4-H & FFA GOAT FITTING CONTEST

Division 178

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Entry Deadline: Monday, September 2, 2024 **Late Entry:** Monday, September 9, 2024

Entry Fee: \$25 per team

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Check In: Thursday, October 3, 6 pm in the Ranger Arena **Contest:** Thursday, October 3, 7 pm in the Ranger Arena

DIVISION RULES

- 1. **Teams:** Teams will consist of two exhibitors from the same county who have eligible entries in the 2024 Tulsa State Fair Junior Meat Goat Show or Junior Breeding Doe Show. Each team must have at least one member 15 or under the day of the contest.
- 2. **Heats:** If entries exceed arena capacity at the time of entry deadline, teams will be assigned a heat as entries are received. The top 3 teams in each heat will qualify to advance to the final round. Each heat will be 30 minutes in length. At the end of the 30-minute allotted time, clippers down and work must stop. All the same rules apply in the final round. All two team members must be present at the start of the heat.
- 3. Grooming Rules: All grooming rules of the Tulsa State Fair will be strictly enforced.
- 4. **Animals:** The animal used in the fitting contest must be an eligible entry in the meat goat or breeding doe show at the 2024 Tulsa State Fair and must be owned by one of the team members. Each animal must be clean and dry.
- 5. **Power:** Electrical power will be provided. In the event of a power outage, an announcement will be made, and all work must halt for all teams.
- 6. **Judging:** Teams will be judged on teamwork, quality of work, and use of materials. Neatness of individuals and area will be in consideration.
- 7. **No Outside Guidance:** Any team receiving guidance or instruction from outside the ring during the assigned heat time will be disqualified. No protest.
- 8. Equipment Set Up: Contestants must have their equipment setup 15 minutes prior to the contest.
- 9. Awards: Prizes will be provided by Sullivan Supply for the top five teams.