# 2015 Travis County and District 10 4-H Textile Contest

#### \*\*\* Youth may enter the county contest only or the county and the District 10 Contest \*\*\*

- There is no fee to enter the county contest if you're a registered 4-H member. If youth is not a registered 4-H member, there is a \$10.00 entry fee.
- Participants must follow District 10 guidelines (**below**) for county contest entries.
- If entering the county only contest, submit your items to the extension office by April 25<sup>th</sup>
- If entering the District Contest, youth must register on 4-H Connect by April 16<sup>th</sup> and deliver items to the extension office by April 25<sup>th</sup>
- Cory will take all district entered items on May 1<sup>st</sup> or families may take the items themselves.

#### **GUIDELINES**

- May enter any item constructed from fabric or textile material (ex: crochet, needlework).
   Entries may be garments that <u>are not entered in the Fashion Show</u>.
- May enter any item constructed as an accessory to a garment.
- May be constructed from a pattern, a kit, or be an original design.
- Each participant is limited to one single item per entry division.
- Item must have been made within the current year: May 1, 2013 to District Contest (May 3, 2014).
- Any 4-H member that participated in their county 4-H Clothing & Textile project is eligible to participate.
- 4-H member must attach one (1) entry card per item.

#### **ENTRY DIVISIONS**

- Jewelry examples: earrings, necklace
- Household Item examples: blanket, pillowcase, rug
- Kitchen Item examples: pot holder, place-mat, apron
- <u>Accessory Item</u> examples: hair bow, purse, flip-flops with ribbons tied on (meant to be worn with a garment)
- <u>Embellished Item</u> purchased item that has appearance altered by use of embellishments. Examples: tote with iron-on transfer applied, pillow with lace border sewn on, etc.
- Holiday Textile Item holiday decorations. Any holiday item using fabric and/or other sewing notions. Examples: ornaments, tree skirts, pumpkins, Easter rabbits, etc.

#### **AGE CATEGORIES**

- Junior 8, 9 or 10 years old as of August 31, 2014
- Intermediate 11, 12 or 13 years old as of August 31, 2014
- Senior 14 to 18 years old as of August 31, 2014

#### **AWARDS**

- Blue, Red, White Quality ribbons will be given in each entry division of each age category.
- A Best of Show winner will be picked from Blue Quality division winners in each division and an overall Best of Show Quality ribbon will be awarded in each age division.

#### **ENTRY INSTRUCTIONS**

- Registration is due on 4-H Connect by April 16, 2015.
- Enter your item(s) at the designated area on the same day as the District 10 Fashion Show on May 1<sup>st</sup>. Need not be present to enter.
- Public viewing will be open after judging.
- Pick up entries and awards before the awards program begins.

#### **JUDGING EVALUATION CRITERIA**

- 1. **Originality** 20 points
  - Item displays creativity and originality and/or uniqueness.
- 2. **Presentation/General Appearance** 20 points Item is neat and clean; nicely pressed
- 3. Workmanship 20 points
  - Item is well constructed and stitching (if applicable) is uniform and neat. Techniques used were appropriate for the item.
- 4. *Use of Design Elements* 20 points
  - Line, form/shape, color/value and texture are appropriate for the item.
- 5. Use of Design Principals 20 points

Proportion and scale, balance, rhythm, emphasis and unity, or harmony, are appropriate for the item.

- o Proportion is the relation of various parts in the whole design
- Scale refers to the overall size of an item compared with other objects, shapes or space.
- Balance is the sense of equilibrium and repose (symmetrical and asymmetrical)
- o Rhythm is the repeated use of lines, shapes, colors, trims, or detail that create a pattern.
- Emphasis is the focal point of interest.
- Harmony presents a pleasing visual effect.

### 2015 District 10 4-H Textile Show

(Attach an entry card to each item entered)

| Name:                |        |                  |                               |  |
|----------------------|--------|------------------|-------------------------------|--|
| Birthdate:           |        |                  |                               |  |
| Age Division: Junior | Interi | mediate          | Senior                        |  |
| Pattern              | Kit    |                  | Original Design               |  |
| Entry Division:      |        | l                |                               |  |
| Household Item       |        | Kitchen Item     |                               |  |
| Jewelry              |        | Embellished Item |                               |  |
| Holiday Textile Item |        | Accessory Item   |                               |  |
|                      |        |                  |                               |  |
|                      |        |                  | Textile Show th item entered) |  |
| Name:                |        | County:          |                               |  |
| Birthdate:           |        |                  |                               |  |
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| Jewelry              |        | Embellished Item |                               |  |
| Holiday Textile Item |        | Accessory Item   |                               |  |

## 2015 DISTRICT 10 4-H TEXTILE SHOW SCORECARD

(Please complete one scorecard for each entry)

|   |             |              |              |                        | Name:    |
|---|-------------|--------------|--------------|------------------------|----------|
|   |             |              |              |                        |          |
| Name:   |             |              | County:      |                        | County:  |
| Age Division: _ Junior  | -           | Intermediate | _ Senior     | Age as of Aug 31, 2013 | Category |
| Category: Household Item                                      |             | •            | Jewelry Item |                        |          |
| (Circle One) Kitchen Item                                     |             |              | Embellished  |                        |          |
| Holiday Tex   | tile Item   |              | Accessory    |                        |          |
| Name of Item:   |             |              | •            |                        |          |
| Judging Criteria  | Commer      | ıts          |              |                        | Score    |
| Originality (20 pts.)   |             |              |              |                        |          |
| Item displays creativity and                                  |             |              |              |                        |          |
| originality and/or uniqueness.                                |             |              |              |                        | 1        |
|   |             |              |              |                        | -        |
|   |             |              |              |                        |          |
| Presentation/General Appearance                               | e (20 pts.) |              |              |                        | _        |
| Item is neat and clean; nicely pressed                        |             |              |              |                        |          |
| proceed   |             |              |              |                        |          |
|   |             |              |              |                        | 1        |
| Workmanship (20 pts.)   |             |              |              |                        |          |
| Item is well constructed and                                  |             |              |              |                        | 1        |
| stitching (if applicable) is uniform                          |             |              |              |                        | -        |
| and neat. Techniques used were appropriate for the item.      |             |              |              |                        | _        |
|   |             |              |              |                        |          |
| Use of Design Elements (20 pts.)                              | 1           |              |              |                        |          |
| Line, form/shape, color/value and                             |             |              |              |                        |          |
| texture are appropriate for the item.                         |             |              |              |                        | †        |
|   |             |              |              |                        | -        |
| Use of Design Principals (20 pts.                             | )           |              |              |                        |          |
| Proportion and scale, balance,                                |             |              |              |                        | 1        |
| rhythm, emphasis and unity or harmony are appropriate for the |             |              |              |                        | 1        |
| item.   |             |              |              |                        | -        |
| (Maximum Score 100 ) Total                                    | ı           |              |              |                        |          |