July 21st, 2018

★Holiday Market Booking Begins on August 1st.

- ★Be a M.V.P. Member.Volunteer. Partner.
- **★ Committee Schedules, Community Corner, UnClassifieds and MORE!**
- **★ Holiday Market Guidebook forms are ready!**



From Kirsten

Good Morning Saturday Marketers! Today is going to be a fabulous Market. Should be lots of shoppers out and about!

I want to continue to remind you that if you have a problem at your booth, or around your booth, and don't feel you can handle it yourself through polite conversation, please call the office number at (541) 686-8885. The main office number is forwarded to the Information Booth, and we can send assistance. We have handouts to give to individuals that are busking, petitioning, etc. that inform them of our policies around their activities. Repeat offenders can be asked to leave by Security. We can't help if we don't know, so please reach out to us.

Here's a thought for the day..."Be happy, not because everything is good, but because you can see the good in everything."

Happy Selling! Kirsten

2018 Holiday Market Guidebook Advertising Forms Available

Today the Advertising Form for the 2018 Holiday Market Guidebook will be in reserve member envelopes or pick one up at the Info Booth. Take some time to look through it. Look for the chance to win a free ad space and see if you have any questions for the Street Team. Visit the Street Team Blog for everything you need to know about the Guidebook & Creating a Guidebook Ad at: https:// esmstreetteam.wordpress.com/

Heather will be teaching a FREE class on how to use Canva (a FREE online graphic design platform) on August 9th in the Saturday Market conference room from 5-7:30pm.

FREE Canva Class: August 9th Ad Payment Due: August 11th Completed Ad due: August 21st

For more information see Jaccalyn Korv in Booth #133 or email Heather Robbins-Hinton at earnestefforts@msn.com

Saturday Market Guidebook

The 2018 Guidebooks are at the Information Booth! Come get some for your booth. Make sure to put a business card into every Guidebook you hand out. Reserve vendors can circle their space on the map. You can also share it on your

social media pages or website by using this link: anyflip.com/Inpb/vnce/.

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 Business, YouTube, Flickr, and more.

M.V.P. Message

Member. Volunteer. Partner.

Please Touch

I have a standing rule in my booth: Anyone may pet the pottery. Only grown-ups are allowed to pick it up. I have a lot of reasons for encouraging young people to appreciate pottery, not the least that they're my next generation of customers, but here's the best one:

Country Fair weekend, 2016: A couple with two little ones comes by. Papa is pushing a toddler in a stroller, Mama with a five-year old behind. She's describing to him what's in each booth, and I realize he's blind. So I invite them into the booth, explain the pot-petting rule, and encourage her to lift down the elephant bank for him to "see." Next it's the stegosaur, and he fingers the spines, hunting for the slot, and I tell him that the head is on the end between his Mama's hands, so he explores that, sticking his finger in its mouth. It's biting me! he jokes. No, it's an herbivore, I say. It's licking your hand because it likes you.

What else is here? he asks Mama, and gets to pet a cat bank next. What else? He probably would have spent the rest of the morning exploring, but Papa and sibling were six booths ahead, so they had to move on. Mama thanked me, and I thanked her for taking the time to show him my work.

I can't imagine how sad and boring Market would seem if you only had it narrated to you. So much better to be able to explore it firsthand.

Frank Gosar **Off Center Ceramics**

If you would like to submit an article for the M.V.P. Message column, please submit it via email to info $\underline{eugenesaturday market.org}\ by\ noon\ each\ Wednesday.$

Holiday Market Update!

AJ will start the booking process in the first week of August. Come by the info booth for a current map. If you have not turned in your application, you can still do so! Stop by the Info Booth or head to the Saturday Market website. New members with 0 Points can sell at Holiday Market. You will be able to get a space on the first weekend, and possibly other weekends! Turn in an application, and know it will be September before we get to your application.

Apply Online: On the website (eugenesaturdaymarket.org), 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 are available now.

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 DEPOSITING ALL HOLIDAY MARKET DE-POSIT CHECKS AND RUNNING CARDS RIGHT AWAY. Make arrangements with AJ if you need to give us a smaller deposit to start.

SATURDAY MARKET NEWSLETTER

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Community CornerGood Morning! Summer is in full swing! Here

are a few things to look forward to in the next couple weeks:

Steel Wool and Friends, Saturday, Kesey Square, July 21st, 6-10pm: A fundraiser for Opportunity Village with live music from several local groups and interactive activities led by the Slug Queen. Also Free!

Tuesday Market Family Day, July 24th, 11am-2pm: This is the 2nd Tuesday Market Family Day of the summer! Family friendly activities will be happening on both blocks between 11am and 1pm.

Downtown Visual Arts Festival, July 27 - August 3: Also known as 'The Week of Awesome'! Eugene celebrates the visual arts with a weeklong downtown festival featuring the 20x21 EUG Mural Project's Eugene Walls, Eugene Biennial at the Karin Clark Gallery, the return of the Mayor's Art Show and Salon des Refusés, and the BRIDGE Exhibition with innovative, contemporary art installations. Visit eugene-or. gov/VAF for more information.

Eugene Sunday Streets, Sunday July 29th, 12pm-4pm: It's time for the 8th annual Eugene Sunday Streets, which is the City of Eugene's largest event of the year. The EUG Parade will kick things off at 10am at Monroe Park, and the parade route will continue down to the Park Blocks. From 12pm to 4pm, you can walk around downtown, participate in family friendly activities, shop local artists, grab a bite at a food cart, and enjoy live music. Don't miss out on this special day!

Questions? Please contact me at info@eugenesaturdaymarket.org.

Cheers to summer fun! Courtney

Book review by Cliff Martin, Market Member.

CRAFT ACTIVISM: PEOPLE, IDEAS AND PROJ-ECTS FROM THE NEW COMMUNITY OF HAND-MADE AND HOW YOU CAN JOIN IN.

Author: Joan Tapper. Publisher: Potter Craft/ Random House, New York, NY. 160 pages.

Nifty book that celebrates crafts as statementmakers (political or other causes) plus ways to hook up with other like-minded crafters.

Crafts include knitting, collage, sewing, recycled/re-purposed crafts and more. Includes instructions on how to make specific items and lots of resources on how to start or join a crafts community (national and local). A cool little book! Available at Saturday Market's library.

Local Events

July 18-22 - Lane County Fair July 29 - Eugene Sunday Streets August 4 - Whiteaker Block Party August 9-12 - Scandinavian Festival



Wishing a Happy July Birthday to Market General Manager Kirsten Bolton, soap maker Dennis Westfall and quilter Judy Peterson today, potter and cartoonist Daniel Conan Young and artist Tina Robb tomorrow, Blazing Chef Haven Sundstrom, fiber artist Melody McKenzie, tie dye artist Levana Appletree, and Reiki therapist Heidi Hood on Tuesday, potter Barbara Haddad and soap maker Kim Alaniz on Friday.

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

Food Court Specials!

RENAISSANCE PIZZA We're feeling the Greek at Renaissance Pizza! July's special is Greek Pizza, with organic baby spinach, Feta Cheese, black olives and our house made basil pesto!

DANA'S CHEESECAKE BAKERY'S weekly special is Blueberry Cheesecake!

BANGKOK GRILL's July 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' July special is Mandarin Orange Chipotle Summer Salad. Romaine lettuce topped with chilled black beans, cheddar cheese, crisp jicama, avocado slices, sour cream, mandarin orange chipotle salsa and cotija cheese.

LULU'S SMOOTHIES' For the month of July the special for Lulus Smoothies is a refreshing light "Lime In D'Coconut." This blend is perfect for the blazing July days ahead!

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, 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 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. Brochures are available at the Info Booth or on their website at www.karengfund.org.

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.

The Emerald Art Center, (EAC), a 501©3 non-profit organization, is seeking to fill the position of Art Center Coordinator to represent EAC in the highest professional and aesthetic manner. The job announcement can be found here: eugene.craigslist.org/npo/d/art-center-coordinator/6641727852.html (7/21)

SIGNS: Handmade custom wooden signs and name plates by Richard. Free quotes come see me at the Market or call at 541-241-7562. or email me at rich1864@yahoo.com. (7/14)

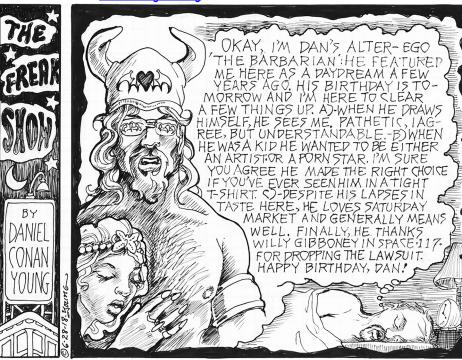
Cart converting to Table - A 2x4 for cart that converts to a 2x4 table. Takes 30 seconds to convert. Made from cedar, very strong and light weight. Price \$150.00. Contact Richard Minton 541-241-7562 or rich1864@yahoo.com. Or look me up at the market on Saturdays. (7/14)

WANTED: I have a great space at Holiday Market, that I'd love to share. Great exposure, with lots of foot traffic. \$450 + work task, for 9 days! Contact Elizabeth at 541-556-4960 or drop by Booth 100 on the Park Blocks. (7/14)

Have you ever been to Clay Space at 2nd and Polk?! They are almost to begin the summer session of classes. If you want to try hand building with Porcelain there are two classes listed. Katie Swenson teaches them and she is a Saturday Market regular. Ask at the info. booth where she is today and get details about the class. There are other classes too. Dave Winget - another Saturday Market member teaches beginning wheel throwing and they have silver metal clay classes too. www.clayspaceonline.com has the whole listing. (7/7)

SUNDAY, October 14, 2018 11am - 4pm at 500 E 43rd, Eugene, OR 97405 will be an advertised indoor Autumn Gift Show benefiting Spencer Butte Middle School. Raffles/silent auctions will be held throughout the day. Contact Jill Krol (541) 654-8957 for Vendor information. Basics: Booth space is 10' x 10' (no electric in booth) You bring your own tables, chairs and displays. Booth fee is \$20 and one donated item. Set up after Saturday Market (Saturday 7-8:30pm) or before the show opens (Sunday 9- 11am)! There will be as many corner booths as possible! The Show is being held at Spencer Butte Middle School. (6/30)

The Lane Senior Support Coalition's (LSSC) Garden Party on Aug. 17th will raise funds for its Emergency Senior Fund. This year's event will be held at the Campbell Community Center. LSSC is seeking gift certificates from Saturday Market vendors for the silent auction. For more info, contact LSSC board member Frank Hales at Frank H@Q.com. Please drop off gift certificates in the basket in the market office by July 31st. Vendors will be gratefully acknowledged in writing and on the LSSC website. (www.lanessc.org). (6/30)



Weather

It's an ABSOLUTELY FANTASTIC summer day

today. Our 16th Market has a high of 84 degrees and sunny skies all day long. Winds from the North at 5-10mph so a touch breezy. Enjoy the mild temps today.



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Ancient Market incantation (Nov 3.1973)

On the Market Stage

10:00 AM Eugene Bhangra Dance Group Indian Dance!

11:00 AM Rob Tobias Folk and Soul

12:00 PM Paul Prince Innovative Positive Acoustic

1:00 PM Inspirational Sounds Inspiring Gospel Choir

2:00 PM The Etouffee Band Swamp Rock - R&B - Hot Fiddle

3:30 PM Takatu Bootstep R&B, Soul, Funk, Jazz

Committee Meetings

Volunteer Work Group Meeting Thurs., July 26th - 3:00-4:30 PM

50th Anniversary Task Force Meeting Thurs., July 26th-5:00-6:30 PM

Board Meeting Weds., Aug 1st-5:30-7:30 PM

Standards Screenings Weds., Aug 1st - 4:15 PM -New Member Orientation at 3:30 PM

Holiday Market Committee Meeting Weds., August 8th - 3:00-5:00 PM

-Agenda: Decorations, Elf Game
Standards Committee Meeting
Weds., August 15th - 5:00 PM
-Agenda: Family Selling
All meetings take place at the Market Office

All are welcome!

Info Booth:

MAKING CHANGE: The market will make change for our members, up to \$60, each Saturday.

VENDOR CHECK CASHING: Available at the Info Booth. There is a \$5 charge for a returned check. We do not cash checks for customers.

LOST & FOUND: Please turn in found items to the Info Booth and tell customers to go to the Info Booth for lost & found items. They can also call the office at 541-686-8885. Saturday Market is not responsible for lost or stolen items.

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