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★Board Election Day is TODAY! Ballots and voting box in the Info Booth.

★Be an M.V.P. - Member.Volunteer. Partner.

★ Committee Schedules, Community Corner, UnClassifieds and MORE!

★ Pay to Park in the Parcade today. Overpark is free.



From Courtney

Good Morning Saturday Marketers! Welcome back to another sweet June market! Today is Election Day for the Board of Directors election, and there are four candidates running for three seats. Both the Candidate Statements and ballots are available at the Info Booth. Take a moment to chat with the candidates and get acquainted with them before voting.

You can expect to see a lot of tourists and visitors in town both today and next Saturday due to graduations, the NCAA Track and Field Championships, and Father's Day on the 17th. Keep this in mind as you prepare for the day; bring plenty of stock, change, price tags, positive energy and expectations. You may consider stepping outside of your booth and looking at it from the customer's perspective. This may give customer's perspective. This may give you some ideas for small changes in your display that could translate to better sales.

We are still looking for MVP Message submissions and would love to hear from you. Please consider writing an article that you think would benefit the membership. It can be anything from words of wisdom to marketing tools and techniques. This community has a ton of selling experience and we would love for you to share it!

Enjoy your day! I hope it is pleasant and successful for you.

Happy Selling! Courtney

Wish List Mid-Season

The Mid-Season Wish List is coming up. We have reserve spaces 144, and 188 open as well as 139 as a One Year Only space. We fill these spaces in a similar way to our Wish List process at the beginning of the season. There will be a notice in next week's newsletter calling on anyone interested to contact the office about going on the Mid-Season Wish List. This is the time to email AJ at aj@eugenesaturdaymarket.org to be included. You can also call the office at 541-686-8885 or notify us in the Info Booth after June 16th. We will use Waiting List points from the June 23rd market for the Mid-Season Wish List. We will contact you about open spaces from June 26-29th. If you have contacted the office about going on the Mid-Season Wish List previously, then make sure to contact us again after June 16th.

Fees & Late Fees Reminder

Remember, you must pay for your Market day by Wednesday to get your point in time for the next Saturday. Also remember that after 30 days a \$5 late fee is added to your owing, and after 60 days another \$5 fee is added for a total of \$10.

M.V.P. Message

Member, Volunteer, Partner,

Hello fellow market members. I am terming off my position on the Board of Directors and I wanted to share why I volunteered and how it has affected my thoughts about the Saturday Market.

First I want to thank you for voting me into this volunteer position. I was encouraged to run by some of my friends at the market. They kept saying that my voice would be a good addition to the Board. I also wanted to give some of my time as a statement of appreciation for all those who started and kept this market going all those years before I started selling. I also wanted to know more about market operations. I served two eighteen month terms and really learned a lot about market and its members. I now know so much more about the details of how the market is run.

At board meetings I listened as members brought their particular concerns to the board and I participated in working out viable solutions for them. As a board member I was asked to join an additional committee and I choose the budget committee. As a result I now understand more of our financial base and how well our money is managed. Our fees are consistent with the market expenditures for everyday operations, promotions, and a careful prudent reserve. Much care is placed on financial decisions and deciding which policies are best for your market success.

Our Board meets once a month on Wednesday evenings from 5:30 to 7:30 P.M. Our current manager, her team of employees, and our current Board officers run the Board meetings efficiently with respect for all contributions. Yes, I give some extra time to the market on Wednesday night once a month but I gain so much including making some new friends. It's been a great experience for me and I hope other market members will consider volunteering for the Board or any other market committee. Giving a small or large amount of your time and energy makes a huge difference for the market. My plan is to continue volunteering for the Holiday Market committee and the Volunteer Task Force, so please volunteer. You really will be glad you did!

> Thanks. Maria Moule

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 Wednesday.

Saturday Market Guidebook

The 2018 Guidebooks are at the Information Booth! Come get some for your booth. You can also share it electronically by using this link:

anyflip.com/lnpb/vnce/.

Community Corner

Hello! As we approach summer, you can expect to see more frequent events happening in town. Here are some of the things to look forward to in the coming weeks:

Try It! Thursdays- Every Thursday in June, local businesses are offering delectable specials to keep you going 'til the weekend! June Specials:

 Patio Happy Hour at Ax Billy Grill- try the delicious new menu from 2-6pm. •20% Off Classic Truffles at Euphoria Chocolate Company from 5pm-8pm. •FREE Kiva Reusable Bag with a \$15 purchase. Every Thursday from 8am-8pm.
•10% Off Sandals at Shoe-A-Holic from Thursday every 10am-6pm. 6/5 - 9/20- The Campbell Center is offering a free Tai Chi class held in the West Park Blocks starting on Tuesday, June 5th. Every Tuesday and Thursday morning from 9-10am. June 8th, 15th, 22nd, and 29th

Fridays at the Park Blocks, 5pm-8pm The EUGfun! Team is hosting Friday night events on the West Park Blocks starting on Friday, June 8th with the finale of the Human Foosball tournaments. June 15th is the Loving Day Celebration honoring the legalization of interracial marriage in the USA.

6/9-It's the second day of Honk! Fest from 5:30pm-10pm located at Scobert Park. Honk! Fest Day 1 in Kesey Square got the party started downtown. On Saturday night, head down to the Whitaker neighborhood, put on your tutus and sparkles, and get ready to boogie to a bunch of brass and drum bands. 6/14-The Families Belong Together Rally is being held at 11am-1pm at Kesey Square. Rally to protest the separation of children from their families at the border. 6/21 - Piano installed on Park Blocks deck. The City of Eugene Cultural Services staff is having a public piano installed on the Park Blocks deck. There will be professional pianists performing on Saturdays and some weekdays.

Have questions on a particular event? Please contact me at info@eugenesaturdaymarket.org. Thanks! Cheers to summer fun! -Courtney

Local Events

June 6-9 - NCAA Track & Field June 17 - Father's Day June 18 - UofO Graduation June 29-July 14 - Oregon Bach Festival July 4th/July 6-8 - Art in the Vineyard July 6th - First Friday Art Walk July 13-15 - Oregon Country Fair July 18-22 - Lane County Fair August 4 - Whiteaker Block Party August 9-12 - Scandinavian Festival



A Very Happy June Birthday to hat maker Barbara Thill and broom maker Michael Page tomorrow, woodworker Jim Langsather, potter Marisa Silver and potter Wayne Lambert on Monday, seamstress Linda Brown on Tuesday, woodworker David Duckett, jeweler Jared Duke, seamstress Karen Moore, potter Lobsang Gyatso, and jeweler Shannon Lee-Hutson on Friday!!

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

Food Court Specials!

RENAISSANCE PIZZA Summer has arrived at Renaissance Pizza and we're feeling the Aloha spirit! June's pizza is our Hawaiian Pizza with tender pineapple chunks and smoky Canadian bacon.

DANA'S CHEESECAKE BAKERY is celebrating strawberries in June. You will find de-licious Strawberry Glazed Cheesecake as well as Strawberry Topped Pound Cake with whipped cream!

BANGKOK GRILL's June Special is 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!

RITTA'S BURRITOS' June Special is Sun-dried Tomato and Roasted Garlic Pesto, Queso-Melt with Arugula and Fontina Cheese. Ritta's pesto is made with sun-dried tomatoes, roasted garlic and roasted pepitas. The pesto is spread on two whole wheat tortillas then layered with organic arugula and fontina cheese, then grilled to golden perfection. Served with chips and salsa.

LULU'S SMOOTHIES' June special is the Hawaiian! They are in a tropical mood this time of year. The Hawaiian is composed of Pineapple, Peach, and Passion Fruit finished with banana. This exotic blend has a great balance of sour and sweet.

Saturday Market Social Lite!

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.



THIS IS VANESSA ROY, OUR
MARKETING / PROMO WHIZ
WHO STARTED OFF WORKING
AT FILLING VI SADHANA'S
PESK/PHONE DUTIES WHEN
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KICKED UPSTAIRS (ARE YOU
FOLLOWING ALL OF THIS?) SHE
LIKES RAINDROPS ON ROSES
AND WHISKERS ON KITTENS
AND IS ADDICTED TO "ALIEN
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TO CELEBRATE THINGS AND
HAS A SENSE OF FABULOUSNESS
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AS WELL AS A FLAIR FOR MAGICAL THINKING, NEVER SNEAK
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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 at noon, or e-mail info@eugenesaturdaymarket.org with "NEWSLETTER" in the subject.

Lisa Rain Gladiola is looking for a booth to share at Oregon Country Fair. I am a juried crafter with a small display of finger puppets and dolls. 541-232-4141 (5/26)

It's not too early to sign up for Oakridge's Cask & Keg Fest on August 11th. 10x10 electric booth: \$50. Vendor set up, 10am. Opening at Noon. Call Sandy Price 541-782-1090 (5/26)

Market van for sale: 98 Dodge Caravan. High miles, runs, body and paint issues, one owner, fully maintained. \$900 OBO. Beth 541-915-9405. (5/12)

CLOTHING RACKS FOR SALE! Two Chrome racks: One square 4 way (17" arms). Adjustable heighth. \$20. One 36" rounder. On wheels. Adjustable heighth. \$25 Call Francine at 541-935-4600 (5/26)

Affordable housing needed: seeking two bedroom, one and a half bath, lapdog friendly house or apartment not more than \$1,000. Prefer a yard or garden option. Just about anywhere in the area is good. Call 541-344-7939 or email <u>james.spirit.warrior@gmail.com</u>. Thank You. (5/26)

Help Wanted - Renaissance Pizza is looking for employees to join their team at their Saturday Market pizza booth. Work dates include Saturdays through the year in our outdoor season as well as weekends and select weekdays through our indoor season at Eugene Saturday Market's Holiday Market at the Lane County Fairgrounds, running from mid November through December 24th. Applications can be picked up at the Renaissance pizza booth at the Saturday Market Food Court. (6/9)

Cart converting to Table - A 2x4 for cart that converts to a 2x4 table. Takes 30 seconds to convert. Made from cedar, very strong and light weight. Price \$150.00. Contact Richard Minton 541-241-7562 or <u>rich1864@yahoo.com</u>. Or look me up at the market on Saturdays. (6/9)

Free small rabbit available. Call Julia 541-998-3540 to arrange exchange or questions. (6/9)

The community of Coburg is creating a Farmers' Market starting July 12! Every Thursday throughout summer from 4:00 - 7:00 pm in Pavilion Park. We are looking or vendors, and space is free this year. Contact Patti at coburg. patti@gmail.com or 541-485-1235. (6/9)

Weather

It's going to be a drizzly and cool day for our 10th

Saturday Market! We expect steady, light rain throughout the day and a high of 59 degrees. There may be thunder rumbles in the afternoon.



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Ancient Market incantation (Nov 3.1973)

On the Market Stage

10:00 AM Linda Yapp The Lemon Drop Fairy 11:00 AM Adams Marimba Band

Kids on Marimbas 12:00 PM Gordon Caswell

Acoustic Variety Music 1:00 PM Beard Whisperers

Eclectic Family Friendly Rock 2:00 PM O'Carolan's Consort **Harp Tunes**

3:30 PM Jerry & Stan Band Variety Rock and Blues

Pay to Park at Parcade Today

There is a a \$6 Special Event Fee to park in the Parcade and the Hult Center garages today due to high school graduation. Parking in the Overpark is free as

Committee Meetings

Holiday Market Committee

Tues., June 12th - 2:00 PM Agenda: Elf Hunt Contest

Market Street Team

Thurs., June 14th - 1:00 PM Agenda: All things Guidebook

Standards Screenings

Weds., June 20th - 4:15 PM -New Member Orientation at 3:30 PM

Standards Committee

Weds., June 20th- 5:00 PM Agenda: Pipe Guidelines

Board of Directors

There will not be a meeting in July.

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All meetings take place at the Market Office

All are welcome!

THE SATURDAY MARKET **BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS**

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