with sl st to top of ch 3. 24 dc in total. Do not turn.
- Row 3: Ch 3, work 1 dc in same st. Work 2 dc in each of the next 3 dc, (8 dc group) \*sc into each of the next 2 dc, 2 dc in the each of the next 4 dc\*. Repeat from \* to \* ending with the 2 sc and joining with a sl st into the ch3 at the beginning of row. (4 sets of {8dc + 2 sc}). Do not turn.
- Row 4: Ch 3, work 1 dc in same st. Work 2 dc into each of the next 7 dc, \*sl st between the 2 sc of the previous row. Work 2 dc in each of the next 8 dc\*. Repeat from \* to \* 3 times. Sl st between the sc of previous row. Sl st to top of ch 3. 4 sets of 16 dc with sl st between. Pull yarn through loop and cut to tie off.

**Poppies will be collected until October 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024 and can be  
dropped off to the Plattsville Public Library.  
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