Ladies 'Lace -Rib' Beanie

Materials:
- 4mm hook (for size small)
- 5mm hook (for size large)
- 1 x 100gm ball - soft standard 8ply or similar. Yarn choice open. *Note*: always check yarn care instructions before laundering.

Tension:
Small: Rows 1&2 = 2 inch (5cm) diameter.
Large: Rows 1&2 = 2.5 inch (6.5cm) diameter.

If tension is out, change to larger or smaller hook accordingly.

Pattern Notes:

- Chains made at the beginning of certain rows will count as the first stitch. These places are noted throughout the pattern.
- Even though this piece is worked in the round, it is important to remember to TURN (ie, flip piece over so as to alternately work right and wrong sides) wherever the pattern instructs.

Pattern Abbreviations:
- Ch - Chain
- Sk - Skip
- Sc - Single Crochet (*inset hook, yarn over, pull through, yarn over, pull through both loops on hook.*)
- Dc - Double crochet (*Yarn over, insert hook, yarn over, pull through, yarn over, pull through first 2 loops, yarn over, pull through last 2 loops on hook.*)
- Sp - Space
- St - Stitch
- Sl st - Slip Stitch (*insert hook, yarn over, pull straight through loop on hook*)
- Beg - Beginning
- Brackets at the end of rows indicate how many stitches/shells you should have upon completion of that row.

Size: (*Head circumference*)
Small - 21 - 22 inch (53 - 56 cm)
Large - 22.5 - 23.5 inch (57 - 60 cm)
Size change is made by using an alternate size hook - see 'materials'.

Beanie:

Row 1 - Ch 4 (counts as 1ch + 1dc). *See pattern notes.*
Work 11 more dc in 4th ch from hook.
Join with sl st in 4th beg ch.
(12 dc in round)

Row 2 - Ch 3 (counts as 1st dc made).
Work 2dc in each dc. Sl st join in 3rd beg ch.
(24 dc in round)

Row 3 - Ch3 (1st dc made).
3dc in same place, sk1, sc, sk1, ch2.
Repeat from *to* 6 times.
Sl st join in 3rd beg ch. TURN *See pattern notes.*

Row 4 - Ch1. Sc in same place.
*Ch2, sc in next ch2 sp, ch2, work 3dc in next sc,
sk 2dc, sc in next dc*
 Repeat from *to* 6 times.
 End with sl st join in beg sc. TURN

Row 5 - Ch3 (1st dc made).
*3dc in sc, sk 2 dc, sc in next dc, skip ch2 sp, ch2,
3dc in next sc, sk ch2 sp, ch2*
Repeat from *to* 6 times.
Sl st join in 3rd beg ch. TURN

Row 6 - Ch1. Sc in same place.
*Ch2, sk ch2 sp, 3dc in 1st dc, sk 2nd dc,
sc in 3rd dc, sk ch2 sp, ch2, 3dc in next sc,
sk 2dc, sc in next dc*
Repeat from *to* 6 times.
End with sl st join in beg sc. TURN

Row 7 - Ch3 (1st dc made).
3dc in sc, sk 2dc, sc in next dc, sk ch2 sp, ch3
Repeat from *to* 12 times.
Sl st join in 3rd beg ch. TURN

Row 8 - Ch1. Sc in same place.
Ch3, sk ch3 sp, 3dc in next sc, sk 2dc, sc in next dc
Repeat from *to* 12 times.
End with sl st join in beg sc. TURN

Rows 9 - 21:
Alternately repeat rows 7 & 8.
Finish with a repeat of row 7.

*Check length before breaking off. If a longer length is
required, simply work extra repeats of rows 7 & 8.
Remember to finish on a repeat of row 7.*

Break off and fasten. ✍

Flower Motif:

Row 1 - Ch 4 (counts as 1ch + 1dc).
Work 11 more dc in 4th ch from hook.
Join with sl st in 4th beg ch. (12 dc in round)

Row 2 - Ch3 (1st dc made).
 Work 5dc in same st, ch1
Repeat from *to* 12 times.
Sl st join in 3rd beg ch.

Row 3 - Ch1, sl st over into 3rd dc. (ie, the centre dc
in the group of 5.)
Ch3 (1st dc made).
*Work 5dc into 3rd dc of each cluster of 5dc,
sc in ch1 sp*
Repeat from *to* 12 times.
Sl st join in 3rd beg ch.

Break off and fasten.

Position and pin flower onto beanie approx. 2 inches
from the edge. Using yarn and a darning needle,
secure flower onto beanie by sewing around the
centre circle of the flower.
For extra embellishment, sew a large button or large
beads into the centre of the flower to finish off.

Weave in all loose ends. ✍