Registration forms for Share-The-Fun are due in the Frederick County Extension office or postmarked no later than February 24th. Late entries \textit{WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED!} This is a tremendous opportunity to perform on stage in either a group act or solo. We do hope you will choose to participate. The registration forms are located in the back of the newsletter.

\textbf{REMINDER: CONTESTANTS IN ANY COMPETITIVE EVENT MUST BE ENROLLED BY JANUARY 1\textsuperscript{ST}!}

\textbf{SHARE-THE-FUN PROGRAM:}

The contest will be held on March 3\textsuperscript{rd} at James Wood Middle School in the auditorium. Each act will have an opportunity to practice one time prior to the show. The practice dates are: March 1\textsuperscript{st} from 4:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. and March 2\textsuperscript{nd} from 4:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Please call the Extension Office for a 15 minute time slot. When you come to the practice, please enter the doors on the left hand side of the building. There will be a clover on the door where you need to enter.

\textbf{CATEGORIES:}

- **Vocal** – Singing which may include dance or instrument but judged solely on vocal performance.
- **Instrumental** – Totally an instrumental presentation. Sing or dance, if desired, but will be judged on the instrumental performance (Piano Player, Jazz Band, Flute Player, Banjo and Guitar, and other combinations of up to 4 participants).
- **Drama** – Play or scene from a Play, Monologue, Mime, Reading a Poem, Short Humorous Skit.
- **Variety** – Magic Act, Puppetry, Ventriloquism, Juggling, Tumbling/Gymnastics, Stand-up Comics, Impressionists, Baton Twirling, Puppet Act, Karate Routine, Lip Syncing.
- **Combination** - Any combination of vocal, instrument, or dance.

\textbf{Age Divisions:}

- **Juniors** (9-11) (As of September 30, 2017)
- **Intermediate** (12-13) (As of September 30, 2017)
- **Seniors** (14-19) (As of September 30, 2017) *Senior Acts are composed of Senior Members ONLY!!*

Junior and Intermediate age youth may participate in the same act, but must compete in the Intermediate Age Division.

\textbf{RULES:}

- Maximum time per act is 4 minutes.
- The maximum number of participants in a competitive act is 4.
- As of November 1\textsuperscript{st}, 2004, Frederick County 4-H Leaders Association and County Council passed a new rule, which reads: “The contestant can participate once in an individual act and second time in a group act or duet in another category.”
- Share-The-Fun Contestants must be enrolled in 4-H by January 1\textsuperscript{st}.
- Entries must be in the Extension Office by February 24\textsuperscript{th} or postmarked no later than February 24\textsuperscript{th}. (Late entries \textit{WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED}!!)
- The Danish System of judging will be used. A blue or red ribbon will be awarded to each participant. Judges decisions are final.

Non-Competitive Acts will also abide by the January 1\textsuperscript{st} enrollment rule.
SHARE-THE-FUN CONTEST
“ENTRY FORM”

NAME OF ACT: ________________________________________________________________

CONTACT PERSON: ___________________ PHONE: ____________________________

4-H CLUB: __________________________

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CATEGORY: (Circle One)
- Vocal
- Instrumental
- Dance
- Variety
- Combination
- Drama

LIST ANY OTHER EQUIPMENT YOU MAY NEED: ________________________________

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PLEASE CALL THE EXTENSION OFFICE FOR A 15 MINUTE TIME SLOT ON ONE OF THE SCHEDULED REHEARSAL DATES!!!

ENTRIES MUST BE POSTMARKED ON OR BEFORE FEBRUARY 24th. LATE ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED!