

499 - You Can Quilt Project Guide Sheet

Project Description

This beginning quilt project is designed for youth with some sewing experience. In this project, you will learn the basic steps of creating a quilt from start to finish. Learn about the equipment needed, choosing fabrics, using a rotary cutter and more. Choose between the Rail Fence Pattern and Four Patch Pattern and make a mini quilt. This project may be taken more than once. You will need to explore new experiences each year.

To Complete the Project

- 1. Complete all 7 activities.
- 2. Construct a Rail Fence or Four Patch mini-quilt
- 3. Take part in at least 2 learning activities.
- 4. Take part in at least 2 citizenship/leadership activities.

Take part in a project review. If you choose not to participate in judging at the fair, make arrangements to discuss and review completion of your project with your advisor.

Judging of this Project

This project will be judged as part of Special Interest Judging;

at the Union County Fair on Wednesday – Friday immediately prior to the start of the fair

OR

at the Richwood Fair on Sunday immediately prior to the start of the fair

Your advisor will tell you a more specific judging time later in the summer. At the specific judging time assigned to you, **bring your completed project book, and your mini quilt.** You will participate in an interview judging and then leave your exhibit (a display of your project) on display the entire week of the fair. State Fair requires completed project book <u>and</u> other project records documenting what they did in their 4-H quilt project.

Project Display

Prepare a display that shows the judge and fair visitors what you learned and accomplished in your project. An appropriate display for this project is your mini quilt. **Your project book <u>cannot</u> serve as your project display.**

Display Areas

At the Union County Fair Special Interest Projects will be displayed in the Armory. At the Richwood Fair these projects will be displayed in the Jr. Fair Building.





Project Pick-Up

You must pick up your project display at the end of the fair, or arrange for someone to get it for you. At Union County Fair, Special Interest Projects will be released on Saturday of the fair from 4 p.m.-5 p.m. Projects not picked up by 5 p.m. will be disposed of or donated to charities. At the Richwood Fair, all Special Interest Projects will be released at 3 p.m. on Monday of the fair and should be removed by 9 p.m.

Award Presentation

Union County Fair Special Interest Project Awards will be presented at the Jr. Fair Awards Program on Tuesday of the fair at the Armory. Richwood Fair Special Interest Project Awards will be presented at the Jr. Fair Awards Program during the fair. Check the fair paper for the day, time, and location of this program.

Ohio State Fair Opportunity

This project **Does** have the opportunity to be displayed at The Ohio State Fair. Any 4-H'er who wishes to compete for an opportunity to display this project at The Ohio State Fair must participate in judging at the Union County Fair, as described above. Union County representatives for The Ohio State Fair will be chosen as part of Union County Fair judging. State Fair requires completed project book <u>and</u> other project records documenting what they did in their 4-H quilt project.