

2008 TEXAS 4-H CLOTHING AND TEXTILES PACKET

NARRATOR CONTEST

Responsibilities

Four 4-H'ers will be selected to serve as narrators for the Texas 4-H Fashion Show Awards Program. Those chosen as narrators may not participate in State Fashion Show (or vice versa.)

Qualifications

- A 4-H member must have passed their 14th birthday but not their 19th birthday on August 31, 2007 to be eligible.
- Experience in public speaking.
- Demonstrate an interest in speaking before large groups.
- Interest and/or experience in narrating fashion shows.
- Have a Roundup schedule which does not conflict with Fashion Show events.
- Participant must not have been selected and/or participated as one of the top four state winners in the narrator contest.
- Narrators selected to serve as the Texas 4-H Fashion Show Narrator may NOT participate in another Texas 4-H Roundup competition on the day of the Fashion Show.

Selection

Applicants are to return the following:

- 2008 Texas 4-H Fashion Show Narrator Application Form
- CD, DVD or VHS video tape (to fit in standard VCR, DO NOT use a Super VHS recorder) of narration, using the Script for Texas 4-H Fashion Show Narrator Applicants (PDF)

Please send only one tape and do not send any materials not requested. Narration should be read as if on stage before an audience. It is a very festive and fast moving event. Applicants should pay attention to phrasing, pronunciation, and pace as models are on stage. Use a microphone and DO NOT add background music to your narration. Wear appropriate clothing, such as Sunday attire.

Narrators will be expected to pay the Roundup registration fee and to observe all Roundup regulations. The CDs, DVDs or video tapes will not be returned.

Judging Criteria

Applicants will be judged on the following:

- Poise and self-confidence
- Pronunciation and enunciation of the script
- Voice clarity
- Audience appeal

Application Due Date

Friday, December 27, 2007

Send form and video tape to
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4-H Clothing Advisory Board
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If sending UPS, use the following address
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