Metamora Hunt

2025-2026 Calendar of Events

ALL EVENT UPDATES ARE RECORDED JUST PRIOR TO THE EVENT ON THE HUNT KENNEL ANSWERING MACHINE. CALL (810) 678-2711 FOR ALL UPDATES.

March 22, 2025 (Saturday) – HUNT BALL at *The Huntsman* (contact Carole Beckett for tickets (248) 628-1192.

<u>April 26, 2025</u> (Saturday) – **EARTH DAY CLEAN UP** meet at the Metamora Hunt Kennels at 9:00 a.m. for assignments.

Late April or early May - CHECK OUR WEBSITE/FACEBOOK PAGE FOR POSSIBLE CASINO NIGHT!!

<u>May 31, 2025</u> (Saturday) – **SPRING HUNTER PACE** - This first pace of the year will be shorter in length to help riders condition their horses for the season.

<u>June 21, 2025</u> (Saturday) – **FOX HUNTERS CLINIC** – An informative clinic for all interested in hunting with hounds, from veterans to hunter-wannabes to spectators. This is an opportunity to learn about all things fox-hunting from history, to etiquette, to attire, to horn-blowing and all things in between. Not a mounted event.

<u>July 19, 2025</u> (Saturday) – LANDOWNER PICNIC is by invitation and will be hosted at Rattlewood Farm. If you are a landowner in registered Hunt Country and have not received an invitation in the past, please contact Carole Beckett at (248) 417-1639.

<u>August 10, 2025</u> (Sunday) – STABLE TOUR tickets will be available approximately one month in advance at the White Horse Inn or at the Metamora Hunt Kennels on the day of the event beginning at 11:30 am)

<u>August 13, 2025 (Wednesday)</u> – FIRST DAY OF INFORMAL HUNTING – available to riding members and cappers with permission. Capping information is available at metamorahunt.com

<u>September 28, 2025</u> (Sunday) – FALL HUNTER PACE details will be available at metamorahunt.com and on the Metamora Hunt Facebook page.

September 20, 2025 (Saturday) – OPENING DAY OF FORMAL HUNTING

<u>October 17-18, 2025</u> (Friday-Saturday) – **MICHIGAN FOX HUNTERS WEEKEND** – Cocktail Party for riding members on Friday. Hunt will meet Saturday.

October 25, 2025 (Saturday) – BARN DANCE with authentic square dance caller. Details will be available at metamorahunt.com and on the Metamora Hunt Facebook page.

November 27, 2025 (Thursday) – THANKSGIVING DAY HUNT

December 26, 2025 (Friday) – **BOXING DAY HUNT** from Metamora Hunt Kennels

Roading: The exercise of hounds on the road accompanied by mounted riders. This is offered to Riding Members and Ambassadors (or by permission of a Master of Foxhounds) Saturdays in July and other select dates.

<u>Hunt Trail Rides</u>: Available to Riding Members and Ambassadors. Select Saturdays or Sundays April through July. Weekend happenings available on the Hunt Kennels recording each Friday (810) 678-2711.

<u>Trail Trimming Work Days</u>: Select Saturdays or Sundays April through July. Weekend happenings available on the Hunt Kennels recording each Friday (810) 678-2711

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