

Ogle County 4-H Fair Fashion Revue Information

Preparation: Participants must bring their exhibit on a hanger, along with the pattern instructions, if they were used. The Clothing Committee will provide clear plastic bags again this year. Participants are asked to bring garments on a hanger with a swivel hanger.

Narrative Instructions: Submit your own narrative for the Fashion Show. **This is what will be read while you are modeling during the Fashion Show.** Some editing may occur. The narrative must be:

- Typed as a MS Word document
- Double-spaced
- Approximately 125 – 135 words in length (Longer narratives will be edited.)
- Written in third person (see examples provided below)

When writing your Fashion Revue narrative, consider the following information:

- A lead statement that creatively introduces the model
- Name (required)
- Club (required)
- Clothing project in which enrolled (required)
- Indicate if purchased or sewn by member (required)
- Age
- Details on construction, style, and accessories
- Type of garment: casual, dressy, etc.
- Where the garment will be worn
- What was learned in completing the project
- Include two or three interest, hobbies, activities, or future career plans

The narrative must be brought to judging.

Examples of Fashion Revue Narratives

How do you outfit a girl on the go? Cindy Staten models the answer in this classy green cotton dress which she constructed for her Sewing 3 project. The dress is versatile enough to wear to school, a choir competition, or any summer party. The dress features a back zipper and skirt with three ruffles. Cindy discovered that ruffles are hard to sew but she overcame the challenge! For added flair, Cindy placed small jewels near the shoulder straps of the dress. She is keeping her accessories simple by wearing silver hoop earrings and silver sandals. Twelve year old Cindy is from Ogle County 4-H Club. She enjoys many sports and is active in her school drama club. Way to go Cindy!

Jenny Graham looks stylish in her brightly colored sundress and pink jacket. Jenny is 13 years old and a member of the Busy Bees 4-H Club. This is her first year in Clothing Decisions. Jenny purchased her garment to wear to her cousins wedding. She likes the bright colors and the classic fit. The sundress features thick straps and a fitted bodice that flows into a full skirt. Jenny is wearing multicolored earrings and bracelets along with a short jacket to bring the entire outfit together. Jenny's interests include cheerleading, dance, and gymnastics. In the future, she plans to be a teacher. Keep up the good work Jenny!