

Today's Highlights, June 19, 2010

- Board Election Results!
- New Locally Made Tote Bags Available!
- Do We Have Your Current Address?
- Unclassifieds, Weather, Meetings and more on the other side!

SATURDAY MARKET NEWSLETTER
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Saturday Market

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From Beth

An essential part of the charm of our marketplace is that we operate in a sweet park with trees and grass, open plazas and the fish fountain. We are on our site from early dark to late dark. Therefore it can be unclear to the customer when we are officially open or closed. If we were a typical retail establishment, we would unlock the door and place a sign that says OPEN at 10 am and lock the door and change the sign at 5 pm. Instead, we must use our actions to make clear that we are still open. If you start to break down your booth at 4:30 pm, it tells the customers that we are closing. They are told through your actions, that they should leave. If you pull your car in at 4:45 pm it goes against thousands of dollars of advertising that says we are open 10-5 rain or shine. Most of us rely on the income from the 7 hours of selling time we have at the Eugene Saturday Market. Please plan to stay all day and do not leave or show signs of leaving before 5 pm.

Have a lovely Saturday,
~Beth

Do Not Park At Wells Fargo

The Wells Fargo Bank south of the west Park Block is open on Saturdays. Their customers and their employees use the parking spaces at the bank. Saturday Market vendors are not allowed to park anywhere on the Wells Fargo property. Wells Fargo has been an excellent neighbor to the Market. They deserve our respect. Do not park in their drive-through or anywhere else on their property.

Board Election Results

Congratulations to Ritta Dreier, Owen VanHooser and Alex Lanham, elected to the Board of Directors last week, Alex was elected as the alternate. Many thanks to Deb Schussler and Alley Valkyrie for their service on the Board! They both continue to serve Market as active members of the Standards Committee.

Fathers Day Reminder Signs

"Fathers' Day is tomorrow" reminder signs are available at the Info Booth today.

Committee Corner

The Standards Committee met on Wednesday. They invited folks who sell items that involve image transfer (silk screening for instance), and discussed the importance of using an original image vs. the importance of the process of transfer. The Committee also crafted a draft standard requiring a more elaborate artistic contribution when more elaborate blank garments are used in dyeing, batiking, etc.

The next meeting is the Holiday Market meeting on Wednesday, June 23 at 5 PM. The Committee will review the vendor packets for HM 2010.

Sell at Tuesday Market

Tuesday Market is now up and running on the East Block (food court block), and an area has been blocked for Market artisans. If you are a Market member, meet Beth or Elissa at 9 AM on Tuesday west of the stage for booth assignment. Tuesday Market costs \$5 + 10% for an 8x8 space. Tuesday Market has a separate point system that is not related to Park Blocks or Holiday Market points.

HM Update

Holiday Market packets will be mailed out in early July. Please be sure we have your current address so that you receive your application.

There's a worksheet available at the Info Booth to help you figure out how to plan for your Holiday Market points for the 2011 season.

New Locally Made Tote Bags Available

The Market has found a source for locally made canvas bags that are then printed (also locally, by Market member Diane McWhorter) with the "I Buy Local!" / Market Basket logo. They look similar to the inexpensive cloth bags we have been selling, but are much sturdier.

The new bags are \$3.50 each or 3 for \$10. Some of the old cloth bags are still available at \$2.50 each. We also have larger canvas totes for \$10 each. Along with purchasing them for your own use, many folks are buying the smaller totes to give to customers who make large purchases as a bonus. It's a great way to get our Market name out and about in the community!

Local Events

June 25-July 11 - Oregon Bach Festival
July 2-4 - Art & the Vineyard
July 9-11 - Oregon Country Fair
Aug. 18-22 - Lane County Fair
Aug. 27-29 - Eugene Celebration



The Market Corner



Happy Birthday glass artist Conrad Williams, tie dye artist Dotti Smith and potter Elizabeth Eisenman-Dellinger today! Umpqua Hula & The Arts Multicultural Festival in Roseburg is looking for vendors Sat., Aug. 21-Sun., Aug. 22; Set up Fri., Aug. 20, at Umpqua Community College, Roseburg. Vendor Cost: 10 x 10 space is \$25 per day; 20 x 20 space is \$150 per day (booths must be rented both Saturday and Sunday) See www.hekulanameahawaii.org or www.kumuhulapekeloday.com. If interested in vendor packet, email tiffaniasmith86@hotmail.com.

Willamalane Park and Recreation District's Summerfest celebrates Springfield's 125th birthday on July 16-17. They are looking for vendors to sell homemade items. Booths are available on Friday night (5-10) and Saturday (set up by 10:30 and starting 11-7). The prices are \$50 for Friday night and \$75 for all day Saturday and \$100 for both days to rent a booth. For an application, email heathers@willamalane.org

BRING Home and Garden Tour "The Art of Sustainable Living" is June 20, 9-5. Self Guided tour of 20 homes and gardens in the Eugene Springfield area. Free Tour Guides and \$10(advance tickets) available at www.bringrecycling.org, at BRING and other local businesses.

National Fire Fighter has fire retardant treatment spray for \$20/qt. They are at 1574 W. 6th.

Wells Fargo Bank is now open on Saturdays, 10 - 2.

Junction City Water Tower Market seeks vendors. Call 541-337-1428 or email j.c.towermarket@gmail.com for info.

The Kareng Fund is the Saturday Market's vendor emergency fund. You can make a tax-deductible donation of any size any time, just specify your donation on the front of your payment envelope. Thanks!

You can get listed with a link to your website from the artisan listing pages on the Market's website. All you need is to have sold five times on the Park Blocks, and a functioning website (not under construction) or email address. Just send an email with your links and listing info to links@eugen Saturdaymarket.org. Include links to blogs, etsy pages, facebook fan pages, myspace pages, twitter streams, etc.

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 to marketks@efn.org.

Covered Wagon: Unique vintage custom utility trailer. Good for fairs, supplies, sleeping, storage. \$895 cash/firm. Solid, small rear door, 2 windows, bare inside, 2" ball hitch, looks European, needs paint. Vendors favored -- leave message at Zenscapes 4x4 booth 8th and Park. (6/19)

Looking for someone to possibly take my cat in for a month in July. Must love cats, must not have cats. Food will be provided, as well as \$200 compensation. Please find Alley in sp 364 or call 541-954-3779. (6/19)

Burley was stolen. Need replacement buggy to transport stock and tent to Mkt. Bicycle cart preferable. Please ring Dennis @ 541-343-2941. (6/19)

Free - Extraordinary Holiday Market booth. Norman, 541-747-1936. (6.12)

For sale: Woodworker's Central Machinery 12 1/2" auto planer, new, never used. Cost \$200, sell for \$75. See Bob or Rose, booth #337. (6/5)

Ritta's Burritos monthly special for June is a Three Cheese-Walnut Quesadilla with Seared Pineapple Salsa. (6/5)

Room available now, in unique acre+ former farm off Oakpatch in west Eugene. Share w/3 men, cats & bees. Looking for eco-aware, responsible individual, prefer vegetarian (mostly), no dogs, wireless internet. \$360/mo, \$175/dep, utility share. 541-302-1419 or 541-968-8431. (6/5)

Nikon Coolpix 8700 digital camera 8.0mp 8xZoom-Nikkor ED lens \$250. IPOD Touch 16GB \$150. Come by Sp #120 or call Sal@ 541-686-1508 (6/5)

Dean's Famous Salsa is back. Now La Salsa and organic. Only at Sat. Mkt. \$1 coupons for fellow vendors available at info booth. (6/5)

Looking for OCF booth to share, have handmade dolls, do not take up much room. Call 541-870-6538, email imishiarainbowint@earthlink.net. Lisa Rain Gladiola. (6/5)

97 Nissan Quest GXE V6 3.0 Liter Ready for Market w/newer tires, brakes, and windshield. Sliding bench seat, two removable center chairs and removable roof rails. Travel safe & comfortable w/Air Conditioning, Remote Power Door Locks, Power Steering, Power Windows, Tilt Wheel, Cruise Control, AM/FM Stereo CD. Dual Front Air Bags, Power Driver's Seat, Privacy Glass & Swing-out rear window and Illuminated entry system. Per my mechanic transmission in good condition. 170,000 miles young-- \$4500-- that is \$850 below Bluebook to cover knock sensor @ \$700 parts and labor. Please call 541.729.5947 (6/5)

Market van 1983 Ford E150 heavy half ton dual tanks, 302 V8, leave message at 541-689-7178. Best reasonable offer (ph # is correct now)(6/5)

For sale: Beeswax/soywax blend, 10 lb. bricks, \$10. Wanted: cupcake tins, old pie tins, glassware, serger sewing machine. Call Elizabeth, 541-343-2604. (5/29)

Looking for a 1 bedroom apt. up to 575 HUD-VASH Section 8. Former Market worker Annica McCarthy, 541-653-3815. (5/22)

Hello, my name is Planet Glassberg and I am looking for a new home in Eugene where I would like to live in a house, cottage or yurt. A one bedroom or studio. I am a respectful and responsible person who cares about the land and my neighbors. I can move in June or July. Please call me at 541-461-2695 or email me at dreamingpax@yahoo.com. Thanks so very much. Blessings. (5/22)

Flock of chickens for sale - mixed layer breeds, hatched in Feb, raised by hen, 3 hens, 1 rooster. \$20 for all, or \$18 without rooster. Would rather keep together. Levana, booth 124 or 541-744-2750. (5/15)

Weather

Ouch! A 50 percent chance of showers. Mostly cloudy, with a high near 64. West southwest wind between 3 and 9 mph. The good news, June is over in a week...

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-ancient Market incantation (Nov 3, 1973)



On the Market Stage

10:00 AM **Lonesome Randall** -Rock & Roll historian

11:00 AM **Lorna Miller** -little kid's jamboree

12:00 PM **Eagle Park Slim** -THE blues

1:00 PM **Frill** -60s esoterica

2:00 PM **Keenan Dorn Experience** -jazzy guitar

3:30 PM **Rob Tobias & The Northwest Express** -rhythm & positivity

Committee Meetings

Board of Directors

Wednesday, August 4, 5:15 PM

Agenda: mentoring new members

Standards Committee

Wednesday, July 21 after screening

Agenda: definition of generic garment, who may sell

Standards Screenings

July 7, July 21, 3:30 PM

Holiday Market Committee

Weds, June 23, 5 PM

Agenda: review vendor packets

Sustainability Committee

Weds, July 28, 2 PM

Agenda: Durables, Bike Racks

Food Committee

Weds, Aug 25, 1 PM

Agenda: work plan, durables, plan promotional workshop

Kareng Fund Committee

Tues, July 20, 3 PM

Agenda: review draft bylaws

Board of Directors Election

Saturday, June 12

Credit Card Sales

Market accepts Visa, Mastercard, Discover & American Express. Give your customer a note with your last name and your booth number and send them to the 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.

THE SATURDAY MARKET BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS

Chairperson - River Kennedy • Vice Chairperson - Teresa Pitzer • Secretary - Pamela Raynor • Treasurer - Lynn Brown • Ritta Dreier, Teri Gutierrez, Kathleen Houghton, David Lee, Owen VanHooser, Alex Lanham (alternate)
Holiday Market Chair - Pam Raynor, Vice Chair - Jennifer Hoover • Standards Committee Co-Chairs - Teresa Pitzer, Lynn Brown • Food Committee Co-Chairs - Colleen Bauman, Ritta Dreier • Sustainability Committee Chair - Eric Myers, Vice-chair - Willy Breninghouse
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