



Western National Roundup 4-H Fashion Revue

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Rules

Eligibility

- A. A State/territory/District of Columbia is allowed only one entry in only one division of a contest in a national 4-H competitive event each year. An entry is an individual, in the events where individuals compete against individuals only, or a team in events where total team scores are computed and recognition given to the team. Individuals may be recognized in those events that are primarily team events.
 1. Each state is invited to enter two contestants per category (Clothes You Make or Clothes You Buy)
 2. Participants may be selected by any procedure that the state deems appropriate.
- B. Entries not officially entered will not be permitted to participate for any reason.
- C. An individual may enter a National 4-H competitive event in a specific program area only once. Participating members of a team entry (even if they are designated alternate by low score) are ineligible to enter the same event again as a part of another team.
- D. The eligibility requirements to enter a National 4-H Competitive Event are:
 1. Contestant must already have passed his or her 14th birthday, and may not have reached his or her 19th birthday, as of January 1 of the year in which the National 4-H Competitive Event is held*. However, the State 4-H Leader may grant a special authorization to compete, for youth with developmental disabilities who exceed the upper age limit.
 2. All contestants must be members of 4-H in the state they are representing during the year in which the National 4-H Competitive Event is held.*
 - i. *The January dates for the Western National Roundup Fashion Revue event are considered part of the previous year for the purpose of allowing all youth to compete in the national horse events in their last year of eligibility. (Approved by 4-H NPL and Director, Youth Development, F4-HN/CSREES June 1, 2004)
 3. The contestant(s) or team(s) of contestants must be certified as the official state entry by the State 4-H Leader or by a person designated by the State 4-H Leader. The individual(s) or team(s) may be selected by any procedure the State 4-H Leader believes is appropriate.

4. The contestant, his or her county 4-H staff member, and the State 4-H Leader must certify as follows on the application form or an accompanying memo:

"This contestant has not participated in post-secondary coursework in the subject area of the national 4-H competition, nor has he or she participated in training for post-secondary competition in the subject area of the national 4-H competition." Violation of this will result in forfeiture of any awards or recognition which have been won in the National 4-H Competitive Event.

- E. Contestants must not have participated in any post secondary (university, college, junior college, or technical school) competitive public speaking contest. Neither can a contestant be a member of a post secondary team undergoing training in preparation for such an event.
- F. All participants must first qualify through the represented state and meet all the state eligibility rules.

Contest Rules

1. Two contestants from each state can be entered in each of the following categories (maximum of four participants from each state):
 - a. Clothes You Make
 - b. Clothes You Buy
2. The garment/outfit modeled at the state level to qualify for this contest must be the same outfit/garment modeled at Roundup.
3. Each contestant must submit a full-length photo of themselves in their outfit no later than November 16, 2009.
 - a. Email to Lindsey Moniz at lmoniz@uwyo.edu
 - b. Include name, state, and category
4. Contestant order will be determined by a random drawing and announced at the coaches' meeting.
 - a. The schedule will be set up in half hour time blocks with a maximum of five (5) contestants per block. Contestants should be ready to model at the beginning of their assigned time block.
5. Contestants will have five (5) minutes to model.
 - a. Participants will use the public address system to introduce themselves before modeling.
 - i. Time limit of 1½ minutes
 - ii. Contestant can choose what he/she would like to tell the judges, but the following must be covered:
 1. Name and state
 2. Why did you choose this outfit?
 3. How does it fit in your wardrobe?
 4. Where do you plan to wear it?
 5. If it has been embellished, how?
 - b. Contestants will follow their introduction with modeling.
 - i. Judges will have the opportunity to ask questions if they would like more information.
 - c. Music will be provided.
 - d. The contestant's introduction will take place of any narrations.

- e. Changing rooms will be available for contestant use.
- 6. Ties will be broken by the judges
- 7. Judges will use the Western National Roundup Fashion Revue Evaluation Form.

Awards

Awards will be announced and ribbons will go to the top five (5) contestants.

Entry Information

All entry information, including registration instructions, registration forms, notes on headquarters and lodging, deadlines, and instructions & procedures (including to whom to send registration and payment) is consolidated on the Western National Roundup website at www.westernnationalroundup.org

HEADQUARTERS AND LODGING

The headquarters hotel for this event will be the Renaissance Denver Hotel, 3801 Quebec Street, Denver, CO 80207; (303) 399-7500. Special rates are available for all participants. Please refer to the hotel link on the website for hotel information, rates and reservation form. Reservations must be made directly with the hotel by December 10.