

4-H & FFA CATTLE FITTING CONTEST

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Entry Deadline: Team entry must be submitted online by September 13, 2017

Entry Fee: \$15.00 per team

Late Entry: \$45.00 per team until 4:00 p.m. Saturday, October 7

Check In: All teams must attend a mandatory meeting at 6:00 p.m. outside the Livestock Office in the OFD Barn

Judging: Saturday, October 7, 7:00 p.m. in the Oklahoma Ford Dealers Arena

SPECIAL RULES

1. **Teams:** Teams will consist of three exhibitors from the same county who have eligible entries in the 2017 Tulsa State Fair Junior Market Steer Show or Junior Heifer Show. Exhibitors may move up one division only but cannot move down a division. Each team will be allowed to select alternates for each member.
2. **Divisions:** Junior: Grades 3 - 6 , Intermediate: Grades 7 - 9, Senior: Grades 10 - 12
3. **Heats:** If entries exceed arena capacity in one particular division, teams in that division 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. All the same rules apply in the final round.
4. **Previous Winners:** Any team member who has been on a 1st place team in the same division twice must move up one division, with the exception of the senior division.
5. **Grooming Rules:** All grooming rules of the Tulsa State Fair will be strictly enforced.
6. **Animals:** The animal used in the fitting contest must be a heifer entered into the 2017 Tulsa State Fair and must be owned by one of the team members. Each animal must be clean and dry.
7. **Power:** Electrical power will be provided. Each team can have a generator as a backup power source.
8. **Judging:** Teams will be judged on teamwork, quality of work, and use of materials.
9. **Awards:**
First place team in each division will receive \$100.
Second place team in each division will receive \$50.
Third place team in each division will receive \$25.