

## 4-H CLOTHING DAYS

Rhodes Center

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### GENERAL GUIDELINES:

#### 1. Age of Participants

- 4-H Age as of 1/1/2024

#### 2. Participation Guidelines:

- All participants will take part in the judging indicated for their class.
- Counties may select one individual to participate in each class, J-1 through J-23.
- Participants must be enrolled in and have completed the project in which they are enrolled as listed in the 2024 Family Guide to 4-H. Note: It is unethical and strictly prohibited for members to switch from one project to another after completing the project.
- Individuals may participate in a total of 2 classes; they must be in different Style Revues.
- 4-H'ers who take more than one clothing project must complete separate learning experiences related to each, *including creating a separate, complete, total look outfit FOR EACH PROJECT* (ex. A top made for one project cannot be used in another project; an outfit used in one project cannot be used with an Outerwear project. All outfit components must be unique to that outfit).
- Once an individual wins a Clock Trophy in a particular class, they may not participate in the same class again.

#### 3. 4-H Clothing Project Evaluation and Registration: **(Please read before coming to judging)**

- Participants should arrive at the judging area dressed in the outfit they made or assembled according to the guidelines and information in their project book.
  - Dressing rooms are located at the lobby end of the Rhodes Center hallway on the right and will be available from 8:30 am to 6 pm. Dressing rooms are locked at 6 pm.
  - Dressing rooms are only for participants while they are being judged. Be considerate of space limitation and remove items at completion of style revue.
- Registration takes place in the judging area. Please be sure to have the following items for registration:
  - Participant letter signed by your County 4-H Youth Development Educator.
  - Completed Fashion Revue Narration Card.
  - Completed Project Book.
  - Items listed in State Fair Requirement sheet for the project.
  - Special awards forms (Harbage, MCE, Fashion Revue, Rising Star, or Consumer), if applicable.
  - State 4-H Fashion Board application, if applicable.
- While in the judging area, participants will complete an interview with a judge and a practice run-through for the style revue. Judges will evaluate knowledge, skill, and understanding of project techniques. The judges will be using the criteria on the score sheet (see sample score sheet and project requirement sheet).
- If the participant is 13 years of age or under, a parent/guardian must remain in the auditorium.

#### 4-H FASHION REVUE PARTICIPATION SCHEDULE

A.M. Style Revue – Registration 8:45-9:00 am; Judging 9:00 am; Style Revue 11:30 a.m.

P.M. Style Revue – Registration 1:15-1:30 pm; Judging 1:30 pm; Style Revue 4:00 p.m.

##### TUESDAY a.m. Style Revue

J-1 Terrific Tops (B)  
J-2 Clothing for Middle School (I)  
J-3 Creative Costumes (A)

##### WEDNESDAY a.m. Style Revue

J-8 Accessories for Teens (B)  
J-9 Sew for Others Jr. (I)  
J-10 Sew for Others Sr. (I)  
J-11 Dress Up Daywear (A)

##### THURSDAY a.m. Style Revue

J-17 Loungewear Jr. (I)  
J-18 Loungewear Sr. (I)  
J-19 em\*bel\*lish (I)  
J-20 Clothes for HS & College (A)

##### TUESDAY p.m. Style Revue

J-4 Sundresses & Jumpers (B)  
J-5 Shopping Savvy Jr. (I)  
J-6 Shopping Savvy Sr. (I)  
J-7 Dress Up Outfit-Formalwear (A)

##### WEDNESDAY p.m. Style Revue

J-12 Sew Fun Jr. (B)  
J-13 Sew Fun Sr. (B)  
J-14 Look Great for Less Jr. (A)  
J-15 Look Great for Less Sr. (A)  
J-16 Clothing for Your Career (A)

##### THURSDAY p.m. Style Revue

J-21 Designed by Me (B)  
J-22 Ready, Set, Sew Active! (I)  
J-23 Outerwear for Anywhere (A)

- **4-Hers must participate in interview judging AND the Style Revue to be eligible for awards.**
- **Individuals may participate in a total of 2 classes; *they must be in different Style Revues.***
- **4-H'ers who take more than one clothing project must complete separate learning experiences related to each, including creating a separate, complete, total look outfit FOR EACH PROJECT**

Note: B = Beginner, I = Intermediate, A = Advanced

## 4-H CLOTHING PARTICIPATION SCHEDULE

### OHIO STATE FAIR CLOTHING AWARDS AND SPONSORS

1. Each participant will receive a participation ribbon, sponsored by the Ohio State Fair.
2. "Outstanding of the Day" ribbons, are awarded to the top 20% of each class.
3. One overall clock trophy will be presented to one winner in each class during the Style Revue.
4. Awards are given at the discretion of the state fair clothing judges and assistant superintendents.
5. During the 4-H Style Revue, daily finalists for fiber awards and special awards will be announced during the afternoon fashion revue. The overall winners will be announced during the Thursday afternoon Style Revue.

#### FIBER AWARD:

**Wool Award:** Participants who do an outstanding job in using 100% wool or wool blend (minimum 60% wool or specialty wool fiber) in their garments will be eligible to compete for an award from the Ohio Sheep & Wool Program, the Ohio Sheep Improvement Association and Ohio Make it Yourself with Wool.

#### SPECIAL AWARDS requiring county nominations.

- Counties may nominate only one individual per award.
- Nominees cannot be considered for multiple special awards (Harbage, MCE, Fashion Revue, Rising Star and Consumer Clothing).
- Award winners cannot win any award more than once in their 4-H career.
- Applicants must present a completed Clothing Awards Cover Sheet and Ohio 4-H Achievement Record (with clothing emphasis) with an accompanying photo page when registering in their project judging area.

##### 1. HARBAGE FAMILY 4-H CLOTHING AWARD

- Nominee must be at least a junior in high school as of January 1, 2024.
- Selection is based on overall outstanding achievement in 4-H clothing and evidence of leadership skills throughout their involvement in the 4-H program, as submitted in the achievement record.

##### 2. MASTER CLOTHING EDUCATORS OF OHIO AWARD

- Senior Category (age 16 & up) Junior category (age 12 -15) as of January 1, 2024.
- Nominee must be enrolled in one of the clothing construction projects.
- Selection is based on overall outstanding achievement in 4-H clothing and evidence of leadership skills throughout their involvement in the 4-H program, as submitted in the achievement record.

##### 3. OHIO 4-H FASHION REVUE AWARD: (Sponsored by Donna Morton, Dorothy Lackman and Diane Jess)

- Nominee must be enrolled in one of the clothing construction projects.
- Selection is based on total look outfit and overall outstanding achievement in 4-H clothing, as submitted in the achievement record.

##### 4. RISING STAR: (Sponsored by Asst Clothing Superintendents)

- Nominee must be age 8-11 as of January 1, 2024.
- Nominee must be enrolled in one of the clothing construction projects.
- Selection is based on 4-Her's goals and aspirations as told through the submitted 4-H story.

##### 5. OHIO 4-H CONSUMER CLOTHING AWARD (Sponsored by Michael Affinito and Emily Winters)

- Nominee must be enrolled in a clothing consumer project (Shopping Savvy or Look Great for Less).
- Selection is based on total look outfit and overall outstanding achievement in 4-H clothing, as submitted in the achievement record.

## STATE FAIR CLOTHING PROJECT GUIDELINES

Outfit components may not be used in two different state fair clothing projects. All projects are to be made by and for the exhibiting 4-H'er (with the exception of Sew for Others, to be worn by another person). Bring project book for all projects.

- J-1 TERRIFIC TOPS:** Wear the top you constructed with accessories for the total look.
- J-2 CLOTHING FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL:** Wear the garment you constructed (garment with sleeves or a skirt or pants plus a top) along with assembled outfit and accessories for the total look to wear to school.
- J-3 CREATIVE COSTUMES:** Wear the costume you made for yourself. You will be judged on the mastery of the project book in addition to the garment constructed. **(If the project is repeated for multiple years, a new costume category must be selected.)**
- J-4 SUNDRESSES & JUMPERS:** Wear the sundress or jumper you constructed with accessories for the total look.
- J-5 & J-6 SHOPPING SAVVY:** (Junior 8-13; Senior 14+) Wear a total look outfit assembled according to the information in your project to convey the image you wish to project to the judges. However, you will be judged on mastery of the project book rather than the outfit worn unless the outfit was put together to complete an activity within the project. Bring completed poster, pages or visual showing completed activities.
- J-7 DRESS-UP OUTFIT - FORMAL WEAR:** Wear the dress-up garment you constructed for formal wear and accessories for the total look.
- J-8 ACCESSORIES FOR TEENS:** Wear at least one accessory you made with the outfit for which it was designed. Outfit components may not be used in another state fair clothing project.
- J-9 & 10 SEW FOR OTHERS:** (Junior 8-13; Senior 14+) It is desirable, but not required, for the "other" to be present to show an outfit you made at the judging and Fashion Revue. If the other cannot be present, simply bring the garment you made to show the judge. **We limit the number of "others" and outfits to no more than one "other" outfit per entrant. Choose one outfit that best represents your work to bring to the State Fair. If the project is repeated for multiple years, a new category of "other" must be selected.**
- J-11 DRESS-UP OUTFIT - DAY WEAR:** Wear the dress-up garment you constructed for day wear and accessories for the total look. Outfit components may not be used in another state fair clothing project.
- J-12 & J-13 SEW FUN:** (J-17 Junior 8-10; J-18 Senior 11+) Wear the garment you made using an "easy" or "beginner" pattern (skirt, shorts, pants, or capris with a full elastic waistline). You do not need to bring your pin cushion or sewing box to the fair.
- J-14 & J-15 LOOK GREAT FOR LESS:** (Junior 8-13; Senior 14+) Wear the "total look" outfit you put together as inexpensively as possible. The total look includes clothing, accessories, jewelry, shoes, etc. It is acceptable to use an item or two from those you already own but remember this is a shopping project and the majority of your total look should be items purchased using skills you've learned while doing this project. Bring completed poster, pages or visual showing completed activities.
- J-16 CLOTHING FOR YOUR CAREER:** Wear the outfit you made. The outfit should have at least 2 pieces, appropriate for the job, work or an interview (suit, uniform or work outfit). Outfit components may not be used in another state fair clothing project.
- J-17 & J-18 LOUNGEWEAR:** (Junior 8-13; Senior 14+) Construct the outer layer of a lounging outfit. Participants will need to clear on what they are considering their outer lounging garment to be judged. Make or select other garments and accessories (sleepwear and footwear) to complete your outfit.

- J-19 em·bel·lish:** Bring the previously made garment or ready-to-wear garment selected from your wardrobe or a ready- to-wear garment that you embellished. Select other garments and accessories for a total look outfit. Bring completed activities, *Talking it Over* pages and completed notebook with at least 3 samples of embellishment techniques you tried, including the technique you used on the garment you selected. Outfit components may not be used in another state fair clothing project.
- J-20 CLOTHING FOR HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE:** Wear the garment you constructed (minimum of two pieces or a one-piece garment with sleeves plus some other fashion detail not tried before).
- J-21 DESIGNED BY ME:** Wear your decorated top (with the 2 embellishment methods you used) with the completed outfit you assembled for a total look. Bring completed poster, pages or visual showing completed activities.
- J-22 READY, SET, SEW ACTIVE!:** Wear the garment you constructed for active sports.
- J-23 OUTERWEAR FOR ANYWHERE:** Wear outer garment constructed and accessories for the total look. Outfit components may not be used in another state fair clothing project.

### 2023 Clock Trophy Winners

Class	Name	County	Award
Accessories for Teens	Ariannah Kitchen	Union	Trophy
Clothing for HS & College	Carley Strayer	Logan	Trophy
Clothing for Middle School	Jenna Canale	Portage	Trophy
Clothing for Your Career	Aubree Moore	Clark	Trophy
Creative Costumes	Ingrid Erickson	Clermont	Trophy
Designed by Me	Ava Ranker	Stark	Trophy
Dress Up Daywear	Lily King	Delaware	Trophy
Dress Up Formalwear	Sydney Hamilton	Highland	Trophy
em·bel·ish	Olivia Phillips	Mahoning	Trophy
Look Great For Less, Jr	Madalee Kurtz	Union	Trophy
Look Great for Less, Sr	Emma Vochum	Highland	Trophy
Loungewear, Jr	Lauren Albright	Huron	Trophy
Loungewear, Sr	Kensley Parker	Clinton	Trophy
Outerwear for Anywhere	Emma Coakley	Fairfield	Trophy
Ready, Set, Sew Active	Quinn Schwartz	Tuscarawas	Trophy
Sew for Others, Jr	Elizabeth Waldron	Butler	Trophy
Sew for Others, Sr	Jodie Dorsten	Mercer	Trophy
Sew Fun, Jr	Madison Grisez	Franklin	Trophy
Sew Fun, Sr	Clara Reitzel	Williams	Trophy
Shopping Savvy, Jr	Lucy MacLaren	Licking	Trophy
Shopping Savvy, Sr	Aressa Ruggles	Huron	Trophy
Sundresses and Jumpers	Kathryn Keller	Licking	Trophy
Terrific Tops	Darcy Jones	Sandusky	Trophy

### 2023 Special Award Winners

Fashion Revue	Delilah Breon	Champaign County
Master Clothing Educator, Jr	Kensley Parker	Clinton County
Master Clothing Educator, Sr	Isabel Seibert	Tuscarawas County
Harbage Family Clothing Award	Sydney Hamilton	Highland County
Rising Star	Morgan Grisez	Franklin County
Consumer Clothing Award	Jenna Canale	Portage County
Wool	Cora Reimenschneider	Portage County
Wool	Carley Strayer	Logan County