Next week, the Holiday Market Committee will meet on Wednesday, Aug. 10 at 5:15. They will start discussing advertising plans, and work on elf-maker recruitment plans. All are welcome to attend.

**Beautiful Booth of the Month**

Congratulations to Sara Krol and her Mom Jill, featured this month as Beautiful Booth of the Month. Sara makes “Saratopia” earrings, and Jill makes soaps and pet treats.

Kim already has someone lined up for next month, but is always looking for other Beautiful Booth ideas. Also always seeking new products and Marketeers that want to be photographed. Stop by the stage any time, or flag her down roaming with her camera. Thanks!

**Stay Open Until 5 PM**

Every bit of info we publish about Saturday Market says we’re open 10-5. Stick with Team Saturday Market and keep your booth open until 5! When you start to obviously pack up your things at around 4 o’clock because you feel it’s slow, you are sending a message to customers that the whole place is closing up early, which makes those customers feel like they need to leave. This impacts the whole Market now and in the future, as those customers tell friends about their Market experiences.

Also, ask any long-time Marketeer about those late in the day sales that happen from time to time. It’s definitely worth keeping your wares available for purchase until closing time.

**Hints**

- Be aware of your surroundings while having conversations with customers or friends outside your booth. It’s easy to accidentally block another craft booth when you’re engrossed in a good chat, but you are keeping customers from accessing your products.

**Local Events**

- Aug. 6 - Whiteaker Block Party
- Aug. 11-14 - Scandinavian Festival
- Aug. 12 - SLUG Queen Competition/Coronation
- Sept. 3 - Ducks vs. UC Davis
- Sept. 10 - Ducks vs. Virginia

**Holiday Market Booking Has Begun!**

**Holiday Market Committee Meets Wednesday at 5:15**

**Keep Your Booth Open Until 5**

**Unclassifieds, Weather, Meetings and more on the other side**

**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.

**Good Neighbor Helpful Hints**

When you set up your booth, plan it so you can exit without going through your neighbor’s booth. Even if their space looks wide open, you can accidentally knock over, step on things, or interrupt a sale.

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**Committee Corner**

The Board of Directors met on Wednesday. They approved Misy Hansen as our new Treasurer. Thanks Misy! They also heard Committee reports, and approved the Survey Committee to do a trial survey of Market members with Survey Monkey. Stay tuned for details.

**Holiday Market Update**

Vi has started the booking process, right now she’s contacting vendors with 30-40 points. She will be doing some booking on the Park Blocks today. Vi has been sending out preliminary emails with a helpful map as she nears each point range, so keep your eye on your email.

**48 Hour Time Limit**

We have instituted a new rule for everyone. 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. If you are a Booth Holder of Record and we don’t hear back, we will leave you in your current reserve space.

**Sharing and Work Tasks**

If you plan to share your space with another member, submit your application now, and wait until September to do the booth sharing paperwork. If you want to sign up for a work task, you’ll have to wait until September as well.

**New to Market This Year?**

Don’t be discouraged by the fact that you have no Holiday Market points! If you get us an application, you will probably get at least the first weekend at Holiday Market; and in many cases more than that. We prioritize the zero HM point applications by your Park Blocks points from this year. We hold your deposit check until you have a space assignment.

**From Kimberly**

Love.

Infinity.

Love each other… love ourselves… love our market… love our fellow beings… love our planet.

Love is all we need.

-Kimberly
Weather
Mostly sunny, with a high near 80. Calm wind becoming north northwest to 5 mph in the afternoon. Perfect.

sales, O sales, sales I hope!
-ancient Market incantation (Nov 3, 1973 BCE)

On the Market Stage
10:00 AM Joanna Wallfisch - Ukulele, looping, dancing, adventuring singer-songwriter
11:00 AM Joe Ross - kid songs and stories
12:00 PM Celtic Tradition - Refreshing Celtic music
1:00 PM Robert Meade - energetic acoustic
2:00 PM LCC Faculty Jazz Band - expert jazz
3:30 PM The Dennis Smith Project - original folk rock

Committee Meetings
Board of Directors
Weds. Sept. 7, 5:15 PM
Agenda: TBA

Standards Committee
Weds, Aug 17, 5:00 PM
Agenda: Alcoholic beverages standards

Standards Screenings
Weds, Aug 17, 7 Sept. 4:15 PM (New member orientation at 3:30)

Holiday Market Committee
Weds. August 10, 4:00 PM
Agenda: advertising, more plans

Survey Crew
Thursday, Aug 25, 2:30 PM
Agenda: planning a membership survey

Market Street Team
Thursday, Aug 25, 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 at the office or mailed at the end of the day Wednesday.

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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 to kimstill@ eugenesaturdaymarket.org, put "newsletter" in the subject line.

Seamstresses needed to help an artisan either sew fragrant scarves or helping me develop skills toward the same. $15/hr. Karen Hall, 541-579- 8774. (8/6)


Boothitter wanted for jewelry booth for lunch breaks. Friendly & reliable. Call Kirsten, 541-689- 2540. (7/23)

Wanted, 4x4 booth. Call Kirsten, 541-689- 2540. (8/6)

Renaissance Pizza’s August special is their Pizza Portamentesca with fresh Organic Roma Tomatoes, Kalamata Olives, Organic Basil leaves and Or- ganic minced Garlic! (8/6)


Starting August 13, Rettia Barritus’ special is a BLT with Cheese-Melt. Jack and feta cheese, melt- ed on two grilled tortillas then layered with crispy bacon, slices of fresh, local tomatoes, and romaine lettuce, with avocado ranch dressing. (8/6)

Affordable and professional graphic design servic- es available from one of your fellow Market ven- dors. I have over ten years experience designing for print and digital projects. I’m happy to help with your Holiday Market Guide ad or any other design you may have, and I offer a special for other Saturday Market vendors. Please come talk to me, Dune Erickson, in Booth 160 or send an email to de.artanddesign@gmail.com. You can see samples of my work on my website at deartanddesign.com. (7/23)

I loaned one of my lime green and white striped curtains to someone and it never came back to me. Do you have it? Pamela, 541- 543-8559, booth #138. (7/23)

Four full sandbags for sale! $40 Call Braidyn 512- 543-8559, booth #138. (7/23)

Carrie Waschke on the Market Stage – Sept 3rd. 12:00 PM, 1 PM, 2 PM, 3 PM.

UnCombined and Uncommonly UnClassifieds

Eugene Saturday Market Members Wednesday!!

Keegan and Linda Westbrook on the Market this Wednesday.

Cathy Coulson and Wendy Johnson on the Market this Wednesday.

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The Market Corner
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The Oregon Prescription Drug Plan can lower your medication costs! Free to enroll, www.ordp.org or 1-800-913-4146.

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