

# Fred the Trained Flea Staff Skit

(Say every line slowly and loudly. Face the audience when you speak.)

"Here in my hand is Fred the Trained Flea. Fred will perform for you some amazing feats. Watch closely."

(Ham up all of the motions that the flea is doing so it really looks like your face and head are following the motions!)

"Fred, do jumping jacks! Very good! Cheer, everyone!"

"Fred, do a somersault!"

"Fred, do a high jump!" Watch him go way up, then back down.

"Now Fred will do a long jump. I need a volunteer to catch Fred."

Pick a staff person.

"Fred, do a long jump!" Watch Fred jump to the volunteer "Oh! He seems to have missed and jumped into your hair!"

Walk over to the volunteer, start picking through their hair. "Here we are .. no, that's not Fred." toss the flea over your shoulder "Ah! No, that's not Fred." "That's not Fred."

"Fred, are you in there?" "That's not Fred either."

"Boy, there's a lot of fleas in here." "Fred? Fred?"