

What is the Clothing Revue?

The purpose of the 4-H Clothing revue is to Clothing Revue participants get the opportunity to show the clothing they have made, upcycled, or purchased. *Check your county fairbook for specific details in each county.* Special Awards may be given.

- Youth will wear their outfit and accessories to show to a judge.
- Youth will write a description about their outfit, which will be read while they showcase the outfit for a judge.
- Youth will then talk about their outfit with a judge and receive constructive feedback on the overall look from a judge. (see judging sheet for criteria).



What can I make? Clothing Exhibits include items such as: skirts, dresses, tops, shorts, pants, coats, etc. that you made from a pattern or designed yourself. (please see your county fair book for a full list of items.). Outfits must be sewn by the youth participant.

What is a purchased outfit? Exhibitors in Burnett and Washburn County may purchase a ready-made outfit from a store and model it in the revue. The purpose of this category is to show how an outfit can highlight one's features. The exhibitor must keep and show receipts of costs associated with outfit and accessories for complete outfit.

What is a modified/upcycled outfit? This is a purchased outfit that you have made significant modifications to. It might be something you cut apart and put back together. Something you added too. It must look significantly different.

Why can't I find all of these options listed for my county? Each county updates their fairbooks at different times and in different ways, and with different criteria. If it's not in your fairbook, we're sorry.

**Outfits will be worn for the judge, Items are scored on the overall look, including accessories -- please see judge sheet and fair book for additional information.*

Written descriptions/Narratives for all pieces must be turned in prior to the event.

Introduction: Name, age, 4-H Club, county

Things to include:

What did you make?

How do you describe it?

Why did you choose to make what you made? Why did you choose the fabric?

Is there anything unique about the garment?

What is one thing you learned while constructing your outfit?

Conclusion:

Where do you plan to wear this? How does this fit your lifestyle?

Example: Christine Clover a 7 year old from the Lucky Clovers 4-H Club in Z county made a pink tie-dye skater dress out of a stretchy cotton fabric. She chose to make this dress because it is fun, yet fancy. She can wear it to school or a party! The fabric she picked is light and washable. Christine says her dress is unique because of the flair to the skirt on the bottom. She learned that sewing on stretchy fabric can be hard! Christine is excited to wear this dress to her grandpa's 70th birthday party!

Clothing Revue Construction Evaluation Sheet

Name: _____ Club/County: _____

Grade: _____ Age (as of Jan 1) _____

Division/Class/Lot: _____

Article Shown: _____

Judge's Section

| | Needs Work | Acceptable | Well Done | Comments |
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| The Outfit <ul style="list-style-type: none">• style• color• event appropriate | | | | |
| Fit <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Shoulder seams and neckline• Sleeves• Bustline, hipline, and waistline | | | | |
| Construction methods <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Good choices• Workmanship• Neatness | | | | |
| Accessories <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Complementary to outfit• Good number• Color, design, and texture | | | | |
| The Exhibitor <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Well groomed• Good posture and presentation• Knowledgeable and enthusiastic | | | | |
| Presentation (card) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Well written• Creative/Creates Personality | | | | |

Additional Comments

Placing _____