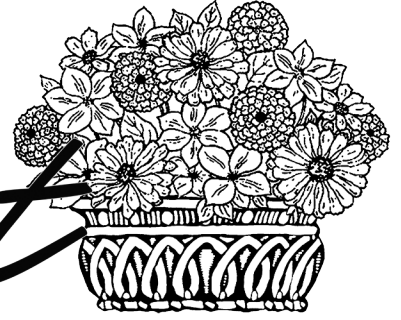


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Saturday Market



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From The Office

Good Morning Saturday Marketers!

Thanks to everyone that came out to make a Market today. We wish you all lots of sales.

We sent an email out this week with news about the current state of Covid-19 handed down by the county and the state. Just in case you missed it, here are those details.

The state of Oregon announced that starting Friday, Aug. 27th, masks will be required in public outdoor settings for everyone over 5 years of age where physical distancing is not possible - regardless of vaccination status. Also, the Lane County Commissioners recommended capacity limits on outdoor events where more than 200 people are expected to attend.

We are returning to our 50% capacity Odd and Even booth space maps temporarily. At this time, we do not have a firm timeline in place for how long we will need to stay at 50% capacity. We will announce when we can return to our full map.

In addition to distancing and masks, we must focus on shopping and take away the elements that make the Market an event. We are canceling live music on our stage until Sept. 25th if we are allowed. We cannot allow strolling, busking or non-profits during this time. We also must suspend services that require less than 6' social distance for the next 2-4 weeks. Samples of pre-packaged food is suspended too. We have safety signs for your booths available at the Info Booth.

Here is your inspirational quote for the day:

"A bend in the road is not the end of the road. Unless you fail to make the turn." –

Helen Keller

May The Force Be With You

Tuesday Market Announcement

Starting next week, anyone that would like to sell at Tuesday Market must declare attendance by Thursday at 4pm the prior week. If we don't have any declarations, then we will not be available on Tuesday morning on the East block to hand out envelopes. Also, if you declare then do not show up, you will be held responsible for the \$5 booth fee.

Holiday Market Guidebook

The Holiday Market Guidebook forms are available at the Info Booth!

We are extending the deadline to submit your form and payment to next Saturday, Sept. 4th. Your ad/artwork is due by Sept. 10th. We can take a payment and fill out your application over the phone. We have all the ads from the 2019 Holiday Market Guidebook on file. If you would like us to reuse your artwork, then please let us know on your form.

We have not received enough applications at this point to print a guidebook. Anyone that has already submitted an application and a payment will receive a refund if we do not have enough ads to print the guidebook.

M.V.P. Message

Member. Volunteer. Partner.

Please Get Vaccinated

As we all know, there is an uptick in Covid-19 infections in Lane County. Those that are unvaccinated are getting really hammered by the virus. The Delta variant has proven to be much more infectious and dangerous than the earlier forms of the virus we dealt with in 2020 before vaccines were available. Those that are unvaccinated and getting sick are getting REALLY sick which is straining our hospitals to the point of refusing treatment to people that have other health issues like heart attacks or strokes. The vaccinated people are also getting sick but with much milder symptoms that don't require hospitalizations. I implore those of you who have put it off, to get vaccinated to protect yourself and fellow Marketers and our customers. We all want to stop the spread and get back to normal. The current set back to limited capacity and masks was avoidable through vaccinations. Remember how many vaccines we all got as children to prevent smallpox, polio, and the measles? This is the same as those vaccinations. If you can be vaccinated, then please get the shot ASAP. The way to an indoor Holiday Market is through stopping the spread with vaccines.

Thank you,

Vince LaRochelle
Designs by LaRochelle
Space #107

If you would like to submit an article for the M.V.P. Message column, please submit it via email to info@eugenesaturdaymarket.org by noon each Thursday.

Labor Day - Office Closed

The Saturday Market office will be closed on **Tuesday, September 7th** to observe Labor Day. We will be back in the office on Wednesday, September 8th from 10am-4pm.





The Market Corner

Wishing a Happy belated August Birthday to woodworker and artist Len Gould last Friday. Happy on time August birthday to jewelry artist Vincent LaRoche and pottery and tie dye toilet paper artist Alex Lanham on Monday, pottery artist Laura Wikane on Tuesday, woodworker Craig Butler on Wednesday, mixed media artist Nancy Almand on Thursday, drum maker Willy Gibboney, basket artist Edwina O'Shea, and clothing artist Abbie Smith Friday!

A very happy birthday to you all. We hope this is your best year yet!

Please tell us if you don't see your birthday on your birthday.

The Kareng Fund

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. Please 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 through Amazon, go to smile.amazon.com and search for "Kareng Fund". From that point forward, every purchase you make through Amazon will benefit the Kareng Fund, helping artisans in need. Brochures are available at the Info Booth or on their website at www.kareng-fund.org.

The Kareng Fund is offering \$250 grants to any member that needs help paying their fees for the duration of the pandemic. These grants are available to all artisans affected by the absence of their usual markets. Access this grant by completing the application and indicating "Covid-19" in the Crisis Description section and "Loss of income" in the Financial Needs section.

Credit Card Sales

Saturday Market accepts Visa, Mastercard, Discover, & American Express. Send your customer to the South Park Info Booth with a properly filled out credit card slip. Remember to use only the member's name-not business name.

Your check for the amount of the sale less 5% for bank charges will be MAILED on Wednesday. Call the office if you would like to pick up your check. We will not put Visa checks into Reserve members' envelopes.

Reminder: You cannot charge your customers a fee or increase the cost of your product by a percentage for paying with a credit card. You can offer a cash discount instead.

Unclassifieds

To place your free unclassified, bring it to the Info Booth by the end of the day, to the office by Thursday at noon, or e-mail it to us at info@eugen Saturdaymarket.org with "NEWSLETTER" in the subject.

Would the owner of the green mid-90's 4Runner that was vandalized in the Parcade last Saturday (8/21) please contact Michely at 541-913-8224 (8/28)

FOR SALE: 8 ft Market Booth. Disassembles into easy 4 ft pieces. Includes side & back coverings & full-size fire-retardant tarp. \$25.00. Call or email with questions or to get pics: (541) 337-2440. info@artocycle.com (8/28)

Free Seeds: Kale, scarlet runner beans, columbine, foxglove and more. Booth #118 (8/28)

New printer won't talk to our computer. Canon PIXMA TS202. Minimum system requirements Windows 10, 8.1, 7SP1. Mac OS10.12-10.14, OSX 10.10.5 -OSX 10.11. \$25. 541-456-2004. Space 188 (8/28).

For Sale: Beekeeping equipment: Extractor, uncapping tank, suit with helmet, 2 hats with netting, some parts for supers, \$400. Kcilevin@gmail.com, (541)852-9993, Kristine, space 162 on the West Park block under the cement canopy. (8/14)

Looking for rides from around Walton to Eugene on Saturdays. Call Lisa Gladiola 541-913-0857 (8/14)

FREE - Queen futon and wood frame. You haul away. Text 541-556-4429 if interested and for pix.(8/14)

I have a trailer for sale ASAP. It's a wooden sided trailer with a metal frame that is wired for lights approximately 12' long in fair condition. It has the title. Asking \$750 OBO. Please call or text Dave at 541-606-9724 (8/7)

Celebration of Life Barbara Irvine

Barbara sold at Saturday Market from 1983-2015. She began as a potter, evolved into fabric art, and finished as a landscape photographer. Her booth was on Oak St. next to the food court.

There is a Celebration of Barbara's life planned on Aug. 28th at 5:30pm. Her family invites anyone from the Saturday Market family who appreciated Barb or her art to attend. It will be held at their home in their back yard. Barb's art from her different eras will be everywhere. Her artwork will be available to go to new homes. The family asks that donations are made to the Kareng Fund in her name.

Food and drinks will be served. The address is 2424 Lariat Meadows Dr. in Eugene. Her family asks that only vaccinated people attend due to the amount of vulnerable people that are likely to be at their home. Please wear a mask as well.

Weather

What a splendid day to go back to a mask mandate. It's all sunny and warm. Perfect for a mask tan. Today has a high of 88 degrees with light winds at 8mph from the North. This may be our last day with these high 80 temps so I hope you will all take some time to reflect on how your tank tops, shorts and t-shirts feel this time of year. They know they are going into a drawer and that next year, if they don't fit, they will be set on fire in the front yard. That's gotta be tough. No one ever thinks of the apparel!



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Ancient Market incantation (Nov 3, 1973)

Committee Meetings

Downtown Developments Task Force
Tues., Aug. 31st - 2:00 PM-4:00 PM

Board Meeting
Weds., Sept. 1st - 5:15 PM-7:15 PM

Food Court and Standards
Committee Co-Chairs Meeting
Weds., Sept. 8th - 2:00 PM-4:00 PM

Holiday Market Committee Meeting
Weds., Sept. 15th - 1:00 PM-3:00 PM

All meetings take place at the Market Office and Virtually with Zoom.

All are welcome!

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](https://www.facebook.com/EugeneSaturdayMarket)

Twitter / Instagram: @SaturdayMarket

We're also on Pinterest, Yelp, TripAdvisor, Google Business, YouTube, Flickr, & more.

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