

2011 Linn County Fair



Fashion Review / Clothing Selection

Judging—Wednesday June 22nd, 2011

Registrations due to the Extension Office June 15, 2011

Fashion Show

July 10, 2011— 1:00pm • Free Entertainment Tent

Rules

1. A 4-H'er, 4th grade and up, may participate in both the county Clothing Selection and Fashion Revue. Participants selected for State Fair must be senior members and may represent the county at State Fair in only one event in a given year. If participant is not selected, then garments/accessories may be entered in the county fair as a clothing exhibit. Outfits or accessories which are worn in the Fashion Review/Clothing Selection Program may not be entered as a State Fair exhibit from the county.
2. Ribbons will be presented to participants at the fair Fashion Show.

Clothing Selection

1. Entrants must be in 4⁺ grade by September 15, 2010.
2. Entrants must select and/or purchase an outfit that represents the 4-H'ers goal or intended use for the selected outfit.
3. Entrant should plan and carry out a shopping experience that includes choosing shopping alternatives, evaluating fit, quality and construction features, price and cost comparison.
Note: Outfits may be selected and/or purchased from any source, including consignment shops, used clothing stores, etc. Clothing items which are home-sewn are not eligible unless the completed garment was purchased from a used clothing source. Clothing items which are custom sewn specifically for the participant are not eligible.
4. Linn County may send three participants to the State Fair Clothing Selection program. Participants must be one girl, one boy, and possibly one alternate. They must be senior members (9th - 12th grade by September 15, 2010) and not have previously represented Linn County in State Fair Clothing Selection.

Fashion Revue

1. Entrants must be at least 4⁺ grade by September 15, 2010.
2. Entrants must model one garment or outfit that they constructed, hand-knitted, machine-knitted, or crocheted during the current 4-H year.
3. Garments or outfits consisting of one to three pieces, such as party clothes, tailored suits, vest, slacks, skirt, active sportswear and/or coats are acceptable in this category.
4. Blouses and sweaters are usually considered as garments. If they are used under a coat or jacket for a touch of color at the neck (similar to a scarf) they may be made **or** selected.
5. All other accessories and undergarments may be made **or** selected.
6. Entrants must be enrolled in the clothing project this 4-H year.
7. Four participants may be selected to represent Linn County in the State Fair Fashion Revue program with no more than two participants from any one category (female, male or minority). They must be senior members (9th-12th grade by September 15, 2010) and enrolled in the clothing project for 2011.

The \$15 Challenge

1. Entrants must be at least 4th grade by September 15, 2010.
2. Outfits must be purchased from a garage sale, consignment store or resale shop (i.e. Goodwill, Salvation Army or other store of this type). Hand-me-downs or clothing as gifts that were selected by the 4-H'er belong in Clothing Selection.
3. Cost of outfit must be \$15.00 or less, not including shoes, accessories or undergarments.
4. Receipt(s) MUST be turned in with Clothing Event Form.
5. The purchased outfit should represent the 4-H'er's goal or intended use for the selected outfit.
6. Entrants should describe their experiences in choosing shopping alternatives, evaluating fit, quality and construction features, price and cost comparison.
7. Linn County may send up to three participants to the State Fair \$15.00 Challenge Program. Participants must be one girl, one boy, and possibly one alternate. They must be senior members (9th-12th grade by September 15, 2010), enrolled in the clothing project for 2011 and not have previously represented Linn County in State Fair \$15.00 Challenge Program.

State Fair Clothing Event: August TBA

Area Intermediate Clothing Event: August TBA (Two intermediates will be chosen for this event)