

2017 State Information Make It With Wool Competition

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STATE CONTEST: Saturday, November 18, 2017, 9:00 a.m.
Lancaster Extension Education Center,
444 Cherrycreek Road, Lincoln, NE

Entry Deadline: October 15, 2017
Narration Deadline: November 1, 2017
Contest Competition starts at 9:00 a.m.
Fashion Show 1:00 p.m.

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

COMPETITION CATEGORIES

Age will be determined as of January 1, 2017

- Pre-Teen, 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 mohair, cashmere, alpaca, camel, and llama.

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

National MIWW website: <http://www.nationalmakeitwithwool.com>



All entries are due by October 15, 2017

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 Pre-Teen, Junior, Senior, Adult and Made for Others contestants' entry with National registration form.
- ⌘ A \$10 entry fee per division must accompany Pre-Teen, 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 Pre-Teen, Junior, Senior, Adult and Made for Others contestant's entry with the State registration form and entry fee.

Send one 5 X 5 inch of each wool fabric and/or 36 inch length of each yarn with the entry form to Mary Roediger. 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.

NATIONAL ENTRY FORM — MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO: NATIONAL MIWW

- Mail the top copy of the form, check and wool sample(s) to: National MIWW, Mary Roediger, PO Box 123, Albany, OH 45710; Phone: 740-591-5149

STATE ENTRY FORM — MAKE CHECK MAKE PAYBLE TO: Nebraska State Make It With Wool

- Mail the second 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, 2017 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,
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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,
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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:

Diane Bolin, 607 238 Street, Eagle, NE 68347,
Phone: (402) 781-2304, email: kdbol1987@windstream.net

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, February 1-3, 2018, San Antonio, Texas.

The overall state winner in the Adult category will submit garment, photos, video and information forms to the National Contest. The adult contestant from each state will be judged and one overall winner from all states will be awarded a trip to the National Contest.

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STATE COMPETITION INFORMATION



2016 State Make It With Wool Contest Winners

**Amaya Stewart, Pre-teen Division; Charmayne Popp, Senior Division;
Abigail Olson, Junior Division (National Junior 3rd place);
and Merna Hanson, Adult Division (National Adult 7th place)**

Sponsors for 2016 were

Nebraska Sheep & Goat Producer Association	Waverly Grange
Nebraska Sheep Breeders	Lancaster County Farm Bureau
Northeast Sheep Breeders	Mary Ann Nipp, Arlington
Mid-States Wool Growers, Winchester, OH	Harry & Jeanne Hart, Cozad
Alice Doane in memory of Ted, Waverly	Pete & Kyla Olson, Sargent
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Bernina Sewing Center, Omaha	First State Bank, Scottsbluff
Sew Creative, Lincoln & Omaha	Doris Rush, Scottsbluff
Horizon Bank, Waverly	First Bank & Trust Company, Cozad
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