**Michigan FFA Calendar (Tentative)**

**2024 – 2025**

Revised: 04/15/25 MMS

SEPTEMBER 2024

7 State Officer Chapter Visit Training (For 2024-2025 State FFA Officers) – Lansing, MI

12 Fall Leadership Conference/Fall PDI Registrations Due

12 FFA Board of Directors Meeting – 5-8 PM – MSU

13 Deadline for ordering Broilers

13 State Officer Practice Chapter Visit (For 2024-2025 State FFA Officers)

20 AFNRE CDE applications due by 5:00 PM

20 Broiler Registration Due

OCTOBER 2024

2 Start date for Broilers

9-10 Fall Leadership Conference/Fall PDI – Crowne Plaza Lansing West

23-26 National FFA Convention – Indianapolis, IN

30 Broiler Weigh Date

NOVEMBER 2024

5-8 Contest Date for Broilers – Munsell’s Poultry Processing

15 WLC Scholarship Applications are due via online submission

DECEMBER 2024

1 Glassbrook Grant Applications Due

5 FFA Board of Directors Meeting – MSU – 5-8 PM

6 The following applications are due to the State FFA Office by 5:00 PM:

* Proficiency Awards
* #SpeakAgMichigan
* Academic Excellence
* Regional Grant
* Star Candidate Applications (includes star battery and state degree application)

13 The following applications are due to the State FFA Office by 5:00 PM:

* State Officer
* State Officer Nominating Committee Applications

13-15 State Officer Retreat (For 2024-2025 State FFA Officers) – South Haven, MI

JANUARY 2025

8-10 Regional Update Meetings

10 The following applications are due to the State FFA Office by 5:00 PM:

* State FFA Degree
* Outstanding Junior
* State FFA Band
* State FFA Choir
* State FFA Talent
* Building our Michigan Communities (BOMC)
* National Chapter Award - Form I and II
* Chapter Program of Activities - must be submitted for all National Chapter Award applications

14 Star Candidate Interviews – Michigan Farm Bureau

15 AFNR Education & Communication Scholarships are due to the State FFA Office by 5:00 PM

16-18 Winter PDI, Crowne Plaza Lansing West

22 District Leadership Contest entries due to chairs

24 Arthur Berkey Agriscience Fair manuscripts and videos are due online via the CANR online submission process

29-30 District Leadership Contests

FEBRUARY 2025

1 State FFA Officer Interviews – Phase 1 - Virtual

12-13 Regional Leadership Contests

14-16 State FFA Officer Interviews – Phase 2 – Crowne Plaza Lansing West

17 Courtesy Corps Applications are due to the State FFA Office by 5:00 PM

20 State Convention Registrations are due by 12 NOON (extended from the 17th due to weather)

20 Materials for the following State Leadership Contests are due to the State FFA Office by 5:00 PM

* Junior High Public Speaking
* Greenhand Public Speaking
* Prepared Public Speaking
* Job Interview

 20 FFA Board of Directors Meeting – 5-8 PM – MSU

MARCH 2025

1 The following applications are due to the State FFA Alumni Office:

* Outstanding Achievement Award
* Floyd Beneker Award
* Outstanding FFA Alumni Chapter Award

5-7 State FFA Convention – MSU

18 Ag Skills Contest Registration and Rabbit Contest Registration Due

29 State FFA/4-H Horse Judging Contest – MSU Livestock Pavilion

APRIL 2025

7 Marketing Plan Papers must be submitted online by 5:00 PM

11 State FFA Career Development Events (Ag Skills Contests) – MSU

17 FFA Board of Directors Meeting – 5-8 PM – MSU

24-27 State Officer Base Camp (For 2025-2026 State FFA Officers) – Location TBD

MAY 2025

1 Market Rabbit Contest – Munsell’s Poultry Processing

1 Challenge 24 Applications Due

1 FFA College Scholarship Applications due to the State FFA Alumni Office

4-6 State Officer Capstone (For 2024-2025 State FFA Officers) -Best Western, Okemos

7 Meats Judging Contest – MSU Meat Lab, Anthony Hall

9 The following applications are due to the State FFA Office by 5:00 PM:

* American FFA Degree
* American Star Applications
* Proficiency State Winner Application
* National Chapter Award
* National Agriscience Fair

JUNE 2025

2 SLCCO/SLCRO Registrations Due

3-5 State Officer BaseCamp (For 2025-2026 State FFA Officers) – Location TBD

13 Dairy Showmanship/Dairy Judging/Tractor Driving Registrations Due to State

FFA Office via online registration

9-11 State Officer Checkpoint #1 (For 2025-2026 State FFA Officers) – Location TBD

16-18 Summer PDI – St. Joseph, MI

24-26 State Officer SLCCO Training (For 2025-2026 State FFA Officers) – MSU

24-29 Washington Leadership Conference (WLC)

25 Livestock Judging Contest – MSU

26-27 Challenge 24 – Kellogg Center, MSU

JULY 2025

8 State Leadership Conference for Chapter and Regional Officers (SLCCO &

SLCRO) –Crowne Plaza Lansing West

14-18 State Officer Summit – Washington DC

16 Dairy Judging Contest/Dairy Showmanship

AUGUST 2025

13 State FFA Tractor Driving Contest

17-18 State Officer Checkpoint #2 (For 2025-2026 State FFA Officers) – Location TBD