

June 3, 2021

Dear Clothing Project Member,

At this time, we are planning for a face to face fair event. The hope is that the COVID-19 cases remain low in Ellis County and we will not have to make any changes. Please be aware that if things change in the next few weeks, we may have to move to a different approach for judging 4-H Fashion Revue entries. We will keep everyone up to date via our website, on Facebook and through emails. We will offer an alternative to face to face judging for those who are not comfortable in coming together. Just let us know.

Construction **and** Style Revue Judging will take place on Thursday, July 8th, in the afternoon at the Unrein Family Building on the Ellis Co. Fairgrounds. The Public Revue will follow the judging, beginning at 6:30 p.m. **We will send out a link to schedule your judging times after the June 15 deadline.** It will also be posted to the Ellis Co. 4-H County Fair page for your information.

In order to complete plans for this event, we need to have the enclosed entry form returned to our office by **Tuesday, June 15.** Additional forms are available from the office or on-line at [www.cottonwood.ksu.edu](http://www.cottonwood.ksu.edu) Ellis 4-H - Events – Ellis Co. Fair link.

**You will also need to enter all exhibits into the Ellis County Fair on-line FairEntry.com system by July 1.** Go to <https://www.fairentry.com/Fair/SignIn/14990> and sign in using your 4-H Online user name and password. A copy of the help guide for this process is posted to the Ellis Co. 4-H Fair website. (Ellis 4-H – Events – Ellis County Fair)

**Each item will need to be entered into the FairEntry system.** A 4-H entry tag will be printed from these entries and will be ready for use at the judging event.

If you plan to enter your item for construction judging, but it will not be modeled (items such as a sewing box, backpack or pillows), just mark the area: “This item is to be judged for construction only” on your entry form. **All constructed garments and items will be interview judged on Thursday, July 8<sup>th</sup>, too.**

The theme for the 2021 fair is “Ellis County Fair Safari – It’s a Jungle Out There!”. Please complete the description card as you wish to have it read as you model. To help in writing the description, please check out the enclosed handout and Inspiration form in this mailing. It is only for your use and does not need to be returned. You can find a “form-fillable” version of this card and the script card at [www.cottonwood.ksu.edu](http://www.cottonwood.ksu.edu) – 4-H – Events - Ellis County Fair. **We will accept script cards until July 1.**

**Fashion Revue Judging sheets are required for each outfit and are due at check in on July 8.** These forms will then be displayed at the Fair. ***The judging sheet must be fully completed with photos attached by July 8.***

Participants should enter through the Schenk Building doors. Plan to arrive and be ready at least 15 minutes prior to your assigned judging time. Participants who would like to practice walking across the stage should plan to arrive for “modeling practice” at 5:45 p.m.

Remember, a Life Skills Judging Contest will also be held on the 8<sup>th</sup>, and a new and different one on the 13<sup>th</sup>, so plan to participate.

Let us know if you have questions. We’re looking forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,



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