

2026 Greene County 4-H Horse Program Calendar

January				
1-4-26	Teen Horse Committee Meeting	3 PM	Extension Office	
1-25-26	Equine Team Practice	2-4 PM	Katy Schaaf's House	
February				
2-1-26	Equine Team Practice	2-4 PM	Extension Office	
	Teen Horse Committee Meeting	4-5 PM		
2-17-26	Equine Team Practice	6-7:30 PM	Xenia Library, 2nd Floor Meeting Room	
2-22-26	Equine Team Practice	2-4 PM	Katy Schaaf's House	
March				
3-1-26	Equine Team Practice	2-4 PM	Extension Office	
	Teen Horse Committee Meeting	4-5 PM		
3-7-26	Horsapalooza: An Intro to Hippology, Horse Bowl, and Horse Judging	12:30-4:30 PM	Ohio 4-H Center (Columbus)	Clinic hosted by Ohio 4-H Horse Program; Cost \$5 per person
3-17-26	Equine Team Practice	6-7:30 PM	Xenia Library, 2nd Floor Meeting Room	
3-22-26	Equine Team Practice	2-4 PM	Katy Schaaf's House	

April				
4-7-26	Equine Team Practice	6-7:30 PM	Xenia Library, 2nd Floor Meeting Room	
4-11-26	State Horse Bowl & Hippology Contests	All Day	Ohio Expo Center @ Equine Affaire	Contest hosted by the Ohio 4-H Horse Program; Cost \$40 per 4 person team
May				
5-1-26	Deadline to Submit 4-H Horse Paperwork to Extension Office <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Horse Identification Form • Vaccination Records • Coggins Test • Completed Health Form (Youth) • Horse Lease Forms Deadline to sign-up for PAS Show (Google Form on BAND App)			
5-3-26	“From the Judge’s Perspective” Clinic Teen Horse Committee Meeting	2-4 PM 4-5 PM	Extension Office	Clinic to learn about different types of horse show classes and how they are scored and judged.
5-26-26	Open Ride	5-7:30 PM	Horse Arena	
June				
6-1-26	Deadline to complete Equistep online education.			
6-2-26	SMS/HMS/EQ/Trail Clinic	5-7:30 PM	Horse Arena	*Groom & Clean Clinic if Rain Out*

6-9-26	PAS Prep Clinic <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SMS/HMS/EQ/Trail • Contesting Practice Runs 	5-7 PM 7-8:30 PM	Horse Arena	*Groom & Clean Clinic if Rain Out*
6-16-26	PAS Show	5 PM	Horse Arena	*Horse Judging Practice if Rain Out*
6-23-26	PAS Show Rain Date OR SMS/HMS/EQ/Trail Clinic	5 PM 5-7:30 PM	Horse Arena	*Horse Judging Practice if Rain Out*
6-30-26	County Fair Prep Clinic <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SMS/HMS/EQ • Reining 	5-7:30 PM	Horse Arena	*Groom & Clean Clinic if Rain Out*
July				
7-1-26	Greene County Fair Entry Deadline State Fair Horse Show Entry Deadline			
7-5-26	Teen Horse Committee Meeting	3 PM	Extension Office	
7-7-26	State Fair & County Fair Prep Clinic <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SMS/HMS/EQ • Contesting Practice Runs 	5-7 PM 7-8:30 PM	Horse Arena	*Groom & Clean Clinic if Rain Out*
7-14-26	County Fair Prep Clinic <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SMS/HMS/EQ/Ranch Riding • Contesting Practice Runs 	5-7 PM 7-8:30 PM	Horse Arena	*Horse Judging Practice if Rain Out*

7-19-26 through 7-24-26	State Fair Horse Show		Ohio Expo Center (Columbus)	
7-20-26	State Fair Horse Skillathon & Horse Judging Contests		Ohio Expo Center (Columbus)	
7-27-26 7-29-26	Horse Skillathon	9 - Noon 3-6 PM	Extension Office	REQUIRED for those participating in the Greene County Fair Horse Show!
7-28-26	Horse Clinic: Fair Pattern Palooza	5-7:30 PM	Horse Arena	Practice Runs with Fair Horse Show Patterns-Get a score and feedback!
August				
8-1-26	Horse Family Picnic	5 PM	Horse Arena	
8-2-26	Greene County Fair: Western Horse Show Day	9 AM	Horse Arena	
8-3-26	Greene County Fair: Groom & Clean Contest & Obstacle Challenge	8 AM	Horse Arena	
8-4-26	Greene County Fair: English Horse Show Day	9 AM	Horse Arena	
8-7-26	Greene County Fair: Horse Judging Contest	10 AM	Horse Arena	
8-8-26	Greene County Fair: Versatility & Contesting Day	9 AM	Horse Arena	

8-29-26	State Groom & Clean Contest	CRACK OF DAWN	Hartford Fairgrounds	Cost \$30 per 3 person team.
September				
9-6-26	Teen Horse Committee Meeting	3 PM	Extension Office	Review of the Horse Program Year
October				
10-4-26	Field Trip-University of Findlay Equine & Pre-Vet Tour?			
November				
11-1-26	Teen Horse Committee Meeting	3 PM	Extension Office	Begin plans for 2027!