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TOP WINNERS NAMED IN PANHANDLE 4-H FASHION SHOW

Amarillo - Panhandle 4-H members from twenty counties competed in the District 1 4-H Fashion Show on Saturday April 21st at Texas AgriLife Research and Extension Center, Amarillo. Youth advanced to this competition after placing first in their individual county competitions and the first place winners of the senior division will advance to Texas 4-H Roundup which will be held June 11-15 at Texas Tech University in Lubbock, Texas.

The clothing and textiles project consists of three divisions: constructing an outfit, buying an outfit, or designing, planning and illustrating an outfit. Public speaking is reinforced through individual contestant interviews, records are kept and judged and then the youth are able to participate in the public display, or style show, of their outfit. Educational goals of the project include:

- Attain a broad knowledge of the 4-H project and related activities as to the way they improve family and community life.
- Acquire life skills through project participation essential for becoming an active, skilled, productive and responsible citizen.
- Adopt and apply the latest practices and research findings in the project area to everyday project experiences and work.
- Develop an understanding from 4-H project training and experiences which can assist you in the future for choosing and preparing for a job.
- Develop leadership skills that promote positive youth development.

Youth also participated in Fashion Storyboard competition. The purpose of the Fashion Storyboard contest is to give 4-H members an opportunity to create a storyboard of their original design. It also provides the members an opportunity to gain knowledge of the career responsibilities of a fashion designer and illustrator, enhance creativity and originality, and develop visual communications skills.

Over 100 boys and girls competed in these activities and recognition awards were given following the style show. Winners of the 2012 District 1 4-H Fashion Show are as follow:


Intermediates: 1-Neeley Curry, Randall; 2-Hannah Hommel, Donley; 3-Coral Parks, Armstrong.

Construction Dressy-Juniors: 1-Acacia Barker, Carson; 2-Madison Todd, Dallam; 3-Charlotte Craft, Donley. Also participating: Cayman Ivins, Moore; Rosie Wright, Oldham; Kodi Hicks, Potter.

Intermediates: 1-Abigail Ely, Sherman; 2-Bailey Been, Hartley; 3-Sydney Knox, Armstrong. Also participating: Jamie Lear, Ochiltree; Shyanne Bailey, Potter; Molly McCrary, Randall.


Construction Specialty-Juniors: 1-Ashby Dauer, Carson; 2-Kesleigh Shields, Dallam; 3-Elizabeth
Craft, Donley. Also participating: Bryce Killian, Sherman.
Intermediates: 1-Emily Boschen, Randall; 2-Hannah Reagan, Dallam.
Seniors: 1-Ashley Byers, Carson.
Buying Active-Intermediates: 1-Jayton Ferry, Moore.
Buying Dressy-Juniors: 1-Tavianna Williams, Randall; 2-Baylee Blaydes, Hall; 3-Emily Johnson, Donley.
Intermediates: 1-Laura Corder, Potter; 2-Zadee Mizer, Randall; 3-Jessica Hardisty, Oldham.
Seniors: 1-Jaci Wagner, Oldham.
Buying Formal-Seniors: 1-Jessica Fischbacher, Moore; Joni Wagner, Oldham; Paula Adams, Deaf Smith.
Intermediates: 1-Joanna Garner, Armstrong; 2-Kaleigh Meador, Randall; 3-Lilly Carr, Donley.
Seniors: 1-Shelby O'Keefe, Donley.
Seniors: 1-Rachel Smith, Deaf Smith

Winners of the 2012 Storyboard competition are:

Fashion Story Board Wearable-Juniors: 1-Casandra Holland, Wheeler; 2-Ashby Dauer, Carson; 3-Rachel Detten, Deaf Smith. Also participating: Angel Alaniz, Briscoe; Baylor Cruse, Briscoe; Jordin Lynn, Briscoe; Baylee Blaydes, Hall; Kinzy Fields, Hall; Coral Hernandez, Hall; McKenzie Lopez, Hall; Katelyn Mills, Hall; Abigail Perez, Hall; Rylee McKay, Hartley; Madelyn Sawyer, Hemphill; Emery McCown, Hutchinson; Amanda Schoenhals, Lipscomb; Jayci Stokes, Moore; Bryce Killian, Sherman.
Intermediates: 1-Savannah West, Hartley; 2-Coletta Holland, Wheeler; 3-Dara McCowen, Hutchinson. Also participating: Branson Cruse, Briscoe; Jennifer Miller, Briscoe; Haley Mitchell, Briscoe; Avery Byard, Hall; Bailee McKay, Hartley; Vanessa Munoz, Hutchinson; Chloe Burleson, Hutchinson; Callie Ford, Lipscomb; Sarah Meier, Lipscomb; Kaleigh Meador, Randall.
Seniors: 1-Mary Ann Spurlock, Sherman; 2-Joanna Louder, Deaf Smith; 3-Cheyenne Powell, Wheeler. Also participating: Sarah Walton, Dallam; Bailey Duke, Lipscomb; Viviana Ruiz, Moore; Sammie Hardisty, Oldham.

Fashion Story Board Accessory-Juniors: 1-Sierra McCutchan, Moore. Also participating: Suzanna Santos, Briscoe.
Intermediates: 1-Abigail Ely, Sherman. Also participating: Naylee Hernandez, Hall.
Seniors: 1-Adelaide Briones, Moore; 2-Rochelle Fangman, Oldham.

Fashion Story Board Jewelry-Juniors: 1-Sydnee Baten, Moore
Seniors: 1-Erika Munoz, Moore.

Intermediates: 1-Russell Spurlock, Sherman; 2-Jayton Ferry, Moore.
Seniors: 1-Rachel Smith, Randall; 2-Kristal Borunda, Moore; 3-Cierra Alvarado, Wheeler.

Fashion Story Board Pet Clothing-Juniors: 1-Ashlyn Schilling, Lipscomb. Also participating:
Trenton Barker, Briscoe; Estaban Alaniz, Briscoe; Cody Crump, Briscoe; Veronica Mitchell, Briscoe; Kamber Salazar, Briscoe; Beverly Whitaker, Briscoe; Ezree Williams, Briscoe.

Top Model in each age category:
  Junior - Abby Burkham, Randall.
  Intermediate - Jayton Ferry, Moore.
  Senior - Jodie Detten, Carson