Today’s Highlights: September 9, 2017

• Weather is back to normal, and the Ducks are back to playing games!
• The Annual Meeting is tomorrow, September 10th!
• Holiday Market Booking Continues - Currently at 14 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 should be a mild day today with no smoky skies. If it does become smoky and you feel your health is at risk and you need to leave please let the information booth know and minimize the disruption to the market when you leave.

The Market office will close at 2:30pm on Thursday, September 14th. The staff will be taking a field trip to the Lane Events Center to tour the facility for Holiday Market set-up. Many of our staff has not been through a Holiday Market (myself included), so we need to get our bearings early so we can hit the ground running when the time comes.

We are creating a new committee and are looking for volunteers. It is a Party Planning Committee. This committee would be charged with the Annual Meeting, the Harvest Potluck and various other events that may arise on occasion. If you are interested in joining this committee, please send me an email at kbolton@eugenasanturdaymarket.org.

Don’t forget tomorrow’s the Annual Meeting at Lamb’s Cottage from 11am-3pm. We will hold the Annual Meeting from 11am-12pm, with reports from all of the committees and a State of the Market address by me. At noon we will enjoy some lunch and then listen to live music at 1pm. The entrée and drinks will be provided. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share. Hope to see you there!

Happy Selling!

Kirsten

Annual Meeting - Sept. 10

This Sunday is the Annual Meeting! It will be a great day, with a detailed Market Update. Kirsten will be giving a “State of The Market” address from 11am-noon, and then we will have various other events that may arise on occasion. If you are interested in joining this committee, please send me an email at kbolton@eugenasanturdaymarket.org.

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Holiday Market Update!

BOOKING HOLIDAY MARKET SPACES: Vanessa is deep into the booking process. She’s currently contacting members with more than 14 Holiday Market points. Booking will continue into October.

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!

STATEMENT QUESTIONS: Review your Holiday Market statement for accuracy. Verify your key words, your Holiday Market dates, your space, and your balance. If you have any questions about your Holiday Market statement, or need assistance in understanding the statement, please call Vanessa in the office.

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 seat 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.

If you have not received a phone call from Vanessa, and you have more than 14 Holiday Market points, please take a moment to contact the Saturday Market office at 541-686-8885.

Committee Updates

The Saturday Market Board of Directors met on Wednesday, September 6, in the Saturday Market conference room, taking on direct member requests, reviewing committee reports, and items of interest for Saturday & Holiday Market. Meeting minutes are available, once approved by the board, on the Saturday Market website. The the Holiday Market Committee meets on September 13th, and Food Committee meets on September 14th @ 2:30pm. All members are welcome and encouraged to attend. Please take some time to consider joining a Saturday Market committee or task force. It’s a chance to contribute and help guide the Market forward!

The full committee schedule is on the other side!

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 elfines in the game sheet that attendees use to find the elves. Get your elf or a photo of your elf to Jake 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 chris@eugenasanturdaymarket.org.

Beautiful Booth of the Month

Congratulations to Emily Bishop of Henna Creations, featured as Beautiful Booth of the Month for September 2017.

Congratulations to Emily for her inviting booth and great body artwork. She has been doing henna for 17 years, with 13 years at The Saturday Market. On top of the creative live art, Emily has built an outstanding space for her booth, with welcoming curtains and throw pillows adding to the ambiance.

If you have never seen it, please take some time to go into Emily’s tent. It’s like stepping into another world! Plus, it’s a fun experience to get some henna or jagua applied. You’ll feel like having a brand new tattoo, without the lifetime commitment.

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Tip of the Week: Leave the Book at Home

There are slow, boring times in a Market day. It’s tempting to sink into a chair in the corner, and into that good book you’re reading, or the sudoku puzzle, or your latest text conversation. The problem is, when a customer finally does show up, they may be hesitant to disturb you, even if you do look up and smile at them.

A better strategy for slow times is to be up and straightening your display, dusting, polishing, being engaged with your wares and ready to chat with whoever comes by. If you are doing some kind of easily interrupted activity, it doesn’t appear that you are waiting to pounce on them, or too bored to care. Share your wares and your enthusiasm!

Local Events

Sept. 9 - Oregon Ducks vs Nebraska
Sept. 10 - Saturday Market Annual Meeting!
Sept. 16 - Hult Center 35th Anniversary Celebration

Stars & Leaves
by Kate Sweeney

Caffeine Withdrawal
by Christine Rock

We love seeing envelope art! Draw/paint/sketch something - it could end up right here!
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 MARKET BOOTH PARTNER WANTED:
Booth 153 is a corner booth with good exposure. $546 for all weekends. Call Mitch at 541-510-2380 or see her on the south side of the West Block at Saturday Market. (W)

HOUSE FOR SALE: Sweet well built vintage house in the woods on 4 acres with out buildings and small pasture only 20 minutes from Eugene. Good spring fed well water, year-round creek, new roof and paint, well maintained. Motivated to sell. See Paulette at Booth 158 for pictures or call 541-935-7658 for showing. (W)

HEAT PACK SALE: Going out of biz sale. All flaxseed heat packs on sale...Get your X-mas gifts early. Booth 158 (W/S).

DISPLAY PANELS FOR SALE: 2 white double panels, heavy duty, standing. $5, $40 for the pair. 6 black double panels, 4’x4 for lighter objects, $20 each or all for $100. All in good condition. Call Peter at 541-543-0994 if interested. (S/W)

WOOL FOR SALE: 2 large Recessed, rare, spotted Jacob sheep. $10 each or best offer. Also, ducklings and chicks. Contact Lauren, Booth 124 or 541-744-2750 (S/W).

CELEBRATING PORCELAIN: Katie Swenson teaches this class at Clay Space on Monday afternoons, starting this Monday, Sept. 11-Oct. 12, 123pm-3pm. Al- ter 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 541-653-8009 (E)

ELECTRIC KILN FOR SALE: Olympic electric kiln, model 2931 (same size as Skut 1227). Still works well, but I’m upgrading to computer-controlled. Make offer. Frank Gosar, Booth 349, frank@officebiz.net (B/S)

FREE SEEDS: Foxglove, columbine, lunaria (Money Plant), and more. Most may be planted/scattered now for plants in the spring. Make hummingbirds & bees happy: Visit Elise in Booth 145 (B/S/20)

NEW BOOK: Writer Joe R. Blakely has a brand new all ages book available. When Jacob, a biology stu- dent 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. (B/19)

ROOM NEEDED: Are You Looking For A Housemate To Share Your Home? I am a mature woman who is looking for a room to rent. Please call Clay Space on Monday afternoons, teaching this class at Clay Space on Monday afternoons, starting this Monday, Sept. 11-Oct. 12, 123pm-3pm. Al- ter 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 541-653-8009 (E)

WINDS W around 20mph, with the wildfire smoke subsiding! HUZZAH!

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On the Market Stage
10:00 AM Lonesome Randall Rock & Roll historian
11:00 AM Magic Mama Music Original hip-hop & world beats for the whole family
12:00 PM Gypsy Moon Mediterranean inspired dance music
1:00 PM Dubious Rubes Piano/acoustic guitar duo
2:00 PM Sun Bossa Brazilian Bossa Nova
3:30 PM Bajanua Soulful organic rock

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 morning at noon or at the end of the day. Wednesday.

The Market Corner
Happy Birthday to Alice Mac- donald and Joe Blakely today. Josh Wojciechowski, James Breech & Neil Friedman on Monday, Joel Litersky on Tuesday, Diana Gardner & Ryan O’Connor Wolik on Wednesday! You are all fantastic and we hope you have the best year ever!

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 reduce paper waste, and get a head start on the latest news from The Saturday Market!

The Karen 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 Karen Fund every time you purchase something from Amazon!

To contribute to the fund, go to smile.amazon.com and search for “Karen Fund”. From that point on, every purchase you make through Amazon will benefit the Karen Fund and help artisans in need.

Deb Huntley long time Saturday Market vendor, is in the hospital and recovery center. Send your good wishes.

Paula Kjorlie is collecting get well cards in Booth 112A. Send your good wishes.

It’s coming! Right around the corner! It’s The Saturday Market.

Join us for your first visit or your 20th visit.

Expect the unexpected - BIGFOOT.

Finding the love of his life, time travel, and something ancient forest, sparks begin to fly. His story involves all ages book available.

Paula Marie Gourley

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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 Busi-

ness, YouTube, Flickr, and more.

Food Court Specials!

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

RITTA’S BURRITOS ROASTED RED PEPPER PESTO AND SPINACH QUESO-MELT This sa- vory Queso-Melt features our house-made red pepper pesto, layered with fresh, organ- ic spinach, feta, jack and cheddar cheese. All grilled between two tortillas and served with sour cream, salsa and chips.

BANGKOK GRILL PAR AM LONG SONG (SWIMMING PRINCE) Choice of marinated chicken or tofu satay, shredded carrot and cabbage tossed in a light rice vinegar dress- ing and served over a bed of fresh spinach. Topped with our famous peanut sauce.

RENAISSANCE PIZZA TOMATO, ROSE- MARY AND GARLIC PIZZA Features fresh local organic tomatoes, fresh organic rose- mary leaves and organic minced garlic, driz- zled with an organic Arbequina, extra virgin olive oil!

Weather
We’re informed of morning clouds and afternoon sun with a high of 77 PERFEKT!

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