

Greenwood County Fair Book Changes for 2025

Consultation Judging/ Judging Schedule

Consultation judging is not a requirement, but it is highly encouraged that you attend

- **Saturday, July 19**
 - Indoor Exhibit Consultation Judging (Excluding Plant Science, Foods, Clothing and Visual Arts)
- **Wednesday, July 23**
 - Fiber Arts Consultation Judging
 - Shopping in Style and Fashion Revue Judging
 - Sewing and Textile Design
 - Public Fashion Revue of all 4-H Clothing Projects
- **Friday, July 25**
 - Plant Science Judging
 - Foods and Visual Arts Consultation Judging
 - Poultry Judging @ 4 PM

Sewing and Textile Design

- Three entries are permitted unless the exhibitor is entering Garment Made for Other than four entries are permitted
- One copy of the Cost Per Wear Form for each entry
 - Form can be found on GW Co website

Shopping in Style

- Two entries are permitted unless the exhibitor is a Senior and entering Outfit Purchased For Other then three entries are permitted
- Choose an activity from the respective age groups assigned Units
 - Example: Juniors – Unit 2 discusses what colors would look best based on different hair colors or skin tones: purchase a garment that matches color suggestions and then include that information on your poster or tri-fold.
- Shopping in Style Book can be found on GW Co website

Fashion Revue

- One copy of the Clothing Information Sheet and Cost Per Wear Form for each entry
 - Form can be found on GW Co website

Ag Mechanics Welding

- Each class is broken into 3 categories: Junior (7-9), Intermediate (10-13), and Senior (14-18) – previously listed as years of experience in project
 - Welding Display Board is now COUNTY ONLY
 - Refer to the Kansas State Fair book for guidelines/rules

Building Block Engineering

- Added a COUNTY ONLY Class: Exhibit made from kit

Computer Science

- Added 2 Classes
 - o Coded website built entirely by 4-H Member
 - o Microcontroller or Microcomputer application

Education Project Exhibits

- Clarification that the Veterinary Science exhibit needs to be a display, notebook, or poster
 - o Refer to the Kansas State Fair book for guidelines/rules

Entomology

- Exhibitors need to be aware of what species are threatened/endangered. They are not allowed to be included in entomology collections and will be dropped a ribbon placing
 - o Refer to the Kansas State Fair book for guidelines/rules

Foods

- For food safety purposes, any food with custard and dairy-based fillings and frostings (ex. Cream cheese regardless of sugar content), raw eggs, flavored oils, “canned” bread or cakes in a jar, cut fresh fruit or any food requiring refrigeration (ex. Bacon) or unbaked exhibit with raw flour (ex. No bake cookies) will be disqualified and not judged.
 - o Added reference: KSRE- Food Safety of Frostings and Fillings MF3544 publication (on website)

Food Preservation

- Class clarification
 - o Any Dried Food (one small jar)

Forestry

- Class changes
 - o Forestry Collection
 - o Notebook or Display
 - o Refer to the Kansas State Fair book for guidelines/rules

Geology

- Class changes and addition of a new Class
 - o Paleontology (was fossil) display of 15
 - o Added Petrology display of 15

Interior Design and Architecture

- Complete revamping of project area
- All classes are new
 - o Room Design Board
 - o Two Collages on Design Board
 - o Two Diorama Models
 - o Marble Maze or Enclosure
 - o Marble Maze Presentation Board Only
- Consult the GW Co website for handouts related to the project
 - o Refer to the Kansas State Fair book for guidelines/rules
- Refinished/repaired furniture is moved to Wood Working and is a COUNTY ONLY Class

Photography

- Addition of new Classes
 - o Growth Portfolio (3 years or more in project area)
 - o Career Portfolio (5 years or more in project area)
 - o My Favorite 4-H Photography Display (10 or more years in project area)
- No longer need to write information on the back of photos
 - o Photo mounting resources can be found on GW Co website
 - o Refer to the Kansas State Fair book for guidelines/rules

Plant Science

- Class clarifications
 - o Consult GW Co fair book for Classes that will be accepted and Class requirements
- Flower and Garden section is now under Horticulture
- Added Classes
 - o Container flowers COUNTY ONLY
 - o Small Fruit (one ½ pint box)
 - o Tree Fruit (plate of 5)

Robotics

- Removed rules
 - o Refer to the Kansas State Fair book for guidelines/rules

Visual Arts

- The only kits that can be used are those for leatherworking
 - o A list of visual arts definitions and explanations can be found on the GW Co website

Wood Working

- Class addition
 - Refinished/Repaired Project COUNTY ONLY
 - These project items are NOT State fair eligible
- Fractal burning is not allowed in any 4-H county or state fair exhibit

Livestock

- Sheep and goat exhibitors with single entry may bring a “buddy animal”
 - Must be approved by the Livestock Committee by the Monday before the county fair
 - “Buddy animals” are subject to the same veterinary inspection as all show animals
- All market livestock must be castrated with the exception of cow/bull calf pairs and bucket calves
- Market Beef
 - Removed Pen of 3 Class
- Horse
 - Required to show proof of a negative EIA (Coggins) test taken in the last 12 months to exhibit at the county fair
- Poultry – Added Class
 - Poultry Showmanship (Chickens Only)

Questions

Website for Fair Resources and Forms: greenwood.k-state.edu > 4-H Youth Development > Greenwood Co Fair

Refer to the Kansas State Fair book for guidelines/rules

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