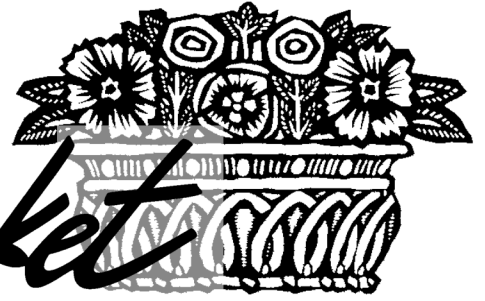


Today's Highlights, August 30, 2014

- Holiday Market Space Assignments at 26 Points
- Make an Art Bag for Holiday Market!
- How to Understand Your Holiday Market Invoice!
- Unclassifieds, Weather, Meetings and more on the other side!

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Saturday Market

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From Beth

You have a voice. You are able, of course, to speak your mind and be clear about what you want and expect from the Eugene Saturday Market. And you also have a voice of expression in your art. In each booth space a message is conveyed about what is beautiful, serves a function perfectly, makes a statement or tastes good. A pure essence of our Market is that every piece reflects the member's expression, opinion, attitude and outlook. Look at your work. Make sure that it is not so simple that no one could tell the artist who made it. This is your chance to shine, to send a part of yourself out into the world where it will stand on its own. Ensure that your work will speak beyond today and have a lovely Saturday.

-Beth

Manager Evaluations

The Personnel Committee is offering you a chance to evaluate the performance of General Manager Beth Little and Promotions Manager Kim Still. Evaluation forms are available at the Info Booth. When turned in, the forms will go into a locked box and given directly to the Personnel Committee. You can drop the forms off at the Info Booth or send them to the Office. The deadline for these forms to be turned in is Sept. 10.

Letter From A Market Member

I love our Saturday Market for so many reasons. The generosity I have been shown by other members is amazing—from sharing of supplies because I forgot something at home, help with a tarp on a rainy day, to the biggest gift of all—sharing of knowledge when I want to learn something new. It is truly special how we can freely share our skills and techniques with each other.

One personal example of this is I have been offered assistance by Lexi Stein from Forever Flowers to restore antique beaded flowers, something I look forward to doing this winter.

Recently I have been delving into copper as a medium, and I am dissatisfied with the metals need to tarnish. I've used the internet as a resource to find a solution, and tried several

things unsuccessfully, so last week I asked my fellow marketeers who work with copper for advice. Everyone I asked shared their experience and techniques. Electroplating seems like a method I'd like to try, but the expense for the equipment is staggering. Then the most amazing thing! A vendor, David Rade, who has the system I am interested in, came over and invited me to his home to watch and participate in the process. What an offer! Where else, I ask you, are crafters and artists so open with each other? Kim Still says, "the rising tide floats all boats". I feel blessed to witness our kindness to each other. It is a treasure beyond words.

-Nome May, Blessed Bead

Art Bags Again!

Once again the Holiday Market Committee is asking you Market artisans to decorate a big, blank canvas bag in whatever artful way you want. The bags will be displayed and then given away via a drawing to customers at the end of the first weekend of Holiday Market. If you decorate a bag, you won't be compensated for your work, but the bags will be publicized in advance and displayed all weekend long. We are making 25 bags this year. Until Sept. 15, you can sign up to make a bag if you did not make one last year. If we have some left, repeat decorators are allowed. Sign up at the Info Booth!

Holiday Market Tips:

The Holiday Market Invoice

Now that the 2014 Holiday Market is being booked, the mechanisms fall into place to get the show up and running. Part of that is the Holiday Market invoice. The invoice is a reflection of your record in our database. It has four parts.

The first section is your information as it is in our database and therefore how it will come up when booth staff search for you. This section has your name, address, phone, company name, category and keywords. There are

two phone numbers. The first is the one we give to customers. If the first looks like this: 000-0000, it means that you have asked us not to give your number out. The category will indicate the section that your name will be printed in the weekly Holiday Market directory. The key words are used by the staff to assist customers find you when looking for your product.

The second section shows the spaces and dates for which you are booked as well as payments and balance due. Your booth fee has had \$25 added which will be returned after you complete your work task (or subtracted if you have a balance.) If you are signed up for a work task, it will show the task and time. Your completed task will show as a payment of \$25 with no receipt number. There is no limit to the amount of payments you can make each week. Many members find it easier to pay in a lot of smaller payments.

The third section is the booth partner. If you have a booth partner, remember that when you share the cost of the booth to subtract the \$25 work task fee. If you are a booth partner, your space/s in section two will show with a B after the number and your cost will be your \$25 work task and \$5 fee per week up to \$20. This fee will not be more than \$45.

The fourth section at the bottom shows how to contact us and when payments are due. Invoices are sent out for payments due on September 15, October 15, November 15 and then delivered to your booth at the Holiday Market. Please review all of the information and make sure that it is correct.

Local Events

Today - Ducks vs S. Dakota, 7:30 PM
Sept. 6 - Ducks vs. Michigan State, 3:30
Sept. 13 - Ducks vs. Wyoming, 11:00 AM



The Market Corner



Happy Birthday to potter Alex Lanham and jeweler Vince LaRoche today, potter Laura Jackson tomorrow, woodworker Craig Butler on Monday, hair adornment maker Mariah Stevens on Tuesday, and rug maker Eddie O'Shea and artist/cowtoonist Willy Gibboney on Wednesday!!

Potter Frank Gosar has a new blog. Slightly Off Center: Random Ruminations of a Working Potter is at offcntr.livejournal.com. Newest entries are at the top; scroll down to the bottom to read from the start.

Help the Kareng Fund every time you purchase something from Amazon.com! 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. To sign up for this easy way to contribute to the fund simply go to <http://smile.amazon.com/ch/46-1198603> and from then on every purchase you make through Amazon will also benefit the Kareng Fund. Sign up today!

The Siuslaw Watershed Council's Fundraising event is September 20th at the Florence Event Center at 6pm. We'd love to have your item at our silent auction! Please contact Eron King spiralmom@peak.org if you're interested in helping the Council continue to restore Salmon Habitat and educate kids on the importance of clean water! This donation is tax deductible!

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 to kimstill@eugenesaturdaymarket.org, put "newsletter" in the subject line.

For sale: used wooden market booth built to original saturday market plans. \$30. See Nome in space #129 or call 541-998-1650 (8/30)

Happy Day! Earth Bookkeeping & Payroll is now accepting new clients. Your small business is really important to us. Check us out at earthbookkeeping.com. Call now for a free initial consultation. Michael 541.359.4988 (8/23)

For sale, twill weave Navajo saddle blanket, \$175. Full Navajo two grey hills rug \$400. Huichol women's embroidered clothing and bags and necklace, \$400. Call or text Christine, 541-653-7430 or 541-321-2636 or see her in space 162 on the West Park Block. (8/16)

I have a great armoire that I need to sell to create some room. Solid wood built (not antique), "French" style. Could be used for clothing storage, art center, entertainment center, whatever your creative mind decides! I bought it for \$1200 asking \$750. You pick up and transport. Kit (541-654-1033) (8/16)

The corn guy is now selling on Tuesdays on the northwest corner of the east block. (8/9)

Greg and Mary Designs in Jewelry - We are selling our Market displays: Caravan 8x8 and 10x10 pop up booths in great condition vinyl top, 4 sides and awnings Display cabinets, jewelry display forms, Jewelry gift boxes. Light setup for Holiday Market. Too Much to list... Call Mary 541-517-9318 if I do not answer leave a message and I will call you back. (8/2)

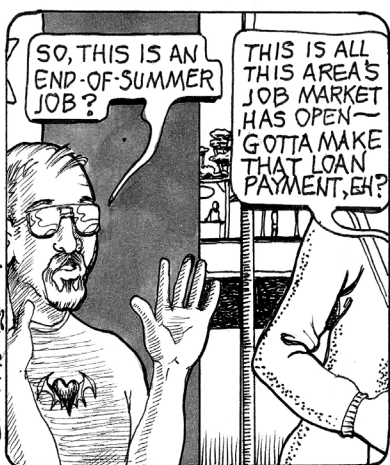
Renaissance Pizza is visiting the Greek Isles with their August special, Aphrodite Pizza: shaved fennel, red onion, fennel seed and currants on a bed of organic baby spinach and drizzled with Greek olive oil! (8/2)

Ritta's Burritos' August special is the Black Beauty Burrito: Freshly cooked black beans, sesame rice, cheddar cheese, guacamole, shredded romaine with corn relish salsa. (8/2)

Wanted, booth share at Holiday Market. I have a 6'x3' space available all dates, Nov. 28-Dec. 24.

\$300 for all or \$25 per day. Visit Elizabeth at booth 100 or call 541-556-4960. No jewelry, sorry. (8/2)

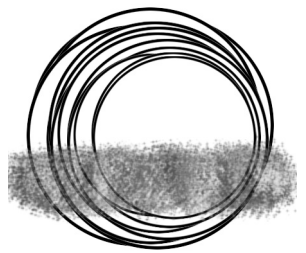
THE freak SHOW by DANIEL SONAN



Weather

Just this once, I'm fine with seeing a little R-word in the forecast: A 20 percent chance of showers after 11am. Mostly cloudy, with a high near 74. Calm wind becoming west southwest around 5 mph in the afternoon.

sales, O sales, sales I hope!
-ancient Market incantation (Nov 3, 1973 b.c.e.)



On the Market Stage

- 10:00 AM **Eric Nicholson** -fresh folk
- 11:00 AM **bRadical Magic** -impromptu magic
- 12:00 PM **Richard Crandell & Masumi Timson** -mbira & koto
- 1:00 PM **BigFoot Lane** -acoustic string band
- 2:00 PM **Americanistan** -Middle Eastern dancing and music
- 3:30 PM **Olem Alves & Inner Limits** -funk groove

Committee Meetings

Board of Directors

Weds. Sept. 3, 5:15 PM
Agenda: mentorship for new members
Annual Meeting, Weds. Oct. 1, 5:15 PM

Standards Committee

Weds. Sept. 17, 4:15 PM
Agenda: artwork printed on garments

Standards Screenings

4:15 PM, Sept. 3, Sept 17, Oct 1

Holiday Market Committee

Weds. Sept. 10, 4:00 PM
Agenda: Holiday Hall, Art Bags, Advertising

Food Court Committee

TBA

Social Media Social (not a committee)

Thurs. Sept. 25, 4:00 PM
Topic: Facebook, Pinterest

Board of Directors Election

Saturday, December 13-14

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.

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