About Us

In partnership with the SD SheepGrowers Association and the American Wool Council we provide an opportunity for people to create and compete with wool and wool specialty fibers. We encourage creativity with wool fabrics and yarns.

The SD MIWW contest is open to all SD residents.

Contact Us



SD Make It With Wool



South Dakota Make It With Wool



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For more detailed information: www.sdsheepgrowers.org

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SD MIWW State Competition

Saturday, Sept. 27, 2025
Ramkota Convention Center
Watertown, SD
in conjunction with
SDSGA Annual Convention

MIWW National Competition

January 29-31, 2026
Reno, NV
in conjunction with
ASI Annual Convention

State & National Contest Divisions

(Age on January 1, 2025)

Young Sewist (7 & under) Pre-Teen (8 \sim 12)

Junior $(13 \sim 16)^*$ Senior $(17 \sim 24)^*$

Adult (25 & over)*

Made for Others

Wearable Accessory

*Junior & Senior division state winners get to advance to the National MIWW Competition and will represent SD in person. One overall winner from the Adult/Professional divisions will be chosen to send their garment(s) and related info to National competition.

New National Sweater Contest ~ crochet or knit sweater! This contest is a new National contest - see the National website for details!

2025 MIWW entry fees:

\$15 non-refundable entry fee payable to National MIWW for each entry in all age Divisions. SD entry fee (payable to SD MIWW) is \$3/fabric sample to cover wool testing.



State Level Contest Divisions

Quilt, Afghan or Novelty \sim quilts, wall-hangings, knitted or crocheted items, or novelty items made primarily of wool or wool fibers.

2025 Challenge Contest ~ make a "stuffy" from wool fabric and get creative! Details coming soon.

State entry fee of \$10 per entry for QAN and the 2025 Challenge Contest.



2024 SD MIWW Contestants

Wool Testing & Entry Forms/Fees

Wool fabrics & fibers used in Junior, Senior and Adult/Professional divisions MUST be at least 60% wool. All divisions are encouraged to meet this same criteria.

SD entry forms, fees, fabric samples & style show scripts are due no later than Sept 8, 2025. Late entries will be accepted until Sept 15, 2025 but will have an additional \$10 late fee.

Fabric samples (5-inch square of each fabric & 36 inches of each yarn used) may be sent in for testing earlier to confirm % wool content.

Send fabric samples and all info to:

SD MIWW \sim c/o Patty DeZeeuw 619 5th Ave. #2 Brookings, SD 57006

Entry forms are available on-line or email one of the SD MIWW directors.

Detailed SD MIWW information is available at:

www.sdsheepgrowers.org

National MIWW entry forms are required for all entries ~ state and national!

www.makeitwithwool.com

First-time MIWW contestants of any age are eligible for free wool fabric from SD MIWW. Contact either of the SD MIWW State Directors for details.

