Today’s Highlights, July 2, 2016

• Time to Sign Up for Holiday Market
• Holiday Market Advertising Opportunity
• Doing Other Shows? Take a Poster Along!
• Unclassifieds, Weather, Meetings and more on the other side

From Kimbery

With Olympic hopefuls in town, Bach Festival attendees and performers out and about, and family gathered to celebrate the Fourth, it’s anyone’s guess what this convergence in our city will translate to for today’s market experience. One thing is for sure, at Saturday Market, these folks are sure to be blown away by the artistry, creativity and ingenuity expressed in the wide array of hand-crafted products you have offered up.

Have a wonderful day!
Kimberly

Office Closed Two Days Next Week

The office will be closed on Tuesday next week for Independence Day and Friday so we can all go to the Country Fair! Credit card checks will be ready on Wednesday as usual.

Holiday Market Reminder

Booth Holders of Record: The deadline for Booth Holders of Record to reclaim their spaces is a couple of weeks earlier this year - it’s July 20! Please don’t wait until the last minute to go online and fill in the easy form, or email your postcard back to us. If you have a reason (shows, vacations, etc.) that you might miss the deadline, let us know now.

Members With 20+ Points: If you have more than 20 points, it’s a good idea to get us your application before July 20 as well, so you don’t lose your place in line to pick a space.

Apply Online: On the eugenesaturdaymarket.org website, look under the “For Market Members” or the “Holiday Market” menu items. Booth Holders of Record and Non-Reserve Members have separate applications. Applications for folks who are not yet Market members will be available at the end of July.

New 48 Hour Time Limit: We have also instituted a new rule for everyone that you have 48 hours to respond with a booth space choice once you are contacted by Vi. If we don’t hear back in that time frame we will assign you a space.

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. If you are a Booth Holder of Record, we will run your card or deposit your check immediately. If you are a Non-Reserve Vendor we will deposit your check/run your card after you have a space.

Points: Remember, Holiday Market points are different than Park Blocks points. Your points are printed on the label of your postcard. If you want to understand how we calculate Holiday Market points, you can get a points worksheet at the Info Booth or online on the applications page, the document is called “How Market Points Work.”

More On That Scuttlebutt

Have you been thinking about the ad you want to put in the 2016 Holiday Market Guidebook? Everything you need to know about the Guidebook & creating an ad is on the Saturday Market Street Team Blog. You can find the Blog via the SM Website, click the “For Market Members” tab and select “New Street Team Blog” from the drop-down list. There is lots of interest in buying ads, so don’t wait and lose out on this wonderful new opportunity, space is limited. Remember, this guidebook is going to be distributed FREE to everyone!!! See Heather in booth 150 for more information.

When You Send Us A Visa Slip...

When you send over a custom order with a Visa slip, please fill it out correctly. In order to get you your money, we need you to write your whole first and last name, not your business name or just your initials. Please write legibly. This saves us time in the office sorting out which person to credit the payment to, or confusion if it ends up with the wrong person. Many thanks!

Doing Other Shows? Take a Poster!

Those of you who are out and about at other shows can do your Market a big favor (and yourself too) by taking one of our Saturday Market posters and putting it up in your booth. Maybe add a little “Find me at...” sign to the top! We also have the rack cards and business cards that you can take, to let folks know where you are once you get out of the “Fest Lane” and return to your home sweet Market home.

Farmers Market Tokens

Do not take the wooden Farmers Market tokens as payment. These tokens are used by the Farmers Market to allow their customers to use credit cards and EBT/Food Stamps. It is illegal for folks to use EBT to purchase prepared foods or other goods. We do not have any way to redeem them or take them as payment at the Info Booth. Thanks for your understanding.

Parking Rule #1: Be Excellent To Each Other

Also: Don’t vibe or chide customers out of “your” parking spot at the end of the day. They are here to have a nice time, and maybe spend some money...

Local Events

June 23-July 10 - Oregon Bach Festival
July 1-10 - US Olympic Track & Field Trials
July 2-4 - Art and the Vineyard
July 8-10 - Oregon Country Fair
July 20-24 - Lane County Fair
Aug. 6 - Whiteaker Block Party

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Weather
Another great Market day in the offering! Cloudy, then gradually becoming mostly sunny, with a high near 80. Light north wind increasing to 6 to 11 mph in the morning.

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On the Market Stage
10:00 AM Janet Naylor & Linda Danielson - irish & Scottish music on harp & fiddle
11:00 AM Lorna Miller - little kid’s jamboree
12:00 PM Tangor - tango trio
1:00 PM Steve Goodbar - blues, folk, and old time country
2:00 PM Musekiwa Chingodza - traditional Zimbabwean mbira music
3:30 PM Gumbo Groove - Folk-Fueled Funnug

Committee Meetings
Board of Directors
Wed, Aug. 3, 5:15 PM
Agenda: Seat new board members, TBA

Standards Committee
Wed, July 20, 5:00 PM
Agenda: Alcoholic products, partnerships/booth sharing

Standards Screenings
Wed, July 6, 10 at 4:15 PM (New member orientation at 3:30)

Holiday Market Committee
Wed, August 10, 4:00 PM
Agenda: advertising, more off plans

Survey Crew
Tuesday, July 26, 2 PM
Agenda: planning a membership survey

Market Street Team
Thursday, July 28, noon
Agenda: souvenir booklet planning

Board of Directors Election
Saturday & Sunday, Dec. 10-11, 2016
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 or the office and mailed at the end of the day. Wednesday.

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