

2019 State Information Make It With Wool Competition

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STATE CONTEST: Saturday, November 23, 2019, 9:00 a.m.
Adams County Extension Office
2975 South Baltimore Ave., Hastings, NE

Entry Deadline: October 15, 2019
Narration Deadline: November 1, 2019
Contest Competition starts at 9:00 a.m.
Fashion Show 1:00 p.m.

Nebraska MIWW information website:
<https://extension.unl.edu/statewide/dawson/>

The object of the Make It With Wool Contest is to promote the beauty and versatility of wool fabrics and yarns; to encourage personal creativity in sewing, knitting, crocheting, spinning and weaving of wool fabrics and yarns; and to recognize creative skills.

COMPETITION CATEGORIES

Age will be determined as of January 1, 2019

- Preteen, ages 12 & under
- Junior, ages 13-16
- Senior, ages 17-24
- Adult, age 25 and older
- Made for Others

PERCENTAGE OF WOOL FIBER CONTENT

The fabrics/yarns used for the wool contest must be 100% wool or wool blend (minimum 60% wool or specialty wool fiber) for each fashion fabric or yarn used. Specialty wool fibers include alpaca, angora, camel, cashmere, llama, mohair, and vicuna.

HAVE YOU CHECKED YOUR WOOL FIBER CONTENT?
Any questions call Andrea Nisley, 308-324-5501

New National MIWW website: www.makeitwithwool.com



All entries are due by October 15, 2019

There will be no district competitions
ONLY a State Contest.

NATIONAL & STATE ENTRY INFORMATION & FEES

All participants must pay the wool testing fee, state entry fee and national entry fee.

- ⌘ A \$12 entry fee per division must accompany each Preteen, Junior, Senior, Adult and Made for Others contestants' entry with National registration form.
- ⌘ A \$10 entry fee per division must accompany Preteen, Junior, Senior, Adult and Made for Others contestants' entry with the State registration form.
- ⌘ A \$7 wool testing fee per 5 X 5 inch fabric swatch and/or 36 inch length of yarn must accompany Preteen, Junior, Senior, Adult and Made for Others contestant's entry with the State registration form and entry fee.

Send one 3 X 3 inch of each wool fabric and/or 12 inch length of each yarn with the entry form to Lynda Johnson. Then send two 5 X 5 inch of each wool fabric and/or 36 inch length of each yarn with the entry form to Andrea Nisley.

All fabrics and yarns must be tested for percentage of wool prior to the state competition by Yocum-McColl Testing Labs, Inc. One 5-inch sample and/or one 36-inch will be sent on to the wool lab for testing by State Director.

NATIONAL ENTRY FORM — MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO: National MIWW

- Mail entry form, check and wool sample(s) to:
National MIWW, Lynda Johnson, PO Box 215, Encampment, WY 82325;
lyndajane13@aol.com; Phone: 307-399-6723

STATE ENTRY FORM — MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO:

Nebraska State Make It With Wool

- Mail a copy of the entry form, check and wool sample(s) to:
Andrea Nisley, P.O. Box 757, Lexington, NE 68850
Phone: 308-324-5501 (work) or 308-325-6498 (cell)

Entry fees are non-refundable.

*Entries are not complete without all information, fabric samples and fees.
Make It With Wool is not responsible for late, misdirected or lost entries.*

E-mail NARRATIONS by NOVEMBER 1, 2019 to: anisley1@unl.edu

DISTRICT I

Counties: Arthur, Banner, Box Butte, Chase, Cheyenne, Cherry, Dawes, Deuel, Dundy, Garden, Grant, Hooker, Keith, Kimball, Morrill, Perkins, Scottsbluff, Sheridan, Sioux

Co-Directors:

Rosalene Tollman, 211 Squaw Mound Rd, Marsland, NE 69354,

Phone: (308) 665-2415

Doris Rush, 80620 Co Rd 19, Scottsbluff, NE 69361,

Phone: (308) 635-0156, email: quilterzrule@gmail.com

DISTRICT II

Counties: Adams, Blaine, Boyd, Brown, Buffalo, Custer, Dawson, Franklin, Frontier, Furnas, Garfield, Gosper, Greeley, Hall, Harlan, Hayes, Hitchcock, Holt, Howard, Kearney, Keya Paha, Lincoln, Logan, Loup, McPherson, Phelps, Red Willow, Rock, Sherman, Thomas, Valley, Webster, Wheeler

Director:

Crystal Fangmeier, 673 Road 6800, Hebron, NE 68370,

Cell Phone: (402) 768-4183, email: tc.fangmeier@gmail.com

DISTRICT III

Counties: Antelope, Boone, Butler, Burt, Cass, Cedar, Clay, Colfax, Cuming, Dakota, Dixon, Dodge, Douglas, Fillmore, Gage, Hamilton, Jefferson, Johnson, Knox, Lancaster, Madison, Merrick, Nance, Nemaha, Nuckolls, Otoe, Pawnee, Pierce, Platte, Polk, Richardson, Saline, Sarpy, Saunders, Seward, Stanton, Thayer, Thurston, Washington, Wayne, York

Director:

Sarah Purcell, P.O. Box 160, Syracuse, NE 68446,

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PRIZES

Nebraska will choose a Junior winner and a Senior winner at the Nebraska State competition for a trip to the National Contest. Both will represent the state in the National finals, January 23-25, 2020 Scottsdale, Arizona.

Adult state winner submits garment, photos, video and information forms to the National MIWW Competition. The adult contestant from each state will be judged and one overall winner from all states will be awarded travel and accommodations to attend the National Competition.

2019 NEBRASKA MAKE IT WITH WOOL

STATE COMPETITION INFORMATION



2018 State Make It With Wool Contest Winners

Katie Olson, Preteen Division; Saidi Ringenberg, Junior Division (National Junior 1st runner-up); Abigail Olson, Senior Division (National Senior 3rd runner-up); and Judy Stewart, Adult Division

Sponsors for 2018 were

Nebraska Sheep & Goat Producer Association
Alice Doane in memory of Ted, Waverly
Bernina Sewing Center, Lincoln
Dawson County 4-H Foundation
Quality Sew & Vac, Grand Island
Pendleton Woolen Mills, Portland, OR
Yocum-McColl Testing Laboratories, Denver, CO
High Hill Farm, Mary Ann Nipp, Arlington
Henry Hampshires & Show Lambs, Blue Hill
Lancaster Farm Bureau

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Charles & Margaret Reppert, Pender
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