**LINCS & KNOTTS HELICOPTER CHALLENGE – CELEBRATING 30 YEARS**

We are so excited that you wish to take up your knitting needles and join us in creating the largest knitted and crocheted extravaganza ever seen in Lincolnshire and Nottinghamshire, in celebration of our 30th year.

**Taking part is as easy as knit one, purl one – just follow these simple steps**

**KNIT A HELICOPTER**

* Knit or crochet a helicopter and display it in your local hot spot. Shops, pubs, churches, libraries – let’s try and get a yellow helicopter in as many community places as possible.
* The helicopter knitting (by kind permission of Amanda Berry) and crochet pattern are attached. Or you may have your own helicopter pattern you wish to use.
* Give your helicopter to a local business and ask them to place in a prominent position. Ask them to keep it in situ for the whole of 2024. Take a photo and send to knitting@ambucopter.org.uk stating where your helicopter can be seen.
* If able, print off the tag and attach to your creation.
* We will record who sees your helicopter on our weekly Helicopter Spotter Map.
* Post an image on your social media and help spread the word.

**Help us create a wave of 1000 helicopters, post box toppers and yarn bombs across Lincs & Notts. Happy knitting and thank you for your support!**

Save the date – Air Ambulance Week takes place on 9th - 16th September. Communities across Lincolnshire and Nottinghamshire can celebrate through knitting the wonderful work of Lincs & Notts Air Ambulance and display their wonderful woolly creations.