

## 2026 JUNIOR FAIR SMALL ANIMAL COSTUME DRESS-UP CONTEST

1. Participants must turn in entry form to the Silver Claws/Cat Area in the Livestock Sale Barn by Wednesday at 4:00 p.m. There will be a drop box.
2. Participants may only enter their own animal(s) in the contest.
3. Only animals present at fair may be entered in contest.
3. Participants may have only one entry per species. No more than two species can be entered.  
Species' categories include:
  - Rabbit
  - Cavy
  - Cat
  - Dog
  - Goats
  - Reptiles/Amphibians
  - Poultry
  - Pocket Pets  
Other Categories:
  - Famous Matches (i.e. Little Bo Peep & her sheep)
  - Most Creative/Most Original
  - Fair Theme  
Cloverbud Category:
  - Stuffed Animal
4. For the purpose of competition, participants will be divided by the following age divisions:
  - Cloverbud:** 5 years and in kindergarten through 2<sup>nd</sup> grade
  - Junior:** 8 years and in 3<sup>rd</sup> grade thru 11 years of age
  - Intermediate:** 12 years thru 14 years of age
  - Senior:** 15 years of age and up
5. Each category will be awarded 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place according to age division. After all categories are judged, all 1<sup>st</sup> places will be judged for Grand Champion and Reserve Champion. All other participants will receive participation award. Cloverbuds will receive a cloverbud/participation ribbon.

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