



DEPARTMENT I
NATURAL FIBERS AND WOOL LEAD
 Superintendent - Jeanine Corn-Best

SHOW - FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2016
 5:00 p.m. in the Sales Arena

Entries must be submitted by Monday, September 26, 2016.

Entry fee is \$5.00

The objectives of this contest is to provide a fashion parade of imaginatively attired participants in wool garments and give spectators the opportunity to appreciate the wool industry.

DIVISION 1-WOOL

Category 1 Handmade
 Category 2 Readymade

Superintendent reserves the right to combine categories at any time based on participation.

Classes

GARMENT ONLY - No Lead Lamb

- A. Pre-school, age 5 and under
- B. Novice, age 6-8
- C. Junior, age 9-13
- D. Senior, age 14-19
- E. Adult, age 20+

CONTESTANT AND EWE

- F. All ages - for Wool Pelt

*If competing with Ewe, please check appropriate box on entry form. Animals must have hauling papers, ownership papers, and scrapies tag if sexually intact. Animals may be washed on grounds.

RULES

1. To be eligible, contestants must be residents of Eastern New Mexico counties that are otherwise eligible to enter the Eastern New Mexico State Fair.
2. Major articles of clothing may be handmade or readymade but must be of at least 60% wool. Non-wool accessories are permissible.
3. Ready Made articles must be made in the USA and contain the manufacturer's tag stating origin and fiber composition. Superintendent or designate may check tags at any time. The outfit should be in step with current fashion and complement the contestant.

4. Clothing construction will be judged only as it affects the final appearance of the garment on the contestant. Garments should fit well and be neatly constructed.

5. Entry forms must include an information and commentary sheet. Participants entering online should submit the commentary by email to enmsf@cablone.com once entry is complete.

6. Poise, grooming, balance and attitude of the contestant will be judged. Hair style, makeup and accessories should enhance the total appearance.

7. Contestants will be judged on one natural fiber only and must designate desired division on entry form.

CONTESTANT AND EWE

1. The ewe should be attractively fitted and groomed, but not colored or in any way artificially prepared for the show. The ewe should be clean, washing of ewe is optional, smoothly blocked in long wool (wool should be at least one inch long), in good condition, alert, stylish and well balanced.

2. The contestant need not own the ewe. No ewe may be shown by more than one contestant.

3. The ewe should respond calmly to the halter and stand quietly when handled by the judge. Ease and calmness in handling the ewe will contribute significantly to good showmanship.

4. Stall facilities will be available.

5. Ewes must be on the grounds by 1:00 p.m. on Friday, October 7, 2016 and will be released after contest.

JUDGING

Awarding of points will be made on the following standard. The contestant awarded the highest number of total points in each class will be declared the winner. In case of a tie, bonus points will be given for creativity and originality. All entries will receive a ribbon.

CONTESTANT

Judging the Contestant
 General Appearance & Fashion Consciousness
 Selection & Fit of Outfit
 Personality and Poise

EWE

Fitting of the Ewe
 Ease and Calmness at Halter
 General Appearance
 Wool Marketability



NATURAL FIBERS AND WOOL LEAD AGENDA

October 7, 2016 - 1:00 p.m.

Sheep due on grounds

October 7, 2016 - 2:00 p.m.

Orientation-Bring Garment

October 7, 2016 - 5:00 p.m.

Natural Fibers and Wool Lead Contest will begin.

ANIMALS WILL BE RELEASED AFTER SHOW

DIVISION 2-Natural Fibers

Natural fiber is defined as a naturally occurring renewable fiber ex: silk, cotton, etc..

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- Selection & Fit of Outfit
- Personality and Poise

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