Illustrated Talk/Demonstration
Houlton/Northern Maine Fair

Public Speaking Categories

**Demonstration** - A presentation in which you explain and show step by step how to do a favorite project or food preparation. Must have a black and white supplies list poster and materials to do the demonstration. Other posters are optional.

**Illustrated Talk** - A short, original speech where the presenter gives information about a subject and uses visuals to explain something.

**Cloverbud Interpretive Reading** – Read a personal story about something you enjoy.

**Team Demonstration or Team Illustrated Talk**- As above, and limit to two team members.

Each team’s members must be from the same age division.

Presentations will be judged on the general categories of appropriate content: knowledge and organization; poise, appearance, and grooming; and delivery (voice volume, speed, eye contact, gestures, facial expression, pronunciation). Demonstrations and exhibits will include workmanship, visual aids, and presentation. For copies of each score sheet and a booklet about demonstrations, go online to the Aroostook County 4-H website:

http://umaine.edu/aroostook/houlton/4-h/public-speaking/

Length of Presentations:
Cloverbud (ages 5-8): 3-5 minutes
Junior (ages 9-13): time limit 3-8 minutes
Senior (ages 14-18): time limit 5-10 minutes

PARTICIPANT REGISTRATION

Name ___________________________ Club _______________________
Address ________________________________
Phone ___________________________
I am a ____ Cloverbud (5-8) ____Junior (9-13) ____Senior (14-18)
I am registering to do:
  ____ A Demonstration  ____ Illustrated Talk  ____ Team Demonstration
  ____ Cloverbud Interpretive Reading
Title of Demonstration/Illustrated Talk: ________________________________

Register by mail to University of Maine Cooperative Extension
25 School Street, Suite 210, Houlton, ME 04730 phone 800-287-1469
email emily.dow@maine.edu fax 532-6549
Or see Leisa or Emily at the fairgrounds up to 1 hour before this event