

Harlan County 4-H Communications Day

March 15, 2012

5:00 p.m.

“Harlan Vocational School”

Southeast Kentucky Community and Technical College
Harlan Campus

Demonstrations

Speeches

Variety Show



Junior Division: ages 9-13



Senior Division: ages 14-18



Winners must be at least 9 years old by
January 1, 2012 in order to participate at
the Area Communications Day

Free T-Shirt for each participant

Trophies to each Grand Champion Winner

For more information, call 573-4464 and ask to speak with
Raymond Cox, Extension Agent for 4-H / Youth Development



Disabilities accommodated with prior notification

Demonstration Tips:

- ✿ Pick a topic you know or would like to learn.
- ✿ Outline key parts
- ✿ Use props
- ✿ Prepare posters
- ✿ Practice
- ✿ Demonstrations may last up to 15 minutes

Speech Contest:

- ✿ The use of note cards is optional.
- ✿ Speeches in the Junior Division (9-13) should be 3-5 minutes long
- ✿ Speeches in the Senior Division (14-19) should be 5-7 minutes long

Variety Show:

- ✿ 4-H'ers can sing, dance, play a musical instrument, perform a skit, do a comedy routine, etc.
- ✿ Limit of one club per home room 4-H club
- ✿ Specialty Act (1-4 people) time limit up to 4 minutes
- ✿ Club Act (5 or more people) time limit up to 8 minutes
- ✿ Specialty Acts will be divided into Junior and Senior Divisions. A Specialty Act containing juniors and seniors will compete in the Senior Division. Club acts will be judged in one category.

Students 8 years old may compete at the club level and the county level but may not go on to compete at the Area Communications Day in Demonstration, Speech or the Variety Show.