



a tiny owl knits pattern

by Stephanie Dosen

Tiny cauldrons are good for holding shells and smooth stones. They are also perfect for cooking up a faerie stew!

Owl meter: beginner----advanced

Owl level:

Finished felted measurements: 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ in diameter

Yarns used: Super bulky wool such as:
Debbie Bliss Como 50 g - 46 yds - 42 m, 90% wool
10% cashmere, Soft grey, Color No 19003, No. of balls: 1

Tension/gauge:

Work 10 sts to measure 4" in St stitch using US 15 or 10 mm needles and super bulky wool.

Notions:

A pair of US 15 (10 mm) circular needles 16" long A set of US 15 (10 mm) dpns tapestry needle, stitch marker

Tiny owl stitch dictionary:
inc 1: knit into the front and back of the next stitch
k: knit

k2tog: knit the next two stitches together

Pattern notes:

Tiny cauldron is knitted in the round. Then, little handles are attached to the sides before the cauldron is felted.

Ready? Let's go!

Cauldron: (Switch to dpns when necessary.)

With size 15 circular needles, cast on 27 stitches, join in the round & place marker (switch to dpns when necessary.)

Next round: *k1, inc 1, repeat from *

Knit in the round until cauldron is 4 inches tall.

Decrease round: *k1, k2tog, repeat from *

Repeat decrease round until only 7 stitches total remain. Break yarn and thread yarn through remaining stitches.

Handles: Make 2

With size 15 needles, cast on 7 sts, knit 1 row, bind off. Stitch handles to either side of bowl using wool.

Felting the tiny cauldron:

Drench the cauldron with hot water and add a little bit of hand soap. (Try lavender or patchouli. Yum!) Squeeze the water out. Pop to the couch with a towel on your lap and put a movie on. Rub the bowl this way and that very vigorously for 45 min – one hour. It will felt better if its damp not soaking wet. Then put a tennis ball or a balloon in the bowl and set out so it dries in a nice round shape. It will stay in the shape you dried it in, so this part is important.



Happy tiny cauldron making! Love, Stephanie xoxo

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