Join the Board of Directors!

Deadline is WEDNESDAY

It’s time to consider running for the Market’s Board of Directors. Three eighteen month positions will be open.

Candidate Statement Deadline: Weds, Nov. 22nd
Board Election: Dec. 9th & 10th at Holiday Market.
Absentee Ballots: Available in Info Center or Market Office, beginning on Nov. 24th.

You must have attended one Board meeting in the 12 months before the election. We have one board meeting remaining, scheduled for December 6th at 5:15pm. Attending this meeting will qualify you as a candidate. As always, all are welcome to attend! -)

Here Only This Weekend?

Remember to let your customers know if this is your only weekend selling, or if you are not coming back until the last three days. Many folks assume that everyone is here all the time and will come looking for you later, so capture those sales today!

Credit Card Transactions

We are pleased to provide the service of credit card transactions to facilitate your sales. We take Visa, Mastercard, American Express and Discover. There are full instruction and visa slips for your use in the Vendor Service Center. Complete the form with your full first and last name, NOT your business name or your boilermaster’s name. In order to assist your customer in getting back to your booth, we have color coded the slips to match your area of the room.

Keep your slips each day to confirm that your check is correct. The checks for this weekend will be available in the Vendor Service Center on Friday, November 24th.

If you are not selling on Thanksgiving weekend, we will mail your checks to the address we have on file for you.

Holiday Market Poster

Holiday Market posters, Holiday Market postcards and Gift Guides are all available in the Vendor Service Center. Feel free to grab some and help spread the word. Posters or postcards will begin to appear in the break room at your local coffee shop, leave a couple of guidebooks at your doctor’s office. Any place where you see lots of people is a great spot for a Holiday Market announcement.

Remove Tape, Please!

If you are in the same space for the entire show, help us out and pull your tape off the floor once you are sure you are in the right location. At the end of the Holiday Market, we are required to pull all the tape off the floor and tape that has been in place for six weeks can be kind of hard to remove. Thanks for your help!

Important Parking Info

Park your vehicle in the parking lot behind the building. The front parking lot is for customers. Don’t leave anything in your car, as thefts do happen.

Holiday Market Tips

Electricity and the extension cord

Each booth has 500 watts of electric power. Only three pronged (grounded) extension cords are allowed to be used in the Holiday Market. As simple as this may seem, every year the fire marshal finds a few vendors that are still using the smaller ‘zip cord’ ungrounded type of cord. These are not permitted. Power strips are acceptable. Please make the investment in grounded cords and watch the wattage on light bulbs.

Check Your Fire Extinguisher

Add this to your HM preparation list: make sure your fire extinguisher has a current tag. If not, now’s a good time to get it updated before the fire inspection on Opening Day of Holiday Market. If you can’t find your fire extinguisher, it’s time to get a new one! The minimum size must be a U.L. classification 2A10C.

Fees & Late Fees

This is a reminder! You must pay all your Park Blocks owing by the end of the season in order to get the points you’ve earned for those unpaid Market days. These points will be very valuable next year for both Saturday and Holiday Market space allocations. Also, a $5 late fee is added to your owning after 30 days, and after 60 days a $10 fee is added.

Avoid the fees and get caught up on all of your Park Blocks past owing!

Local Events

Nov. 18 - HOLIDAY MARKET BEGINS
Nov. 18 - Ducks vs Arizona - 4pm kickoff
Nov 25 - Thanksgiving
Nov 25 - Small Business Saturday (that’s all of us!)

For more information and updates, please check the Holiday Market postcards, Holiday Market postcards, Holiday Market postcards.
Holiday Market Dress Up Days!

Nov 18th - Elves & Fairies Day
Nov 19th - Favorite Color Day
Nov 24th - Black Tie/Prom Day
Nov 25th - Cultural Day
Nov 26th - Fancy Headwear Day
Dec 2nd - Summer of Love Day
Dec 3rd - Hawaiian/Tropical Day
Dec 9th - Pirates & Cowboys Day
Dec 10th - Animal Day
Dec 16th - Favorite Artist Day
Dec 17th - Business/Character/Cosplay Day
Dec 22nd - Solstice Day
Dec 23rd - Gitter/Shiny Day
Dec 24th - Ugly Sweater/Pajama Day

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.

MEMBER AD OPPORTUNITY: Are you interested in getting some local advertisements at a reduced rate? The Cottage Grove Sentinel has an opening for advertisements. Promote your business for 12 weeks in the Cottage Grove Sentinel Gallery of Services for just $139.75. You can set this up to begin anytime. Spaces are also available in our community calendar. All options are a great way to promote your business, and get some SEO elevation at the same time if you are interested, contact the Sentinel at 541-924-3235 or opsentinel.com

LOOKING FOR BOOTH SPACE: I am looking to share a booth for any of the weekends in December. I have one product so I don’t need much more. I am flexible on size, as long as it opens up or sharing a 4x4 in Holiday Hall would be great. Or other possibilities. Contact Keith at 541-683-5296 and let me know what you have. (11/4)

RACKS FOR SALE: Racks (3) for sale for artists’ wares. I used them when I did stained glass, and they are good for anything small that can be hung on a hook. 3 different size. Made of 1/4 steel rods, painted black, curved on top to rest over a steel booth frame. Make an offer. Contact Melissa at 541-345-3365. (11/4)

SNOWFLAKES WANTED: Paper snowflakes for the Holiday Market food court tables. We have a lot from many vendors over the years, but there is room for more. Have your paper-cutting prowess preserved under plastic, to be enjoyed by all for years to come! White paper please. HAPPY CUTTING! Bring them to Elise in Booth 165 by the end of October, or drop off at the Saturday Market office. (10/27)

PAT EDWARDS NEW BOOK: The Bailey’s of Bailey Hill profiles 10 members of a family who crossed the plains to Oregon in the 1840s and 1850s. Their fascinating life stories tell of a close family who served and sacrificed for their communities in Oregon. Contact author Pat Edwards for additional information at pawndrew@yahoo.com or in his booth at the Holiday Market. (10/27)

NEW BOOK FROM JOE R BLAKELY: Market member and Highway 101 historian Joe R Blakely has a new novel. “Murdern on Oregon’s Coast Highway 1961.” It is described as a 1960s thriller that races down the scenic Oregon Coast. Check out the book in Joe’s space, Booth 184 (10/14)

WREATH FESTIVAL & AUCTION: Shelton McMur- phey Johnson House is holding the Wreath Festival & Auction again this year, to support Eugene’s historic Cas- tle on the Hill. Wreaths are due Nov. 22nd. The Wreath Festival will run from Dec. 1st - 20th at the Oregon Wine Lab, 460 Lincoln. For more information, visit umwhouse.org/wreath-fest (10/14)

WHOA-BOTZ IS SELLING MARKET BOOTH: 4 x 4 self standing booth, with shelves. If you haven’t seen it in person, pics are available. Asking $100. Contact Jer- emy at 541-477-5683 (10/7)

Holiday Market Food Court!

RENAISSANCE PIZZA FIC, FILBERT & CHEVRE PIZZA AND MORE! The monthly special features organic black Mission figs, organic toasted filberts, Chèvre goat cheese and is topped with fresh organic wild arugula! Holiday Market marks the return of our RENAISSANCE PIZZA. The Baileys of Bailey Hill profiles 10 members of a family who crossed the plains to Oregon in the 1840s and 1850s. Their fascinating life stories tell of a close family who served and sacrificed for their communities in Oregon. Contact author Pat Edwards for additional information at pawndrew@yahoo.com or in his booth at the Holiday Market. (10/27)

SO-MELT WITH FRESH CRANBERRY SALSA

RITTA’S BURRITOS

COTTAGE GROVE PARCHMENT PIZZA

FIG, FILBERT & CHEVRE

RENAISSANCE PIZZA

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