



Textiles Revue 2016 Strafford and Rockingham Counties

What is Textiles Revue?

Textiles Revue is an annual 4-H event between Strafford and Rockingham Counties that allows youth to display their work in the textile arts. Youth in textiles projects learn life skills such as time and money management, patience, perseverance, measuring and mathematical skills and goal setting. Any project made from textiles may be exhibited, such as: clothing, accessories, tents/sleeping bags, quilts, home décor items etc.

The Textiles Revue Program takes place over two separate dates, a judging day on Saturday, April 30th and a Textiles Exhibition on Friday, May 6th. Youth over 12 years of age who score highly in either the intermediate or advanced categories will be nominated to participate in a state level fashion event during State Activities Day on June 4th, 2016 at UNH.

- **Textiles Project Judging is April 30th at the Lee Congregational Church on 17 Mast Rd in Lee, NH from 9 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.**
- **The Textiles Revue Exhibition is May 6th at Barrington Middle School at 20 Haley Drive in Barrington, NH. Youth should arrive at 5:00PM**

How Can I Register?

All entries are due online through our web platform 4-H Online, **by April 24th.**

Entries include a brief description of the number, style and category of your textiles projects.

Completed textiles project information sheets (formerly known as entries) should be completed **ONLY by youth 12 years old and up.**

**Youth must bring them to Textiles Judging Day,
fully completed (including narrations), on April 30th.**

*******No late submissions will be accepted.*******

If you cannot participate in garment judging because of a serious conflict, accommodations may be made for you. Please contact the County Office as soon as possible to make special arrangements. Garments must be judged to be eligible for State Activities Day.



Textiles Revue Entry Categories

All entries must be completed using 4-HOnline by April 24th, 2016. Youth 12 and over must complete more detailed information sheets and bring them to judging day on April 30th.

4-H Textiles Revue

1. A Worn Garment for You or Another
2. A Textile Accessory, Home Décor Item or Outdoor Gear

Any garment or textiles project (accessory, home décor item, outdoor gear) made by a 4-H'er since May 2015. They may be sewn, knit, crocheted etc. You may enter up to two different outfits/projects in Textiles Revue. Sheep project members who sew outfits for lead line classes at the fairs are also encouraged to enter.

When you bring your garment/project to judging day: Double check projects for loose threads. All items should be finished, clean and pressed. Be sure to bring any items needed to model or display your project (i.e. accessories, shoes, a method of hanging) Don't forget your pattern guide and completed garment description form, including your script, with your name and County written on it.

4-H Fashion Selections

Is for those youth who just *love to shop*, but more important love to shop for bargains. You will model your selected garment/outfit and be interviewed by the judges. Additional information is at: <http://extension.unh.edu/Rockingham-County/Fashion-Events>

4-H Textiles Exhibition

Friday, May 6th at Barrington Middle School. Please arrive at 5:00pm to get ready, have an opportunity to practice and enjoy each other's company! Anyone who has made a garment or textile project will have the opportunity to model or display it on stage.

There will be snacks and drinks available for purchase. Bring a packed lunch for a quick dinner break but realize we have no refrigeration or kitchen access, so please bring your own cooler and ice packs to keep cold foods cold.

Other Opportunities to Be Involved in Textiles Revue

Basket Raffle: We will be having a basket raffle at the Textiles Exhibition on May 6th. Every bit counts, as many of us know when we are measuring and cutting, so if you can donate one item, or a whole basket, we are grateful for it all! Raffle baskets are open-ended so please bring any item you think a 4-H'er would be happy to bid on. If you would like to contribute you can drop the item off on Saturday, April 30th at the registration table, or bring it during prep time at the Exhibition on Friday, May 6th. Proceeds help defray the costs of Textiles Revue.



SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

April 30th: Evaluation Day/Judging for all Textiles Projects

9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Construction and modeling judging at Lee Congregational Church

May 6th: Textiles Revue and Exhibition

4:00 p.m. Seniors set up stage for evening program

5:00 p.m. Participants arrive for prep and rehearsal of evening program

5:45 p.m. Final assembly before show

6-6:30 p.m. Dinner break, snacks and beverages for sale by local clubs.

6:45 p.m. Line up for show

7:00 p.m. Exhibition begins

9:00 p.m. Awards program followed by clean-up.

** If youth choose to get ready for the event at Barrington Middle School please remember to bring all they would need; brushes, make-up, etc. Also, please pack youth at least one bottle of water so they are able to re-fill and stay hydrated throughout the evening. **

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