The Lapeer County 4-H Year
September 1 through August 31

September/October:
  Fall leader updates
  Annual Fair board meeting
  Club flyers are sent to all elementary schools in Lapeer County to recruit new members

October:
  Annual meeting of the 4-H Council and elections of adult directors. (Teen members are elected at the fair). All volunteers are invited.

November:
  Nominations of teens for county awards
  Nominations of adults for Leader of the Year and Friend of 4-H
  Nominations of clubs for best educational, community service, or fun program

January:
  Member award/medal applications due to County office
  County award interviews for members
  Entry information is available for State 4-H Awards

February:
  Steer ownership date and weigh-in for fair: 1st Saturday
  Training begins for teen camp counselors

March:
  State Award portfolios and Mark of Excellence essays due
  Capitol Experience: 4-day 4-H workshop in Lansing on state government
  Spring Achievement/Style Revue

April:
  4-H general and celebrity auction fundraisers; 1st or 2nd weekend

May:
  Feeder steer ownership date: May 1st
  Swine ownership date: May 1st; weigh-in for fair: 1st Saturday
  Sheep ownership date: May 15; weigh-in for fair: 3rd Saturday
  Members must be enrolled by May 31st in order to enter 4-H classes in the fair
  Fair Information mailing
  Spring Leader Update: To be announced as needed

June:
  4-H Exploration Days: 3 days at MSU for teens age 12 to 19
  Fair registration; last two weeks in June

July:
  4-H overnight, in county, 3-night camp for grades 2 to 6
  4-H day camp for grades K-1

July/August:
  Eastern Michigan Fair; varies – July/August

August:
  Great Lakes Natural Resources Camp