

Today's Highlights: August 19, 2017

- Volunteer of The Year nominations being accepted!
- August 26th is Kim Still Day at The Saturday Market
- Holiday Market Booking Continues - Currently at 32 Points and Higher
- Committee Schedules, Market Corner, UnClassifieds and MORE on the back page!

SATURDAY MARKET NEWSLETTER
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Saturday Market

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From Kirsten

Good Morning Saturday Marketers!

Hold on to your hats... this might be a huge day with all the eclipse visitors around. Put your smiles on and **sell, sell, sell!**

I wanted to remind you that if you have a problem at your booth, or around your booth, and don't feel you can handle it yourself through polite conversation, please call the office number at (541) 686-8885. The main office number is forwarded to the information booth and we can send assistance. We have handouts to give to individuals that are busking, petitioning, etc. that inform them of our policies around their activities. Repeat offenders can be asked to leave by Security. We can't help if we don't know, so please reach out to us.

The annual meeting is approaching and we need nominations for **Volunteer of the Year**. Please email info@eugenesaturdaymarket.org with your nominations. The winner will be announced at the Annual Meeting. Be sure to put the date on your calendar. It is September 10, 11am-3pm, at Lamb's Cottage. Please sign up at the information booth so we have a headcount for food. We ask that members bring a side dish or desert to share. The Saturday Market will provide the entrée, both vegetarian and non-vegetarian choices. The more the merrier!

Here's a thought for the day... **"Be happy, not because everything is good, but because you can see the good in everything."**

Happy Selling!
Kirsten

Guidebook Ads Due Thursday

Thanks to everyone who bought an ad for the Holiday Market Guidebook. The response was fantastic, meaning a better book for everyone at Holiday Market. The finished ads are due on August 24th. Ads cannot be accepted after this date. *Contact Heather Robbins-Hinton at earnestefforts@msn.com with any and all questions about guidebook ads.*

Holiday Market Update!

BOOKING HOLIDAY MARKET SPACES: Vanessa is deep into the booking process. She's currently contacting members with more than 32 Holiday Market points. Booking will continue into September. *Come by the info booth for a look at the current map.*

IF YOU HAVEN'T TURNED IN YOUR APP: If you have not turned in your application, you can still do so! Stop by the info booth or head to the Saturday Market website. You can still apply online at our website!

MEMBERS WITH 0 POINTS: Even if you have just started at Market, you can sell at Holiday Market. You will be able to get a space on the first weekend, and possibly other weekends! Turn in an application! **Vanessa is continuing with the booking process through the end of September.**

DEPOSIT: We require that you secure your space with an initial payment of \$225 for a Main Hall space, \$125 for a Holiday Hall, or \$100 if you have less than 15 Holiday Market points.

WE ARE NOW DEPOSITING ALL HOLIDAY MARKET DEPOSIT CHECKS AND RUNNING CARDS RIGHT AWAY.

Please make arrangements with Vanessa if you need to give us a smaller deposit to start.

Committee Updates

The Standards Committee met on Wednesday afternoon, reviewing several new products and vendors. The next meeting is scheduled for Sept. 20 at 5pm, following the new product screenings and member orientation.

The Saturday Market Policies Task force will be meeting on Aug. 22 at 3pm, and again on Sept. 26. The policy task force is meeting to determine and draft any new policies needed for the Saturday & Holiday Market.

The full committee schedule is on the other side!

Kim Still Day - Aug. 26

Next Saturday, we will be holding a party on the blocks for Kim Still, who spent more than 25 years working at and with the Saturday Market.

The plan is to start on the West Block at 3pm (deck construction permitting), and then to take everything over to the Main Stage at 3:30pm, including a performance from the Kim Still All-Star Band! There are plenty of ways for you to participate in the festivities.

There will be a basket available for best wishes cards to be dropped off on the Main Stage, the banners will have space for signatures, and there will be time for people to come up and say a few words thanking Kim for her dedication to The Saturday Market. Come out, have some fun with Kim and the rest of the Market family!

Annual Meeting - Sept. 10

The Annual Retreat is coming up on September 10th at the Lamb Cottage, just off of Skinner's Butte Park. This will be a great event for Market members and staff alike, a chance to spend some time together off of the park blocks. The Market is providing entrees and drinks, but we ask that market members bring sides and/or desserts. *Please RSVP by September 2nd, so we can ensure that there is enough for everyone!*

Job Openings

The Saturday Market has 2 open part time positions for support staff, and they're great spots.

First: there is an opening for set up/ take down crew member. Job is physically demanding and deals with people from diverse backgrounds. Must be reliable.

The second position is for Stage Manager/Entertainment Booker. Responsible for managing the entertainment stages, audio technical support, and booking of entertainment acts for the stages.

Please review the job listings on craigslist, The Saturday Market Facebook page, or in The Saturday Market office. Resumes are accepted online or in person, and applications are available in the office.

No phone calls for these positions, please. Come to the office or email employment@eugenesaturdaymarket.org with questions.

Local Events

Aug. 21 - Total Solar Eclipse!
Sept. 2 - Oregon Ducks vs Southern Utah
Sept. 4 - Labor Day



COWTOONS
by Willy Gibboner
White Raven Artwork
Booth 117



ENVELOPE ART
by Frank Goar
Booth 349A



ENVELOPE ART
by Shawn Brethauer
Booth 124A

We love seeing envelope art! Draw/paint/sketch something - It could end up right here!

The Market Corner



Happy Birthday to ceramic artist Susan Fishel today, accessory artist Lara Howe on Tuesday, and to coin artist David Rade on Thursday! We hope that this year is your very best yet!

There is a private Facebook group for Market members, filled with important information and announcements. Search for "Eugene Saturday Market Members" and request to be included. This group gets information on upcoming events, office happenings, and a digital version of this very newsletter every Friday!

The Kareng Fund is an emergency relief fund set up to help low income, self-employed artisans and their families who experience a serious career threatening crisis. You can make a donation any time, just specify your donation on the front of your payment envelope. You can "round up" your fees to easily donate a little each week. You can also help the Kareng Fund every time you purchase something from Amazon!

To contribute to the fund, go to smile.amazon.com and search for "Kareng Fund" and from then on every purchase you make through Amazon will benefit the Kareng Fund.

Need business cards? Signage? Tags? Holiday Market Ads? Market's Promo Manager Jake Strouckel will help you design them for free (up to one hour of time)! The only requirement is that you have at least 5 points. We can work together on the design, and then order them on line or give you files for printing on your own. Call 541-686-8885 to set up an appointment.

Do you need sandbags for your booth? OF COURSE YOU DO. Sandbags are available for purchase in the Saturday Market office, at a great price. Single sandbags for \$10, or a set of 4 for \$40. These are offered at cost for market members. Save your covering as the wind starts to pick up as we head into autumn! *Cash or check only for these items.*

Saturday Market Social Life!

Follow along with The Saturday Market on the website and through social media. Share your content to get included and reach a new audience!

Facebook

facebook.com/EugeneSaturdayMarket

Twitter / Instagram

@SaturdayMarket

We're also on Pinterest, Yelp, TripAdvisor, Google Business, YouTube, Flickr, and more. *What kind of social media content do you want to see?*

UnClassifieds

To place your free unclassified, bring it to the info booth by the end of the day, to the office by Thursday afternoon, or e-mail info@eugenesaturdaymarket.org with "NEWSLETTER" in the subject.

HOLIDAY GUIDEBOOK ADS: Did you buy an ad in the Holiday Market Guidebook? Next step: send your artwork (or questions) to Heather Robbins-Hinton at earnestefforts@msn.com by August 24th. We cannot accept ads after this date. (8/19)

NEW BOOK! has a brand new all ages book available. When Jacob, a biology student at the University of Oregon, finds Annabel in an ancient forest, sparks begin to fly. His story involves finding the love of his life, time travel, and something unexpected - BIGFOOT. **Bigfoot and the Ancient Forest** is available for \$7.95 in Booth 184. (8/19)

MARKET FEAST: The 3rd annual Lane County Farmers Market Feast happens on Aug. 27 at West Park & 8th Ave. Tickets are \$35 per person, including dinner, drink ticket, and dancing. Grand Ronde String Band will be playing after dinner. Tickets are available at lanecountyfarmersmarket.org until the day before the event. 541-431-4923. (8/19)

ROOM NEEDED: Are You Looking For A Housemate To Share Your Home? I am a mature woman who is seeking a permanent room in a house in the Eugene area. Lived in Eugene over 15+ years. I do not smoke, nor do I have any animals, though I love them all. I live simply. Best way to reach me is email. bikewoodstock@gmail.com Blessings, Planet (8/12)

COMMUNITY SUPPORT NEEDED: Volunteers at OCF experienced a home arson, causing damage and injuries to pups. The vet bills have gone over \$10,000. A fundraiser raffle will be held on Sept. 9. If you are able to donate prizes, please contact Spirit & Bryon at 541-554-9806, or drop items by Sue Theolass' booth, #321. (8/12)

CELEBRATING PORCELAIN: Katie Swenson teaches this class at Clay Space on Monday afternoons, starting Sept. 11-Oct. 23, 12pm-3pm. After a summer of sunshine and inspiration, Katie will be ready for a new session of instruction on hand-building with porcelain. Find Katie on the fountain side or contact Clay Space at 541-653-8089 (8/5)

INSTRUCTORS NEEDED: The Erb Memorial Union Craft Center at the University of Oregon seeks knowledgeable instructors available Fall term. Expertise especially wanted in the areas of woodworking, ceramics, glassblowing (torch and hot shop), glass fusing, leatherworking, painting, and functional crafts. Please apply using the instructor application on the Craft Center website Contact page: craftcenter.uoregon.edu/contact. EO/AA/Veterans/Disability institution committed to cultural diversity. (7/29)

Food Court Specials!

Food vendors! E-mail info@eugenesaturdaymarket.org with "SPECIAL" in the subject to include your latest creations.

BLT&C QUESO-MELT AT RITTA'S BURRITOS! Jack and Feta cheese topped with crispy bacon, grilled between two tortillas then layered with slices of fresh, organic, garden tomatoes and shredded romaine lettuce. Dressed with creamy Ranch Avocado sauce. Served with chips and salsa.

BANGKOK GRILL SALAD ROLLS! Bangkok Grill will be bringing back our fresh salad rolls for one more month! Choice of tofu or shrimp roll filled with lettuce, carrot, mint leaves, Anaheim pepper, and rice vermicelli noodle. Rolled in fresh rice paper and served with choice of peanut sauce or sweet chili sauce. \$4 for one roll, \$7.50 for two.

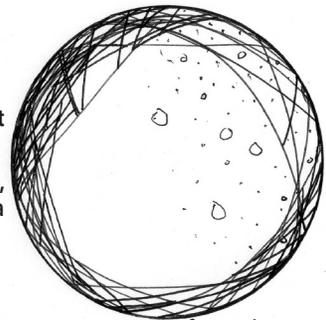
MIGHTY APHRODITE AT RENAISSANCE PIZZA! August's special is their Aphrodite Pizza, with organic baby Spinach, shaved fennel bulb, red onions, fennel seed and currants, drizzled with a Kalamata extra virgin olive oil!

Weather

Another beautiful day at the Market!

Expect morning clouds, afternoon sun, and a high of 81!

Winds N at 10-20 mph



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On the Market Stage

10:00 AM **Justus & Ellawyn**

Swing, jazz & blues

11:00 AM **Jodi Koplin's Jigglejam**

A musicfest for children

12:00 PM **Lotus Unfolding**

Sacred Earth spirit music

1:00 PM **Richie G & MaBeat**

Folk with a sweet island vibe

2:00 PM **Anya Lecuyer Quartet**

Jazz & Rock

3:30 PM **The Miller Bros Band**

Classic Soul and Rock & Roll

Committee Meetings

Board of Directors

Weds. Sept. 6, 5:15 PM

Agenda: TBA

Annual Meeting

Sunday, Sept. 10, 11 AM-3 PM, Lamb Cottage

Standards Committee

Weds, Sept. 20, 5:00 PM

Agenda: TBD

Standards Screenings

Weds, Sept. 6 & 20, 4:15 PM

New member orientation at 3:30

Holiday Market Committee

Weds, Sept. 13, 4:00 PM

Agenda: TBD

Policy Task Force

Tues. Aug. 22, 3:00 PM

Market Street Team

Thurs. Sept. 14, 1:00 PM

Agenda: Guidebook Distribution & New Members

Board of Directors Election

Saturday, December 9-10, 2017

All meetings take place at the Market Office, 30 E. Broadway #124, Eugene. All are welcome!

Credit Card Sales

Market accepts Visa, Mastercard, Discover & American Express. Send your customer to the Info Booth with a properly filled out credit card slip (avail at Info Booth). Your check for the amount of the sale less 5% for bank charges will be ready on Wednesday at noon at the office or mailed at the end of the day Wednesday.

THE SATURDAY MARKET BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS

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