

Today's Highlights: May 25th, 2019

- ★ Office is closed on Tuesday for Memorial Day. Season Reserve Balance Due.
- ★ Be a M.V.P. - Member.Volunteer.Partner.
- ★ Committee Schedules, Stage Line Up, UnClassifieds and more on the back page!
- ★ DAZ Permit Information available at the 8th Street Info Booth.

Saturday Market

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SATURDAY MARKET NEWSLETTER
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From Kirsten

Good Morning Saturday Marketers!

So glad you came today! It should be a profitable weekend with lots of shoppers out and about because of Memorial Day.

The Board election is fast approaching and absentee voting starts today. The official election will take place on June 8th with the results tallied on June 11th. You have three candidates that are vying for three 18 month terms. If you know you won't be at the June 8th Market, please come to the Information Booth on Park St. and cast your vote. If you were interested in running but missed the deadline you can still do a write in campaign. All candidates must attend one Board meeting within the last 12 months. The next Board meeting is June 5th, from 5:15pm-7:15pm, so this is your last chance to meet the requirement. And a big thank you to your candidates – Anna Lawrence, Gary Becker and Linda Lamb for stepping up to represent the membership.

On Wednesday night, May 22nd, the first of three public engagement meetings was held to develop the concept of the Town Square. Thank you to all the Market members that attended. There will be two more meetings - July 18th and September 12th. They will be held on the Park Blocks. The time is unknown at this time, but I expect it to be an afternoon/evening meeting. Please plan on attending these. The July meeting will allow us to see 3 concepts, and at the September meeting we will see a final concept. Additionally, we will host Cameron McCarthy, the organization hired by the City of Eugene to conduct these meetings, two more times at Market. They will be on the East Park Block plaza on June 29th and July 27th. Be sure to visit their booth.

Thought for the day..."The aim of art is to represent not the outward appearance of things, but their inward significance." - Aristotle

Happy Selling!
Kirsten

Color Elf Ornaments-It's Fun!

We have a BIG stack of elf ornaments that need to be colored for the popular annual Holiday Market Elf Game. This year, we will have our elves out and about for the first AND the last weekend! That means we need extra ornaments for prizes. Please drop by the office and pick up a bag full to bring home and color. Make sure you bring them back to the office. We have supplies to color ornaments in the office. You can sit at the conference table and color as many elf ornaments as you like. Thanks!

Saturday Market Guidebook

The 2019 Guidebooks are available at the South Park Info 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. Share it on your social media pages or website by using this link:

<http://anyflip.com/pedi/ejym/>

50th Anniversary Display

We have reserved space in the OSLP Lincoln Gallery in July. We also have space reserved for November and December at the Eugene Public Library. We are creating a display that includes information about the growth of the Market as well as showing off the amazing art our members bring every Saturday.

Please consider sharing a Saturday Market treasure for these displays. It doesn't have to be your own products. We would love to display works from members that are no longer selling with us alongside items from our current makers. Anything you loan to the market for this purpose will be returned to you.

We are ready to collect these items in the Saturday Market office rather than at the Info Booth. We will ask you to fill out a form to help us get your loaned item back to you and credit the artist. Thank you!

Mid-Season Wish List

There is only one more week before the Mid-Season Wish List starts. The Mid-Season Wish List starts on June 1st. The deadline to add your name is June 15th. If you would like to be added to the list, then you must call or email AJ Jackson to be added. You can call him at 541-686-8885 or email him at aj@eugenesaturdaymarket.org.

The Mid-Season Wish List is open to non-reserve members only. If you are a current reserve member and would like to move to a different space, then you must release your space by May 31st. You are not allowed to keep your space until you have chosen a new space.

We will use the Waiting List Points from the last Saturday Market in May to assign spaces fairly. If you aren't sure what your points are, then please ask AJ. There is not a minimum point requirement to go on the Mid-Season Wish List.

The reserve spaces will be filled by July 1st. You are required to make your reserve payment when you take the space. The cost is \$90 for the season or you can make payments of \$20/mo due on the last Saturday of every month including November.

Dear Reserve Vendors

Season reserve fees must be paid in full by May 31st. If you do not pay the balance of your season reserve by the deadline, then the payment schedule will revert to the monthly payment of \$20 per month, and late fees will apply. You can call or bring in your payment to the office until May 31st. Contact AJ for your current reserve payment owings. Monthly reserve payments are due on the last Saturday of the month for the upcoming month.

Memorial Day - Office Closed

The Saturday Market office will be closed this Tuesday, May 28th to observe Memorial Day. We will be back in the office on Wednesday, May 29th from 10am-4pm. Sustainability Committee Meeting will still be held on Tues., May 28th.

JJ's Community Corner

Happy Saturday Everyone!

Tai Chi is back on the Park Blocks! Every Tuesday and Thursday from July 2nd to September 19th, the City of Eugene offers a free Tai Chi class. These run from 8:30am to 9:00am on the West Park Block, and are open to all.

Every Tuesday and Thursday, Harmonic Labs presents Artistic Encounters on Kesey Square from noon to 1:00pm. These events are free to the public and are family friendly. It's a great spot to get some lunch and enjoy your local artisan's performing.

Maker Hub Open Lab: The City of Eugene invites residents of all ages to drop in at the Maker Hub to develop skills, use art and tech tools, explore, invent, and create! This daily event is held from 1:00-5:00pm at the Downtown Eugene Public Library. Library card required.

Thursday, May 30th: Harmonic Laboratory presents the Oregon Electric Device Orchestra accompanied by five University of Oregon projection-based artists. This event is free to the public and is being held on Kesey Square from 8:00-9:00pm.

Questions? I may have an answer! Please email me at info@eugenesaturdaymarket.org.

Enjoy the day!

-JJ

Dads & Grads Giveaway

We love our super popular and fun Mother's Day Giveaway so much that this year we are sharing the love with our Dads and Grads! The Giveaway will be held at the stage on June 15th. Names will be drawn from the basket at 11am, 12pm, 1pm, 2pm, and 4pm. Anyone can enter their name in the drawing including members. You can only win once. Encourage your customers and family to play with us since it's a lot of fun and the prizes are fantastic.

Speaking of prizes, we need donations from members to hand out as prizes every hour. Please make sure to include a business card or a label with any donations to help customers find you again in the future. Please drop off donations at the Saturday Market office or at the South Park Info Booth. You can also bring them to the stage the day of the drawing.

Local Events

May 27 - Memorial Day
May 28 - Office Closed
June 1 - 2019 Cigar Box Fest Northwest
June 8 - Artists in Action! Studios on the Park Blocks
June 16 - Father's Day
June 17 - UofO Graduation
June 28-July 13 - Oregon Bach Festival
June 30 - Prefontaine Classic - Stanford, CA
July 4-6 - Art in the Vineyard
July 12-14 - Oregon Country Fair
July 24-28 - Lane County Fair
August 3 - Whiteaker Block Party
August 8-11 - Scandinavian Festival



The Market Corner

Wishing a Happy May birthday to site crew member Magnus McWilliams tomorrow, hair feather artist Dezerae Moore and longboard artist Eric Myers on Tuesday, jewelry artist Dru Marchbanks, psychic reader Ambriel Leilani and woodworker Bruce Barker on Thursday, potter Bob Haley on Friday!

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

Food Court Specials!

RENAISSANCE PIZZA's May special is our "Escape to the Matterhorn Pizza". This white pizza has fresh organic baby spinach, Swiss cheese, mushrooms, organic shallot-sherry cream sauce, organic red onions, a splash of white wine and a drizzle of organic extra virgin olive oil!

BANGKOK GRILL's May 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' May special is Fire Roasted-Chile Rellenos Queso-Melt! Featuring organic, fire roasted Anaheim chiles direct from Cross Roads Farm. These chiles are layered with a round of scrambled eggs and jack/cheddar cheese. All this grilled between two tortillas. Served with salsa, herbed sour cream and tortilla chips. Gluten free options available.

DANA'S CHEESECAKE BAKERY's weekly special is Strawberry Cheesecake!

Credit Card Sales

Saturday Market accepts Visa, Mastercard, Discover, & American Express. Send your customer to the South Park Info Booth with a properly filled out credit card slip. 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. Reserve members' checks are in your envelopes.

Reminder: You cannot charge your customers a fee or increase the cost of your product by a percentage for paying with a credit card. You can offer a cash discount instead.

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@eugenesaturdaymarket.org with "NEWSLETTER" in the subject.

Need business cards, a new banner, product photos and the like? Kim Still (former Market promo manager) can make it happen for you! Tons of experience, affordable rates, quick turnarounds. 541-521-7125 or kimjstill@gmail.com (5/25).

Did you just jury in the OCF top 10? Are you looking for a laid back, experienced, and responsible boothmate? Come talk to Larry the kaleidoscope guy in booth 173 or call 541.321.2381 (5/25)

Hi there, looking for a booth to share, also looking for S.O. passes. Have small display dolls and finger puppets. Lisa Gladiola Call 541-232-4141 (5/18)

Seeking Booth Space: I am searching for someone generous enough to share their booth with me at the Oregon Country Fair. I craft stunning gemstone jewelry to armor lightworkers and our world. Visit my world: www.minotaurstudio.com mondothemino-aur@gmail.com (435-414-4916)-Minotaur Studios (5/11)

Anna's Haute Tops, Booth #158, has the form you need to register to Vote. Don't delay. Your Vote is Important. (5/11)

Katie Swenson teaches a hand building Porcelain class at Clay Space and the Sunday class is not beginning until the 19th of May. It will be 7 weeks and is held from 1 o'clock - 4:00. Come to booth #169 and get a class outline from Katie. Clay Space is also online to google the name and read about classes, but if you have questions Katie will try to help. (5/11)

Hi, I have an approved for the market fire extinguisher for sale. It's Dry Chemical 2-A:10-B:C and brand new. It sat through 1 holiday market and is otherwise unused. It costs \$49.00 new and I'm asking \$35.00. Please contact Keith at 541-683-5296. Thanks! (5/11)

Some very "old hippies" would appreciate and pay for some help unloading and setting up our booth from 8 AM to 9AM and from 5:30 PM to 6:30 PM with reloading. Contact cathy@earthsteps.com (5/4)

For Sale: Oak dining room table with 2 expansion leaves, 8 Windsor Captain chairs (fit under the table), kid's chest of drawers (used in garage for tool storage - needs paint), gas dryer, 17" studded snow tires, little credenza, iron grate and decorative logs, and more! Call for pictures and any additional info. Prices negotiable. 541-654-8957 (5/4)

MF Wolik Photography (Nature's Reflection) is looking for a booth rep to share the magic with at Oregon Country Fair this year! Is it you? I create reflection portals with Nature and Space. My ideal partner creates something handheld. pls reach out! mfwolik@gmail.com ~ 5415252802 ~ mfwolik.com (5/4)

Weather

Happy Saturday! Today is rainy again but no thunderstorms! There's a 100% chance of showers and a high of 59 degrees. Winds WSW at 7mph.



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Ancient Market incantation (Nov 3, 1973)

On the Market Stage

10:00 AM Ricardo Cardenas

Classical Guitar

11:00 AM Thomas Green

Country & Americana

12:00 PM Richie G & MaBeat

Folk with a Sweet Island Vibe

1:00 PM Rudolf Korv

Singer, Musician, Songwriter

2:00 PM Tatiamo

Acoustic Vocal Group

4:00 PM Eugene Peace Choir

Community Choir Sings Songs of Peace and Justice

Committee Meetings

Sustainability Committee Meeting

Tues., May 28th - 12:00 PM

Board Meeting

Weds., June 5th - 5:15-7:15PM

Standards Screenings

Weds., June 5th - 4:15 PM

-New Member Orientation @ 3:30 PM

Holiday Market Committee Meeting

Weds., June 12th - 2:00 PM

50th Anniversary Task Force Meeting

Thurs., June 13th - 3:00 PM

Standards Screenings

Weds., June 19th - 4:15 PM

-New Member Orientation @ 3:30 PM

Standards Committee Meeting

Weds., June 19th - 5:00 PM

-Agenda: Services

All meetings take place at the Market Office

All are welcome!

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, & more.

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