November 29th, 30th, & Dec. 1st 2019

- **★Turn in weekly evaluations in Member Services!**
- **★** Committee Schedules, Stage Line Up, UnClassifieds and MORE!
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From Kirsten

Good Morning Holiday Marketers!

We had another fabulous Holiday Market last weekend. I hope all of you are enjoying the many visitors and sales.

I wanted to remind you again of the following:

-KEZI is shooting a commercial on Saturday, December 7th at 1pm. This will be for our Holiday Market 2020 commercial.

-The family photo is scheduled for Sunday, December 8th at 9:50 am in the food court. Whether you are selling that weekend or not, please plan on attending this as we want all members in the picture.

-The Board of Directors election is

The Board of Directors election is December 7th-8th-8th-You will have 3 candidates to choose from. They are:

Rachell Coe, Booth #166 Chuck Roehrich, Booth #146 Shannon Lee-Hutson, Booth #166

If you are unable to vote that weekend, you can absentee vote by picking up a ballot at Member Services. It can be dropped off at the Market offices or any time before December 8th at 6pm at Member Services.

Happy Selling! Kirsten

Office/Market Schedule

Our office hours are Wed-Fri from 10am-4pm. Member Services will be open on Holiday Market days from 8:30am-7pm. Our office will be closed on Christmas. We

Our office will be closed on Christmas. We will mail all Visa checks from the last weekend on Dec. 26th. After Holiday Market is over and put away, the office will be closed until February 4th, 2020.

Dress Up Days!

Fri. Nov. 29th: All That Glitters Sat. Nov. 30th: Out Of This World Sun. Dec. 1st: Mad For Plaid

Sat. Dec. 7th: Golden 50th Celebration Sun. Dec. 8th: Stripes and Polka Dots

Sat. Dec. 14th: Purple Day Sun. Dec. 15th: Mythical/Fantasy Day

Sat. Dec. 21st: Seasonal Solstice Sun. Dec. 22nd: Leopard Colony Mon. Dec. 23rd: Hats, Ties & Tiaras Tues.Dec. 24th: Pajama/Ugly Sweater Day

M.V.P. Message

Member. Volunteer. Partner.

How We Got To Holiday Market

Those last outdoor Markets in late fall are always bittersweet but probably no one wants to be there in December now. This was not always our way!

It was not until 1986 that we managed to hold an event at the Fairgrounds, called the New Holiday Market, and it was for one weekend only, all we felt we could afford. It was held Dec. 3-7 and I made as much there as I usually made in six weeks downtown. The following year we were still holding that and the Park Blocks markets at the same time, to be fair to those who didn't have the funds. In 1988 we rented both the Auditorium and the Wheeler Pavilion at the same time with some booths outside in the courtyard, for all of the Saturdays and Sundays in December, and chose spaces in June. Fees were variable, with the 10%, and so was attendance, and in 1989 we added the Thanksgiving weekend. It took until 1993 to make the leap to the Exhibit Hall with a contract that increased the rent every year. That was the year that solidified the event and gave us the winning pattern we still follow.

Selling outdoors until Christmas was always the rule, even in 1970 when the Market grew from 29 in May to 110 members selling at the end. It was always cold and frequently wet. On the Butterfly people would fill a box with newspapers and stand in it to keep warm. At some point propane heaters in individual booths helped make it bearable. Many years were not profitable for the Market, but there were many indoor options for crafters that grew and dissolved, at the Fairgrounds and downtown. We all knew that people didn't really want to shop outside, but the rare pleasant weather and the warm spontaneity of the outdoor markets made it hard to give up, and the membership was determined to stay together.

We tried renting big tents, renting aisle coverings for the public (which were dark and required renting lights as well), having promotional events and lots of advertising, but weather is not something we can ignore. One year (1983) it snowed a foot on our Thanksgiving weekend market. I hauled my booth home on my trailer with my bike on top. Fees were low but so were sales. It has snowed on the Fairgrounds too, just a few years ago, but people came on skiis and sleds and drank cocoa and ate lunch. This year Holiday Market spaces sold out, completely. We've worked hard for this! Enjoy it.

Diane McWhorter Ephemera,Space #218

Thursday Tues | Wednesday Sunday Mon Friday Saturday November 15 16 **HOLIDAY MARKET 2019** 7 AM Building open 10 AM - 6 PM Market open 8 PM Building closed 12 PM - 9 PM Load in 6 PM Annual Potluck LOAD IN/OUT SCHEDULE 22 18 19 20 21 23 7 AM Building open 10 AM - 6 PM Market open 8 PM Building closed 8 AM Building open 10 AM - 6 PM Market open 9 PM Building closed, <u>Stock Out</u> 12 PM - 7 PM Load in **BUILDING CLOSED** 25 26 27 24 30 8 AM Building open 10 AM - 6 PM Market open 9 PM Building closed, <u>Stock Out</u> **2 7** 7 AM Building open 10 AM - 6 PM Market open 8 PM Building closed 8 AM Building open 10 AM - 6 PM Market open 8 PM Building closed 12 PM - 7 PM Load in 3 4 8 AM Building open 10 AM - 6 PM Market open 9 PM Building closed, <u>Stock Out</u> 7 AM Building open 10 AM - 6 PM Market open 8 PM Building closed 12 PM - 7 PM Load in **BUILDING CLOSED** 10 11 13 14 8 AM Building open 10 AM - 6 PM Market open 9 PM Building closed, <u>Stock Out</u> 7 AM Building open 10 AM - 6 PM Market open 8 PM Building closed 12 PM - 7 PM Load in **BUILDING CLOSED** 15 **21** 7 AM Building open 10 AM - 6 PM Market open 8 PM Building closed 16 17 18 19 20 8 AM Building open 10 AM - 6 PM Market open 9 PM Building closed, **Stock Out** 12 PM - 7 PM Load in **BUILDING CLOSED** Thurs 26 10 AM - 3 PM **22** 8 AM Building open 10 AM - 6 PM Market open 9 PM Building closed Mon 23 Tues 24 Wed 25 8 AM Building open 10 AM - 4 PM Market open 8 PM Building closed, **Stock-Ou**t 7 AM Building open 10 AM - 6 PM Market open Building load out

All Holiday Market balances must be paid in full by December 15th!

Beware of Counterfeit Money

We handle a lot of cash at Holiday Market. We had a few problems with counterfeit money at Saturday Market this year. Right now, we don't have any reports of counterfeit money in our area; however, you should always be on the lookout for fake money. Here are some tips:

- 1. Hold the bill up to the light. Check for a holograph of the face on the bill plus the thin vertical strip containing the denomination. Also, make sure the watermark can be seen on both sides of the bill. There is a security thread imbedded from top to bottom on the face of the bill.
- 2. **Color-shifting ink:** If you hold the new series bill (except the \$5 note) and tilt it back and forth, please observe the numeral in the lower right hand corner as its color shifts from green to black and back.
- **3.Comparison:** Test the feel and texture of the paper with other bills you know are authentic.

Feel free to ask your neighbors or come to Member Services if you are given a questionable bill. We have a test marker to use.

Remove Tape, Please!

If you are in the same space for the entire show, help us out and pull your tape off the floor once you are sure you are in the right location. At the end of the Holiday Market, we are required to pull all the tape off of the floor and tape that has been in place for six weeks can be kind of hard to remove. Thanks for your help!

Important Parking Info

Park your vehicle in the parking lot behind the building. The front parking lot is for customers. Don't leave anything in your car, as thefts do happen.

Stock <u>Must</u> Be Removed

Remember that all stock must be removed from your booth by 9pm on Sunday night. If you are selling the next weekend, your booth structure and furniture may stay.

The annual Family Photo is NEXT SUNDAY, December 8th, at 9:50am in the Food Court. Please come down to be in the picture even if you are not selling next weekend.

Local Events

Nov. 30 - Ducks vs. Beavers

Dec 8 - Annual Family Photo

Food Court at 9:50am

Dec 22 - Kareng Fund Pottery Smash

Dec 24 - Kareng Fund Raffle

Dec 26 - Load out from 10am-3pm Building closes for good at 3pm!



Wishing a Happy December birthday to candle maker Mike Davidson on Monday, artist Vicki Frecknall on Thursday, and ceramic artist Gary Becker on Friday!

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

Food Court Specials!

RENAISSANCE PIZZA's December is the time when our Sausage and Three Cheese Pizza makes it's anticipated return! This holiday favorite has Italian sausage layered with shaved Asiago, Romano and Parmesan cheeses! Our Sunday Brunch Breakfast Pizza continues every Sunday, with rosemary roasted red potatoes, scrambled eggs and Tillamook cheddar cheese! Optional side of bacon too!

BANGKOK GRILL's December special is Thai Green Curry! It's coconut green curry with tofu*, carrots*, green beans*, and bamboo shoots. Served with steamed rice. Vegan and *organic. Plus, Pa Ram Long Song gluten free. (Swimming Prince)!

RITTA'S BURRITOS' December's special is Butternut Squash Queso-Melt with Fresh Cranberry Salsa. Local, organic, butternut squash combined with red bell pepper and celery, lay-ered with cheddar-jack cheese then grilled to golden perfection between two whole-wheat tortillas. Served with our own Oregon grown, cranberry salsa, sour cream and tortilla chips.

DANA'S CHEESECAKE BAKERY's weekly specials are Butterscotch and Lemon Cheesecake!

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 dona-tion 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." Brochures are available at the Info Booth or on their website at www.karengfund.org

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.

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@ <u>eugenesaturdaymarket.org</u>with "NEWSLETTER" in the subject.

James Jacobson is offering to to assist & serve members between now and Dec. 24 as a backup person for when you need to take breaks. Please call 541.520.7617 or email jamjac503@gmail.com

Looking to share a booth. I do palm & other readings. Phone Sharon at 541-844-1660 (11/23)

Hey my name is Devin! I am willing to watch people's booths if they need a break or have some place they need to be. So if you need a booth watcher, please text me at 458-210-0718 and we can make a plan. Cash or trade. (11/23)

Barbara Irvine was a long time Market member who is now retired and interested in selling her 400+ metal photo/picture frames including framing hardware, and multiple packets of bags (i.e. Clearbags.com; Clear Flap Seal Bags and resealable bags for showcasing art and photos; 8x10 - 20x24). The retail value of the frames is conservatively calculated at \$9500. Bids will be accepted for the entire lot. Minimum bid is \$1000 OBO. Payment terms are negotiable. The materials may be inspected by appointment. Will hold the lot until January with a minimum bid. Please email blairvine11@gmail.

SALE: Brown Paper gift bags w/twine handle. 5 1/4"wide x 3 1/2" deep x 8" Tall (not including handle). Never used. Would prefer batch sales not single bags. 22 cents would give you 50 for \$11. (we have 250). If interested contact: Wanna Spoon? Ray Smith 541-933-2373. (11/9)

I'm available for booth sitting during Holiday Mar-ket. Contact Asam Mahina #425-272-7535 (11/2)

Market Meeting Calendar

All Saturday Market meetings and milestones are on the website. The calender is updated with board, committee, and task force meetings. Market meetings are in red. Market days are in green. Deadlines for applications are in dark blue. Take a look:

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Committee Meetings

Board Meeting Wed., December 4th - 5:15-7:15PM

Standards Orientation Meeting Wed., January 8th - 3:30-4:30PM

Board Meeting

Wed., January 8th - 5:15-7:15PM

Holiday Market Debrief Meeting Wed., February 12th, 2020 - 2:00-4:00PM

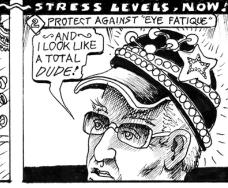
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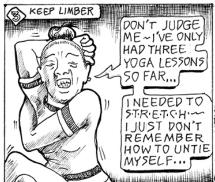
Thurs., February 13th - 5:15-7:15PM

All meetings take place at the Market Office.

All are welcome!







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Weather

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Ancient Market incantation (Nov 3.1973)

On the Market Stage

Friday Nov. 29 10:30 AM Lonesome Randall

Rock & Roll Historian

11:30 AM Captain Lovett Acoustic/Electronic Hybrid Music

12:30 PM Brian Cutean

Folkadelic alt-Roma Hooplabebop

1:30 PM David Helfand & Chad Marks-Fife Vibrant, Ethereal Music

3:00 PM Gerry Rempel Jazz Syndicate Jazz Fusion

5:00 PM Katie Sontag and the Love Notes Mesmerizing Indie and Folk Rock

In Holiday Hall

11:00 AM Chip Cohen

Dr. Horsehair Himself

1:00 PM Jerry Zybach **Acoustic Blues**

3:00 PM Robert Meade

Upbeat Northwest Americean

Saturday Nov. 30

10:30 AM David W. Rogers

Modern Classical Guitar Master

11:30 AM Daniel Cecil

Singer/Songwriter

12:30 PM Barbara Healy Trio

Blues, R&B and Jazz!

1:30 PM Anya Lecuyer Quartet Jazz & Rock

3:00 PM Kef

Balkan Dance Music Ensemble 5:00 PM The Huckleberrys

Roots, Blues, Americana

In Holiday Hall

11:00 AM Storm Tipton

Acoustic Rock

1:00 PM Peter Giri Acoustic Blues, Roots and Rock

3:00 PM Paul Simon Acoustic Indie

Sunday Dec. 1

10:30 AM Cascade Harp Ensemble Celtic Harp

11:30 AM Effinjay

Alternative Acoustic Rock

12:30 PM Sibling Revelry Family Affair of Jazz, Soul, Blues

1:30 PM Jill Cohn

Soulful Singer/Songwriter

3:00 PM Sun Bossa

Brazilian Bossa Nova

5:00 PM Swinging Marmalukeys

Gyspywaiian Waspafarian Bluegrass
In Holiday Hall

11:00 AM Chip Cohen

Dr. Horsehair Himself 1:00 PM Gordon Kaswell

Acoustic Variety Guitar

3:00 PM Daniel Cecil

Singer/Songwriter

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