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MEMO

DATE: May 14, 2015
TO: Extension Field Staff
FROM: Family & Youth Exposition Public Speaking /Illustrated Talk Committee
RE: Public Speaking/Illustrated Talk Competition

Attached are the guidelines and registration information for the Public Speaking and Illustrated Talk Competitions to be held at the SU Ag Center's 2015 Family and Youth Exposition. This year's theme is **"Expo Theme: Dream: Discover The Rewards Of Educating & Advancing Minds"**

The scheduled dates are June 18 - 20, 2015. The public speaking and illustrated talk competitions will be held on Friday, June 19th from 9:00 a.m. until noon in the Smith –Brown Memorial Union on the Southern University campus.

This year, agents are required to submit participants from **each parish** for the public speaking and illustrated talk. There is a maximum limit of two students per parish per age group. Registration information for the public speaking and illustrated talk contests should be sent to me by the close of business on Friday, June 12, 2015. Registration forms, which are attached, can be completed electronically and forwarded via email to dawn_mellion@suagcenter.com or faxed to 225-771-2861. Please be sure to indicate any special equipment needs in the appropriate section of the registration form.

Thank you in advance for your time and support of the 2015 Family & Youth Expo. On behalf of the Public Speaking and Illustrated Talk Committee, we look forward to seeing you all in June!

Sincerely,

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