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Convertible Ear Flap Ski Hat

This is a great project for the entire family, and is a wonderful use for any sock-weight yarn that you may want to use up!

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Size: Child's L

Skill Level: C 2 Easy

Fiber: Lion Brand Yarn Magic Stripes,
(330 yds/300 meters, 3.5 oz/100 grams) per skein

Color: Brown & Blue, 1 skein
(www.lionbrand yarn.com)

Hook Size: E US/3.5mm (add'l size: G US/3.5mm hook)

Notions: Darning needle, 6 x 8" piece of cardboard

Stitches Used: Sc, hdc

Ribbing Band

To Start: With size E hook, ch 8.

Row 1: Sc in back of 2nd ch from hook, sc in each ch across, turn.

Row 2: Ch 1, working in the back loop only, sc in each sc across, turn—8 sts.

Row 3–94 (or desired length): Rep row 2. Work until ribbing band is long enough to fit comfortably around the head.

Sideband & Tip

Row 1: With G hook, sc 1 st at the end of each ribbing row—94 sts (or total number of rows). Turn.



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