Today’s Highlights: September 2, 2017

- Today’s weather may be extreme - please stay hydrated and safe!
- We need your RSVP’s for the Annual Meeting today!
- Holiday Market Booking Continues - Currently at 21 Points and Higher
- Committee Schedules, Market Corner, UnClassifieds and MORE on the back page!

Saturday Market

MARKETPLACE • COMMUNITY • CELEBRATION

From Kirsten
Good Morning Saturday Marketers!

It is going to be a hot and potentially smoky Saturday. It is important to stay hydrated and if you feel your health, or that of your staff, is in danger, you may leave the market. Please let the information booth know that you are leaving early and leave discretely to minimize disruption to the market. We will be checking the heat index and smoke levels and if we determine it is a threat to the market members and staff we will make an announcement of an early closure. It is never our goal to close early, but it is important that members know what the market management intends to do if the weather becomes a health issue.

Today is the last day to sign-up for the Annual Meeting on September 10th at Lamb’s Cottage from 11am-noon, and then we will have a dress from 11am-3pm. We need an accurate head count for food, so please RSVP today!

We are still looking for nominations for Volunteer of the Year Award. We will accept nominations through Wednesday, September 6th at noon. You can email your nomination to info@eugenesaturdaymarket.org, or drop off your nomination to the information booth. In an effort to help you identify this deserving individual, here is a list of current market volunteers, in no particular order (if I miss someone, my deepest apologies).

Willia Bauman
Elz Masset
Diane McWhorter
Tyn Mazet
Deb Shusler
Paula Marie Gorley
Rita Drier
Teresa Pitzer
Alan Pointer
Lynn Brown
Dru Marchbanks
Misl Hansen
Janet Rosenburg
Heather Hinton
Maria Moule
Julia Garrettson
Kelly Durtan
Sarah O’Grady
Nome May
Jaccelyn Cor
Melissa Garcia-Perry
Colleen Bauman

Holiday Market Update!

Booking Holiday Market Spaces:
Vanessa is deep into the booking process. She’s currently contacting members with more than 21 Holiday Market points. Booking will continue into September. Come by the info booth for a look at the current map.

STATEMENTS ARE IN THE MAIL: Holiday Market Statements have been sent out to everyone with a booked space. Please take the time to review your statement, and contact Vanessa if you find any discrepancies.

If you haven’t Turned In Your App: if you have not turned in your application, you can still do so! 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! 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.

Annual Meeting - Sept. 10
Today is the last day to RSVP for September 10th Annual Meeting at the Cottage. It will be a great day, a chance to spend time together off of the park blocks, and get a market update. Kirsten will be giving a “State of The Market” address from 11am-noon, and then we will have time to hang out from noon-3pm. The Market is providing entrees and drinks, but we ask that market members bring sides and/or desserts.

Saman Hamsongkram
Sue Theeliss
Leslie Newcomer
Jaimie Gentile
Jeff & Kim Allen
Sheila Pointer
Gary Becker
Sarah Jones
Happy Selling!
Kirsten

Extreme Weather Policy

The Saturday Market’s practice is that if you come down and sell, but later begin to suffer ill-effects from the heat and staying would compromise your health, you are permitted to pack up and leave early. Please inform your neighbors and the staff at the information booth of your need to leave and minimize disruption to Market as you make your way out. We understand that the threshold for heat intolerance isn’t the same for everyone.

As a business owner, it is your right and responsibility to protect yourself and your employees from harm. The important thing is that you came down to make a Market.

Committee Updates

The Saturday Market Standards Screening and New Member Orientation happens this Wednesday, September 6th. If you have friends or family who are looking to join the market, there is no better time than this week!

The Board of Directors meets at 5:15pm on Wednesday. All members are welcome and encouraged to attend.

The full committee schedule is on the other side!

Saturday Market on Food Network!

Last summer, a TV crew from The Food Network came through the Saturday Market. The Eugene episode of I Hart Food, airs this Monday, September 4th, at 10pm. Keep an eye out for our home on a national cable broadcast, with a great perspective on food.

The Elves of Holiday Market

The Opening Weekend of Holiday Market, Nov. 18-19, is full of elves! We want many participants!

If you’d like to play along, here’s what you need to do:
1. Create an elf! It can be three dimensional, or two dimensional. Last year there were doll elves, felted elves, an elf glazed on a bowl, wooden elves, tiny elves, big elves, and a Marketeer elf.
2. Get your elf into a photo shoot. This will let us include your elf in the game sheet that attendees use to find the elves. Get your elf or a photo of your elf to Jane in the office, or bring it to Market for a photo, by Saturday, Oct. 28. We will be asking if you want to gift your elf as a prize, or not.
3. During opening weekend (Nov. 18-19), display the elf in your booth. If you want to make an elf but won’t be selling on opening weekend, we can find someone to adopt your elf for the weekend.

If you have any elfish questions, email info@eugenesaturdaymarket.org

Local Events
Sept. 4 - Labor Day
Sept. 9 - Oregon Ducks vs Nebraska
Sept. 10 - Saturday Market Annual Meeting!
UnClassifieds
To place your free unclassified, bring it to the info booth by the end of the day, or to the office by Thursday afternoon, or e-mail info@eugenesaturdaymarket.org with “NEWSLETTER” in the subject.

ELECTRIC KILN FOR SALE: Olympic electric kiln, model 2831 (same size as Skutt 1227). Still works well, but I’m upgrading to computer-controlled. Make offer. Frank Gosar, Booth 349, frank@offcenter.biz (9/2)

FREE SEEDS: Foglie, globeulinum, lunaria (Money Plant), and more. Most may be planted/catered now for plants in the spring. Make hummingsbirds & bees happy! Visit Eile in Booth 145 (8/26)

BOOTH PARTNER WANTED: I have a great space at Holiday Market, that I’d love to share. Great exposure, with lots of foot traffic, $350 + work tax, for 12 days! Contact Elizabeth at 541-556-4980 or drop by Booth 100 on the Park Blocks. (8/26)

MARKET FEAST: The 3rd annual Lane County Farmers Market Feast happens tomorrow, Aug. 27 at West Park & 8th Ave. Tickets are $35 per person, including dinner, drink ticket, and dancing. Grand Rondo Swing Band will be playing after dinner. Tickets available at lanecountymarketfarmers.org - today is the last day to get tickets. 541-431-4923. (8/26)

NEW BOOK! Writer Joe R. Blakely 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)

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. Live 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. bikewood.stock@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 & Byron at 541-554-9860, or drop items by Sue Theolass’ booth, #422. (8/12)

CELEBRATING PORCELAIN: Katie Swenson teaches this class at Clay Space on Monday afternoons, starting Sept. 11. 12pm-3pm. After a summer of studio and inspiration, Katie will be ready for a new session of instruction on hand building with porcel. 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. Experience especially wanted in the areas of woodworking, ceramics, glass blowing (torch and hot shop), glass fusing, leatherworking, painting, drawing, and functional crafts. Please apply using the instructor application on the Craft Center website Contact page: crafcenter.uesc@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.

BANGKOK GRILL PA RAM LONG SONG (SWIMMING PRINCE) Choice of marinated chicken or tofu satay, shredded carrot and cabbage tossed in a light rice vinegar dressing and served over a bed of fresh spinach. Topped with our famous peanut sauce. $7

RENAISSANCE PIZZA brings an in-season special for September! The Tomato. Rosemary and Garlic pizza features fresh local organic tomatoes, fresh organic rosemary leaves and organic minced garlic, drizzled with an organic Arbequina, extra virgin olive oil.

Weather
Labor Day weekend is bringing the heat!
Expect sun all day, with a high of 96 degrees!
Winds NW around Smph, with widespread smoke. Keep safe with water!

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Committee Meetings
Board of Directors
Wed., Sept. 6, 5:15 PM
Agenda: TBA

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

Standards Committee
Wed., Sept. 20, 3:00 PM
Agenda: TBD

Standards Screenings
Wed., Sept. 6 & 20, 4-5:15 PM
New member orientation at 3:30

Holiday Market Committee
Wed., Sept. 13, 4:00 PM
Agenda: TBD

Policy Task Force
Tues., Sept. 26, 2:00 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 Infos booth with a properly filled credit card slip (avail at Info Booth). Your check for the amount of the sale less 5% for bank charges will be ready on Monday at noon at the office or mailed at the end of the day Wednesday.

The Market Corner
Happy Birthday to Mariah Stevens today. Stephen Losness & Willy Gibbons tomorrow, Bruce Kramer, Gloria Yep, Linda Williams, and Peggy Rodrigues on Wednesday, Deb Schussler on Thursday, and to Nancy Bright on Friday! Have your best year yet, and enjoy your special day!

Market Office Closed for Labor Day
The Saturday Market office is closed on Tuesday, September 5th, to observe Labor Day. The Tuesday Market, however, will still be happening, so if you’re able to join in, come to the Park Blocks Tuesday morning!

Thanks from Kim! Thank you, all my beloved Market friends and neighbors, for the wonderful tribute last Saturday! I was so honored and overwhelmed by all the kind words, cards, gifts, smiles, hugs, songs and those wonderful big banners. I didn’t get to wander all over and say hi to everyone last week, but lucky for me, I can visit you all whenever I want to. Just feel free to kick me out of your booth when I get too long-winded... See you Saturdays! Kim Still

Saturday Market Members Facebook Group
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 the newsletter every Friday afternoon! Help to reduce paper waste, and get a headstart on the latest Saturday Market News!

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 purchase you make through Amazon will benefit the Kareng Fund.

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!

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E-mail - info@eugenesaturdaymarket.org
Office Hours - Tuesday-Thursday, 10am-4pm

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On the Market Stage
10:00 AM Rudolf Korb
Singer, Musician, Songwriter
11:00 AM Richard Candell & Masumi

3:30 PM The Geo 4
Fresh, original, jazz.