

Memorandum

TO: District 7 County Extension Agents
AG, 4-H

SUBJECT: 2025 Wool & Mohair Judging Contest

EVENT DATE: Friday, May 9th, 2025

LOCATION: San Angelo Stock Show Fairgrounds
San Angelo

ENTRY DEADLINE:

- Contestant – 4-H ONLINE (Opens April 7th & closes April 21st)

FEE: \$10 per contestant

*Any entries made after closing date of 4-H Online will incur a \$50 late fee in addition to the original contest fee.
(Pending late entry is approved based on timeline needed for contest preparation)*

Please find the Guidelines, Rules and Regulations for this event on the following pages. Please contact the District 7 Office if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

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District Specialist – 4-H & Youth Development

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Contest Superintendent



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**DISTRICT 7 WOOL & MOHAIR JUDGING CONTEST
GUIDELINES, RULES AND REGULATIONS**

AGE DIVISIONS

The following contestant ages are as of **August 31, 2024**:

- JUNIOR – minimum age 8 and in the 3rd grade- 5th grade
- INTERMEDIATE – grades 6th-8th
- SENIOR –grades 9th- 12th (Maximum age- 18 as of August 31, 2024)

FEES

- \$10 per contestant

ENTRIES

Any individual/team not registered that shows up to the contest will not be allowed to compete.

Beginning in 2022, the Wool and Mohair Judging Contests will be combined into one competition. Participants will compete in the wool and mohair divisions.

The Wool and Mohair Judging Contest is an Invitational Contest at Texas 4-H Roundup.

There will be NO REFUNDS for teams/individuals that don't show up to the contest. If you miss the registration deadline you will be required to pay the late registration fee.

The wool contest is now an invitational contest at Texas 4-H Roundup

Teams will consist of three (3) or four (4) members. The scores of the three (3) highest scoring team members will count as the team's score with the low scoring member automatically becoming the alternate. Alternates and individual scores can be counted for individual awards.

***NEW policy for accommodations requests for events:**

- **Requests for accommodations must be submitted to the District Office from the County Office at least 2 weeks prior to the event.**
- **This request must be accompanied by official documentation in one of the following options for why the request is being submitted :**
 - **A) Official doctor's note from a licensed medical professional**
 - **B) School documentation and/or evaluation from a public institution**
 - **C) Official evaluation from a licensed professional therapist and/or diagnostician**
- **Note: The documentation and request are required within the appropriate timeline outlined for the event in order for the accommodation to be considered but does not guarantee that the requested accommodation can be made.**
- **The request will be reviewed by the district office (and when necessary, in consultation with the state office).**
- **Request and documentation will be kept confidential within the appropriate county/district staff and event administrators.**

SCHEDULE

- 9:30 AM Check in
- 10:00 AM Contest Begins

CLASSES

Mohair

Two (2) classes of four (4) fleeces each will be placed, and reasons checked. Twenty mohair samples will be evaluated for fineness.

Wool

Judge two (2) classes of wool and complete an evaluation form on each. Evaluate 20 fleeces for grade, staple length, and yield.

AWARDS

- Determined by contest officials.