



Public Presentations Information for 2019



It is time again to think about the popular 4-H event – **4-H Public Presentations**. We encourage 4-H members of all ages to participate in this yearly event of public speaking. 4-H members who have participated in the presentation program give credit for the program helping them to develop confidence and poise in speaking with others.



WHEN?

- Tuesday, Feb 5
- Thursday, Feb 7
- Saturday, Feb 9
- Tuesday, Feb 12

Check the times available on the registration form and be sure to give an alternate choice. If you have a conflict with the scheduled days contact the office to be put on a make-up time. You are expected to stay in the room for the duration of the presentation for your assigned time to give support to fellow 4-H members in the room.



Check the Registration Form for Times offered for scheduling.

TYPES OF PRESENTATIONS

- ✓ There are varieties to choose from!
- ✓ Under 13 years old? Try a demonstration or illustrated talk.
- ✓ More experienced? Try something different this year like a speech, recitation or dramatic interpretation.

HOW DO I CHOOSE A TOPIC?

- ✓ Choose something you like to do
 - ✓ Organize your thoughts
- ✓ Add an introduction and an ending (summary)
- ✓ Explain what you are doing
 - ✓ Presto!

CLOVERBUDS

- ✓ Can I participate? YES!
- ✓ Show and tell type of presentation are fine
 - ✓ Talk about something special
- ✓ Favorite stuffed animal, book or recite a poem are just some ideas

USE OF TECHNOLOGY

- Can I use power point in my demonstration? YES, but please follow the guidelines provided here.
- ✓ Any member that utilizes power point MUST follow the checklist on the registration form.
 - ✓ 4-H Office has limited equipment so contact the 4-H office before the presentation if equipment is needed.

ARE YOU IN THE 4-H HORSE PROGRAM?

- ✓ We want you to participate too!
- ✓ Contact the 4-H Office for more information about the Horse Communication program.
- ✓ Members can do horse topics in the regular 4-H presentations but may NOT participate in both contests.

THANK YOU for your continued support of our 4-H Program in Ontario County. We're excited for 4-H Presentation Day to see what our members are talking about! If you have any questions, please contact the 4-H Office at 585-394-3977 ext. 428 or email at [jjg4@cornell.edu](mailto:jgj4@cornell.edu)

