Project G STREET 2024 Fashion Design Competition Sponsored by G Street Fabrics

Chairpersons Kit Noonan: <u>kmndakota@gmail.com</u> Maureen Levy: <u>mlafl@comcast.net</u> G Street Fabrics is teaming with the Home Arts department to host a fabulous one-day fashion design competition at the fair!

Calling all fashionistas... come one, come all, to embrace your inner designer at this year's Project G Street. No fashion school needed. All skill levels, all ages are invited to show what you can do!

Project G Street Rules:

- The 1st place team will win a \$300.00 gift card to G Street Fabrics, 2nd place team will win a \$200.00 gift card, and the 3rd place team will win a \$100.00 gift card. Win or lose, you'll take away amazing memories and fantastic social media content!
- Teams must register by email: <u>kmndakota@gmail.com</u> or hand carry your entry form to the fair office at 16 Chestnut Ave., Gaithersburg, MD 20877 by end of day Wednesday, July 31st. The chairpersons will choose up to 8 teams for the 2024 Project G Street competition. Teams will be notified via email and text message on Thursday, August 1st.
- 3. Teams will be comprised of 2 or 3 team members, your choice. At least one team member must be 18 or older.
- 4. The chairpersons will host a video meeting using Google Meet to announce the 2024 Project G Street theme and answer questions on Friday, August 2nd at 6:00 pm. All contestants will be emailed a link to join. At least one member of each team must attend the meeting.
- 5. At least one team member must pick up your team's materials packet at G Street Fabrics during store hours August 3rd-9th. The packet will have your team's fabrics and a \$25 G Street Fabrics gift card for you to purchase notions. NO OTHER FABRIC CAN BE USED. The \$25.00 gift card can be used for any items you would need for the outfit that were not included (thread, closures, etc.) You may make or use your own patterns. *You do not need to purchase patterns with the gift card*.
- 6. One team member may be the model, or you may choose someone else to be your model. To ensure uniformity, the model must be a woman 18 or older. Models must bring their own shoes. Any other accents such as purses, hats or scarves must be made with your team's materials.
- 7. Contestants must provide the tools and machines to create their outfits. You may choose to bring: sewing machines, serger, dress form, irons, mirror, steamer, etc. Items can be dropped off at Heritage Hall starting at 8 am on Project G Street day: Saturday, August 10th. Directions and parking will be discussed at the video meeting.
- 8. Teams will construct their outfits in Heritage Hall from 8:30 am to 5:30 pm on Saturday, August 10th. The outfits will be judged on the following: interpretation of the theme; design (selection of style, color & material combinations); creativity (use of fabric, trim, closures); fit of outfit on the model; styling (accessories, hairstyle, the way you put together the whole look). The judge's decision is final.
- 9. All outfits will remain at the fair to be on display in the Home Arts building during fair week.
- 10. Breakfast and lunch can be purchased at the fair. No food is allowed in the sewing area.