



JULIAN VAIL, LLC NEWS & NOTES



MARCH 7, 2008

COMMITTEE MEETING DATES

House

**Appropriations: State Police and
Military and Veterans Affairs**

March 11, 2008

10:30 a.m.

428 State Capitol Building

Chair: Rep. Richard LeBlanc

Judiciary

March 12, 2008

9:00 a.m.

521 House Office Building

Chair: Rep. Paul Condino

Senate

**Agriculture and Appropriations
Subcommittee on Agriculture**

March 11, 2008

11:00 a.m.

Senate Hearing Room, Ground
Floor, Boji Tower

Chair: Sen. Gerald Van Woerkom

**Appropriations: K-12, School
Aid, Education**

March 11, 2008

2:00 p.m.

Senate Appropriations Room,
3rd Floor, Capitol Building

Chair: Sen. Ron Jelinek

FREE TAX PREPARATION SITES AVAILABLE THROUGHOUT MICHIGAN

The Michigan State University Extension (MSUE) Family and Consumer Sciences Department has resources available on their web site to find free tax preparation sites available throughout the state.

Visit www.msue.msu.edu/FCS/ for more information on locations and services provided.

2008 MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE SCHEDULE

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

- March 11 1:30 p.m.
- March 12 1:30 p.m.
- March 13 12:00 p.m.
- March 18 1:30 p.m.
- March 19 1:30 p.m.
- March 20 12:00 p.m.

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- March 18 10:00 a.m.
- March 19 10:00 a.m.
- March 20 10:00 a.m.

MSU EXTENSION MEETINGS HELP FARMERS MEET ENVIRONMENTAL STANDARDS

The Michigan State University Extension (MSUE) is hosting a meeting series for livestock producers interested in increasing their environmental awareness and compliance.

The meetings are scheduled at locations throughout the state and are being called, "Manure and the Environment on Small and Medium-sized Farms".

The following meetings times and locations have been scheduled:

- Montcalm County on March 17 at the Douglass Township Hall from 1:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.
- Sanilac County on March 26 in the MSU Extension office in Sandusky from 10:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
- Huron County on March 26 at the Franklin Inn in Bad Axe from 1:30 p.m. to 3 p.m.
- Emmet County on April 3 at the Mackinaw Area Public Library in Mackinaw City, from 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m..
- Newago County on April 9 in the MSU Extension office in Fremont from 9:30 a.m. to noon.

For more information on any of the local meetings, contact your local MSU Extension office to register. A \$15 per person registration fee will be collected at the door. Visit MSUE online at www.msue.msu.edu

VISIT THE MICHIGAN EQUINE PARTNERSHIP AT THE 2008 STALLION EXPO AT MSU

Take some time this weekend to stop by the Michigan State University Pavilion where the 2008 Stallion Expo will be happening March 7-9. The Michigan Equine Partnership can be found at booth T-18 in the pavilion.

Stop by the MEP booth to enter for some great prizes and to get information on the upcoming annual meeting on April 15, 2008 to be held at the Radisson Hotel in Downtown Lansing.

Throughout the weekend visitors can watch riding demonstrations, see stallions of all breeds, visit the equine organizations at the expo and shop the many vendors with all of the equestrian items you may need.

Admission is \$10 for 15 and over, \$5 for ages 6 to 14, and children 5 and under are free. For a complete schedule visit www.michiganhorsecouncil.com/expo. For more information on Michigan Equine Partnership visit www.miequine.com for the latest news and upcoming events.

"Character cannot be developed in ease and quiet. Only through experience of trial and suffering can the soul be strengthened, ambition inspired, and success achieved."

-Helen Keller

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