

**412 - SEW FOR OTHERS**

## CLOTHING PROJECTS

- ✿ Member MUST participate in County Project/Interview Judging or 4-H Project will be INCOMPLETE.
- ✿ Member must attend **FCS (Family Consumer & Sciences) Project Judging Day** to be eligible for County Placement and State Fair Selection (if applicable).
- ✿ If the member cannot make Project Judging, your project can be judged at Early Judging. However, Early Judging participants will not qualify for County Placement or State Fair.
- ✿ The **Fashion Revue** will be in July; refer to May Family Hotline or your advisor for location and time.
- ✿ Project must be displayed at the Ross County Fair to receive fair premiums.
- ✿ **For Project Judging Dates & Times & Details:**  
ASK your Club Advisor  
READ the *May Family HOTLINE* sent to every 4-H family  
LOOK on the 4-H website <http://ross.osu.edu>

**Note:** It is a State Rule that members cannot use the same garments for judging in two projects. Each project must have a different total look outfit. *Example:* A member cannot make accessories (for their Accessories for Teens Outfit) to go with their Outer Layer Project.

**SKILL LEVEL:** Intermediate & Senior Levels

\*Designed for members who have completed at least one previous clothing project.

**COMPLETION:**

1. Complete all 7 activities and all Talking It Over questions
2. Complete at least 2 Learning Experiences
3. Complete at least 2 Leadership/Citizenship activities.
4. Construct one complete outfit OR adapt three different garments for a disabled person. The person the garment is made for will need to model the garment for clothing project judging.
5. If the project is repeated, a new category of "others" must be selected each time.
6. Use appropriate seam finishes for the garment. Appropriate finishes would include: edge stitched seam finish, zig zag seam finish, serged seam finish, or other more advanced finishes. Just pinking a finish is not acceptable. Some fabrics (ex. fleece or some knits) may not require a seam finish, if they do not fray.

**JUDGING:**

Bring completed project book and pattern to Judging. Bring clothing or accessories made or purchased for project and be prepared to wear your "complete look" outfit at Judging. Changing rooms will be available.

**4-H FASHION REVUE:**

A **4-H Fashion Revue\*** for Junior (11 years & younger), Intermediate (12 & 13 years), and Senior (14 years & older) is held prior to the Ross County Fair. Please check with your advisor for date, place, and time. 4-H members are encouraged to participate in this activity, but it is not a requirement for completion of a clothing project.

(\*age as of January 1)

**COUNTY FAIR EXHIBIT:**

1. To receive fair premium, outfit assembled for judging must be displayed in a fair booth in the Jr. Fair Building.
2. The **4-H Style Revue** (Modeling award) is held on **Friday** of the Ross County Fair at 12:00noon at the Bandstand. Line up in the Jr. Fair Building at 11:30am for this event.

**STATE FAIR COMPETITION:**

1. State Fair participants will be selected during county-level competition on **FCS Project Judging Day**.
2. Event: Clothing Days. Completed project book and outfit. It is desirable, but not required for "other" to wear the outfit.

