### 2017-2018 Mecosta County Calendar
#### 4-H Events/Meetings/Shows

#### NOVEMBER
- **Nov 12**  End of the Year Fall Celebration & Banquet, 1:00 pm, Alley Cat in Lakeview
- **Nov. 18**  Cloverbud Plant Sciences Day, 10:00am-12:00pm at the MCSB
- **Nov. 20**  Junior Livestock Meeting, 7pm at the MCSB

#### DECEMBER
- **Dec. 2**  Beef Weigh In, 9am-11am at the Fair Grounds
- **Dec. 5**  4-H Council Meeting, 6:30pm at the MCSB
- **Dec. 31**  4-H re-enrollment deadline

#### JANUARY 2018
- **Jan. 3**  4-H Council Meeting, 6:30pm at the MCSB
- **Jan. 8**  Horse Leaders Association Meeting, 7pm at the MCSB
- **Jan. 15**  Junior Livestock Education, Record Books and 4-H Education, 6pm at the MCSB
- **Jan. 15**  Junior Livestock Meeting, 7pm at the MCSB

#### FEBRUARY
- **Feb. 1**  Mark of Excellence and State Award Applications Due
- **Feb. 3-4**  4-H WinterFest (8-12 year olds)
- **Feb. 6**  4-H Council Meeting, 6:30pm at the MCSB
- **Feb. 16-18**  4-H Beef, Sheep, Swine Workshop and Vet Science Workshop
- **Feb. 23**  Market turkey orders due for those ordering through MSU Extension office
- **Feb. 23-25**  4-H Horse Teen and Adult Leaders Conference

#### MARCH
- **March 6**  4-H Council Meeting, 6:30pm at the MCSB
- **March 12**  Horse Leaders Association Meeting, 7pm at the MCSB
- **March 19**  Junior Livestock Meeting, 7pm at the MCSB - *(EYE TAGS WILL BE DISTRIBUTED TO LEADERS FOR SWINE)*
- **March 22**  Turkeys ordered through MSU Extension arrive +/- 1 day
- **March 27**  Mecosta County 4-H Craft Day, 10-2, MCSB
- **March 28**  AgroLiquid Bus Trip, 9-5, leave from MCSB
- **March 29**  Mecosta County 4-H Craft Day, 10-2, Mecosta Library

#### APRIL
- **April 3**  4-H Council Meeting, 6:30pm at the MCSB
- **April 13**  Swine registration forms and pictures due by 5 p.m. to MCSB
- **April 14**  Spring Tagging/Weigh In, 9am at the fair grounds
- **April 20**  Market chicken orders due for those ordering through MSU Extension Office
- **April 28**  Tentative Date for Junior Livestock Spring Clinic
- **April 30**  Market rabbits cannot be born before April 30th

#### MAY
- **May 1**  Horse Registrations & Coggins Testing Due by 5 p.m. at the MCSB
- **May 1**  4-H Council Meeting, 6:30pm at the MCSB
- **May 14**  Horse Leaders Association Meeting, 7pm at the MCSB
- **May 15**  Rabbit and Poultry Project Registration by 5 p.m. at the MCSB
- **May 16**  Chickens ordered through MSU Extension arrive +/- 1 day
- **May 21**  Junior Livestock Education Showmanship, 6pm at the MCSB
- **May 21**  Junior Livestock Meeting, 7pm at the MCSB
- **May 25**  Market Rabbit 2 week photos due by 5p.m. to the MCSB

*Events are subject to change*
JUNE

- June 1  Class Sign Up Due for Pre-Fair Shows (Horse Exhibitors only)
- June 1  All Horse Record Books Due for Fair Participation by 5 p.m. at the MCSB
- June 5  4-H Council Meeting, 6:30pm at the MCSB
- June 8-10 4-H Horse Point Show, Fairgrounds
- June 18  **Junior Livestock Meeting, 7pm – Pre Fair Meeting at FAIRGROUNDS!**
- June 20-22  Exploration Days, MSU Campus
- June 22  Market Rabbit 6 week photos due by 5 p.m. to the MCSB
- June 22-24  4-H Horse Point Show, Fairgrounds
- June 29  Fair registrations for animals due

JULY

- July 8-14  **MECOSTA COUNTY FAIR!!!**
- TBA  Teen Leader Community Service Road Trip

AUGUST

- Aug. 6-9  Mecosta County 4-H Camp, Cran Hill Ranch
- Aug. 7  4-H Council Meeting, 6:30 pm at the MCSB
- Aug. 13  Horse Leaders Association Meeting, 7pm at the MCSB
- Aug. 20  Junior Livestock Fair Wrap Up Meeting 7:00 pm at the MCSB

SEPTEMBER

- Sept. 4  4-H Council Meeting, 6:30 pm at the MCSB
- TBA  Fall Leader Updates and year-end paperwork due for clubs

OCTOBER

- Oct. 2  4-H Council Meeting, 6:30 pm at the MCSB
- Oct. 8  Horse Leaders Association Meeting, 7pm at the MCSB