

July 12, 2019



4-H Public Speaking Contest **4-H Demonstration Contest**

Public Speaking Friday, July 19, 2019 Judging begins promptly at 6:00 p.m.
Demonstration Participants should arrive by 6:45 p.m.

(Demonstration Judging will commence after Public Speaking is concluded not before 7:00 p.m.)

180 South Main Street, Lucille Sadler Room
(Extension Office)

1. **Rules and Guidelines:**

Your speech/demonstration should center around a **4-H Theme**.

You can purchase the manual in the Extension Office; the cost is \$5.50 for rules and guidelines. If you completed demonstrations or public speaking last year, you may use the same manual again this year. The only exception is if you are currently in grades 6 or 9; you are now in a new level, so you will need to purchase a new manual. Please make sure that you complete **2 or 3** (depending on your level). You can also pick up the record sheet at the Extension Office. The completed manual, prepared speech, and completed record sheet are **required** as part of the project and are due at the contest.

2. **Contests-Tips**

This event will also be open to the public which means that there could be as few as five people to as many as twenty (or more) people watching you give your presentation. Don't be scared – this is a lot of change in a short amount of time; we are changing to this format to better prepare you for the State Fair contest environment.

We are asking that you RSVP to the Extension Office by Wednesday, July 17 noon to let us know your intent and participation.

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