Rudolf the Reindeer (My Krissiedolls)

Needings:
- Crochet hook 2,5 mm
- 4 colors of yarn (make your own choice)
- stuffing
- 2 safety eyes 7mm

Yarn i used:
Brown for the head, body, arms and legs
Schoeller en Stahl Fortissima color: 2071
beige for the horseshoe, nose and eyemarks
Lana Grossa Meilenweit color: 1301
darkbrown for the antlers
Regia Uni 4-draads color: 2905
red for the nose
Atelier Zitron Trekking XXL color: 240

Abbreviations:
ch = chain stitch
slst = slip stitch
Sc = single crochet
Hdc = half double crochet
dc = double crochet
mc = magic circle
inc = increase
sc2tog = single crochet 2 togheter

The head

start with a MC in brown

round
1.   sc 6 times into the mc and pull the circle
2.   2 sc in every sc from the last round   (12)
3.   *1sc, sc inc * 6x   (18)
4.   * 2sc,sc inc* 6x   (24)
5.   * 3sc, sc inc* 6x   (30)
6.   * 4sc,sc inc* 6x   (36)
7.   *5sc,sc inc*6x   (42)
8.   *6sc, sc inc* 6x   (48)
9.   * 7sc, sc inc* 6x   (54)
10-12 sc around   (54)
13.   *8sc, sc inc* 6x   (60)
14.   *9sc,sc inc* 6x   (66)
15.   *10sc, sc inc* 6x   (72)
16-22. sc around   (72)
23.   *10sc, sc2tog* 6x   (66)
24.   sc around   (66)
25   *9sc, sc2tog* 6x   (60)
26   sc around   (60)
27.   *8sc, sc2tog* 6x   (54)
28.   sc around   (54)
29.   * 7sc, sc2tog* 6x   (48)
30 .   * 6sc, sc2tog* 6x   (42)
31.   *5sc, sc2tog* 6x   (36)
32.   *4sc, sc2tog* 6x   (30)

Dont cut the yarn! Fill the head firmly. Start with the snout. We will finish round 33-36 later. If you only use one skein of yarn take care you have enough yarn left cut the yarn and go further with the snout!

33.   *3sc,sc2tog* 6x   (24)
34.   *2sc, sc2tog* 6x   (18)
35.   *1sc, sc2tog* 6x   (12)
36.   *sc2tog* 6x   (6)
cut the yarn and close the head

Snout

Start with a MC in Beige

round

1.	sc 6 times into the mc and pull the circle	
2.	2 sc in every sc from the last round	(12)
3.	*1sc, sc inc * 6x	(18)
4.	* 2sc,sc inc* 6x	(24)
5.	* 3sc, sc inc* 6x	(30)
6.	* 4sc,sc inc* 6x	(36)
7.	*5sc,sc inc*6x	(42)
8.	*6sc, sc inc* 6x	(48)
9.	* 7sc, sc inc* 6x	(54)

change color to brown

10-16.	sc around	(54)
17.	* 7sc, sc2tog* 6x	(48)
18.	sc around	(48)
19.	* 7sc, 2sc inc* 6x	(54)
20.	sc around	(54)
21.	*8sc,2sc inc* 6x	(60)
22.	sc around	(60)

Cut the yarn long enough so you can sew the snout on the head. Fill the snout lightly and sew it on the head in round 6. fill the rest of the snout when you only need to sew 5cm more.

Eyemarks(make 2x)

Start with a MC in beige

round

1.	2sc, 1dc, 2sc, 1dc into the MC and pull the circle
2.	sc inc,sc inc, dc inc, sc inc, sc inc, dc inc
3.	1sc, sc inc, 1sc, sc inc, dc inc,dc inc,sc inc, 1sc, sc inc,1sc, dc inc, dc inc.
4.	1sc, 1slst

Cut the yarn and sew the eyemarks between round 19 of the snout and round 15 of the head with 9sc inbetween. Look to the picture below for the right position

pull the filling out of the head and place the safety eyes one round above the snout and one round from the beginning of the eyemarks. Fill the head again firmly and finish the head with round 33-36.

Body

Start with a mc in brown

rounds
1.   sc 6 times into the mc and pull the circle
2.   2 sc in every sc from the last round   (12)
3.   *1sc, sc inc * 6x   (18)
4.   * 2sc,sc inc* 6x   (24)
5.   * 3sc, sc inc* 6x   (30)
6.   * 4sc,sc inc* 6x   (36)
7.   *5sc,sc inc*6x   (42)
8.   *6sc, sc inc* 6x   (48)
9.   * 7sc, sc inc* 6x   (54)
10.   *8sc, sc inc* 6x   (60)
11.   *9sc,sc inc* 6x   (66)
12.   *10sc, sc inc* 6x   (72)
13-27. sc around   (72)
28.   *10sc, sc2tog* 6x   (66)
29-31. sc around   (66)
32.   *9sc, sc2tog* 6x   (60)
33-35. sc around   (60)
36.   *8sc, sc2tog* 6x   (54)
37-39. sc around   (54)
40.   * 7sc, sc2tog* 6x   (48)
41-42. sc around   (48)
43.   * 6sc, sc2tog* 6x   (42)
44-45. sc around   (42)
46.   *5sc, sc2tog* 6x   (36)
47-48. sc around   (36)
49.   *4sc, sc2tog* 6x   (30)
50-54. sc around   (30)

Fill the body firmly. Cut the yarn long enough so you can sew the head onto the body

Spot on the belly

start with a MC in beige

rounds

1.	 sc 6 times into the mc and pull the circle
2.	2 sc in every sc from the last round	(12)
3.	*1sc, sc inc * 6x	(18)
4.	* 2sc,sc inc* 6x	(24)
5.	* 3sc, sc inc* 6x	(30)
6.	* 4sc,sc inc* 6x	(36)
7.	*5sc,sc inc*6x	(42)
8.	*6sc,sc inc* 6x	(48)
9.	* 7sc, sc inc* 6x	(54)
10.	8sc, sc inc,8sc, sc inc,2 hdc, 1dc, dc inc, dc inc, 1dc, 2hdc,sc inc, 8sc, sc inc,8sc, sc inc.

Cut the yarn and sew the spot onto the belly

Legs (make 2)

make a magic circle with brown

round

1.	sc 6 times into the mc and pull the circle	
2.	2 sc in every sc from the last round	(12)
3.	*1sc, sc inc * 6x	(18)
4.	* 2sc,sc inc* 6x	(24)
5.	* 3sc, sc inc* 6x	(30)
6.	* 4sc,sc inc* 6x	(36)
7.	*5sc,sc inc*6x	(42)
8-12	sc around	(42)
change color to brown		
13.	sc around	(42)
14.	*12sc, sc2tog* 3x	(39)
15-16.	sc around	(39)
17.	*11sc, sc2tog* 3x	(36)
18-19.	sc around	(36)
20.	*10sc, sc2tog* 3x	(33)
21-22.	sc around	(33)
23.	*9sc,sc2tog* 3x	(30)
24-25.	sc around	(30)
26.	*8sc, sc2tog* 3x	(27)
27-28.	sc around	(27)
29.	*7sc, sc2tog* 3x	(24)
30-31.	sc around	(24)
32.	*6sc, sc2tog* 3x	(21)
33-34.	sc around	(21)
35.	sc2tog, 19v	(20)
36.	sc2tog,18v	(19)
37.	sc around	(19)

Fill the leg lightly and close it with sc. cut the yarn and sew the legs between round 4 and 10 of the body (see picture)

To create the horse shoe sew a long piece of yarn on round 12 and sew it around the beige part of the leg do this 2 times and pull it tightly!

Arms (make 2)

start with a MC in beige

round
1.   sc 6 times into the mc and pull the circle
2.   2 sc in every sc from the last round   (12)
3.   *1sc, sc inc * 6x   (18)
4.   * 2sc,sc inc* 6x   (24)
5.   * 3sc, sc inc* 6x   (30)
6.   * 4sc,sc inc* 6x   (36)
7-11.   sc around   (36)
change color to brown
12.   sc around   (36)
13.   *10sc, sc2tog* 3x   (33)
14-15. sc around   (33)
16.   *9sc,sc2tog* 3x   (30)
17-18. sc around   (30)
19.   *8sc, sc2tog* 3x   (27)
20-21. sc around   (27)
22.   *7sc, sc2tog* 3x   (24)
23-24. sc around   (24)
25.   *6sc, sc2tog* 3x   (21)
26-27. sc around   (21)
28.   *5sc,sc2tog*3x   (18)
29-30. sc around   (18)
31.   sc2tog, 16sc   (17)
32.   sc2tog,15sc   (16)
33-47. sc around   (16)

only fill the bottom part of the arm. close the arm and sew the arm on the body 1 round under the head.

antlers(make 2)

Start with a mc in dark brown

round
1.   sc 6 times into the mc and pull the circle
2.   2 sc in every sc from the last round   (12)
3.   *2sc , sc inc* 4x   (16)
4-11.   sc around   (16)
12-21. sc2tog, 5sc, sc inc,sc inc, 5sc, sc2tog   (16)
Start filling the antlers
22-27. sc around
cut the yarn but leave enough yarn to sew the antlers on the head. stuff the antlers lightly

antlers branch 1(make 2)

Start with a mc in dark brown

round
1.   sc 6 times into the mc and pull the circle
2.   2 sc in every sc from the last round   (12)
3.   *5sc,sc inc* x2   (14)
4-6.   sc around   (14)
7-9   sc2tog, 4sc, 2sc inc, 4sc, sc2tog   (14)

cut the yarn but leave enough yarn to sew the antlers on the antlers. stuff the antlers lightly

antlers branch 2(make 2)

Start with a mc in dark brown

round
1.   sc 6 times into the mc and pull the circle
2.   2 sc in every sc from the last round   (12)
3-5.   sc around   (12)
6-7.   sc2tog, 3sc, 2sc inc, 3sc, sc2tog   (12)

cut the yarn but leave enough yarn to sew the antlers on the antlers. stuff the antlers lightly. Place the antlers between round 18 and 23 of the head with 16sc in between. first sew the antlers on the head then sew the branches on the antlers

Ears (make 2)

Start with a mc in brown

round
1.   sc 6 times into the mc and pull the circle
2.   2 sc in every sc from the last round   (12)
3.   *1sc, sc inc * 6x   (18)
4-8.   sc around   (18)
9.   *sc1, sc2tog* 6x   (12)
10-11. sc around   (12)

Cut the yarn and sew the ears on the head just under the antlers.

Nose

Start with a mc in red.

round
1.   sc 6 times into the mc and pull the circle
2.   2 sc in every sc from the last round   (12)
3.   *1sc, sc inc * 6x   (18)
4-6   sc around   (18)

Cut the yarn sew the nose on the snout and embroider the mouth like the picture below.

Tail

Start with a mc in brown

round
1.   sc 6 times into the mc and pull the circle
2.   *sc, sc inc* 3x   (9)
3-27   sc around   (9)

cut the yarn and sew the tail on body. Place the tail in round 16 of the body

Have yourself
a merry little christmas