

Today's Highlights, August 31, 2013

- Market Office Closed Tuesday!
- Art Bags! Want to Make One?
- How to Read Your Holiday Market Invoice!
- Unclassifieds, Weather, Meetings and more on the other side!

SATURDAY MARKET NEWSLETTER
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Saturday Market

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From Beth

There has been a lot going on in our little corner of the world. The corner of 8th and Oak seems to have a gravitational pull, eh? But our staying power is strong. Even with the most recent ordeal, there were lots of folks who came down for the Celebration. We did and are still staying off of the grass in certain areas of the park to send a clear message to all that we support the city's choice to keep areas tidy. And the paper printed my reply to last week's headlines educating folks on how we clean each Saturday before and after the Market.

When I think back over all the things that have happened in our years here: exploding sewer lids, volcano dust, tree sitters, etc. this will all seem like a blip on our radar. When you are part of the Eugene Saturday Market, you know something elemental and powerful takes place here every week. Community, Marketplace, Celebration. Lovely.

~Beth

Office Closed Tuesday

The Market office will be closed this Tuesday, Sept. 3, for Labor Day. Regular office hours will resume on Wednesday.

Holiday Market Tips:

The Holiday Market Invoice

Now that the 2013 Holiday Market is being booked, the mechanisms fall into place to get the show up and running. Part of that, of course, is the Holiday Market invoice. The invoice is a reflection of what our records say in the computer. It has four parts from top to bottom.

The first section at the top is your information as it is typed into the computer and therefore how it will come up when booth staff search for you. This section has your name, address, phone, company name, category and keywords. There are two phone numbers. The first is the one we give to customers. If the first looks like this: 000-0000, it means that you have asked us not to give your number out. The category will

indicate the section that your name will be printed in the weekly Holiday Market directory. The key words are used by the staff to assist customers find you when looking for your product.

The second section shows the spaces and dates for which you are booked as well as payments and balance due. Your booth fee has had \$25 added which will be returned after you complete your work task (or subtracted if you have a balance.) If you are signed up for a work task, it will show the task and time. Your completed task will show as a payment of \$25 with no receipt number. There is no limit to the amount of payments you can make each week. Many members find it easier to pay in a lot of smaller payments.

The third section is the booth partner. If you have a booth partner, remember that when you share the cost of the booth to subtract the \$25 work task fee. If you are a booth partner, your space/s in section two will show with a B after the number and your cost will be your \$25 work task and \$5 fee per week up to \$20. This fee will not be more than \$45.

The fourth section at the bottom shows how to contact us and when payments are due. Invoices are sent out for payments due on September 15, October 15, November 15 and then delivered to your booth at the Holiday Market. Please review the information and make sure that it is correct to help make the Holiday Market run as smoothly as possible.

Upcoming Meeting Schedule

The next Board of Directors meeting will take place on Sept. 11 at 5:15 instead of the first Wednesday. Orientation and Product Screening will take place on Sept. 4 as usual.

The Holiday Market Committee meeting will be on Sept. 11 at 3:30, rather than the usual 4:00.

The regularly scheduled Board meeting on October 2 will serve as the Annual Meeting, rather than holding it during Holiday Market. Plans for location and perhaps a finger/snack food potluck are still in the works.

Holiday Market Update

Vi is currently working with folks who have 24 Holiday Market points.

You can still turn in an application if you are not a reserved booth holder, but get it to us ASAP so you don't miss your turn to pick a space!

Introducing the Art Bag Project!

Your Holiday Market Committee is asking you Market artisans to decorate a big, blank canvas bag in whatever artful way you want. The bags will be displayed and then given away via a drawing to customers at the end of the first weekend of Holiday Market. If you decorate a bag, you won't be compensated for your work, but the bags will be publicized in advance and through the weekend and displayed all weekend long with your name and booth number. The Committee is still working out details of display and how customers will enter the drawing.

If you are interested in decorating one of these Art Bags, please let us know by Sept. 11. We have 50 bags available, so don't be shy!

Local Events

Aug. 31 - Ducks Vs Nicholls State, 1pm
Sept. 14 - Ducks Vs. Tennessee, 12:30pm
Sept. 28 - Ducks vs. California
Oct. 12 - Market Wide Sale



The Market Corner



Happy Birthday to potter Alex Lanham, clothing maker Wren Facaros and jeweler Vince LaRochelle yesterday, potter Laura Jackson today, sandal maker Avery McCombs and woodworker Craig Butler tomorrow, hair flower maker Mariah Stevens on Monday, rug maker Eddie O'Shea and cartoonist Willy Gibboney on Tuesday and clothing maker Katrina Zarate on Thursday!!

A book signing for the new children's book "The Meadow" by Marketeers Eliel Fionn, author, and Nancy Bright, illustrator, will take place at Tsunami Books, 2585 Willamette, on Sunday Sept. 8, 4-6 PM. Book reading starting at 4:15, all are welcome!

An easier way to get linked up on the Market website! Go to the Market's website, look under "Selling at Market" on the "Market Applications" page. In the Renewing and Current Member section there's a link to an online form where you can submit your link business and link info. Kim makes the updates on Fridays. Include your Facebook page, Twitter, blog, or what ever you use to promote your business online. If you've got a Facebook page, the Market page will go and "like" it too. Also, there's a private Facebook group for Market members, just search for "Eugene Saturday Market Members" and request to be included.

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



UnClassifieds

To place your free unclassified, bring it to the info booth by the end of the day, to the office by Thursday afternoon, or e-mail to kimstill@eugenesaturdaymarket.org, put "newsletter" in the subject line.

Basket weaving supplies. Many sizes and types of reed, flat, round, oval, handles. \$5.00 per 1 pound rolls which is less than half current price. Call Ken 541-914-5733. (8/31)

I have a bunch of clean, good styrofoam packing peanuts to give away. Call me, I'll bring them to market for you! Nome 541-998-1650 (8/31)

Accept debit & credit cards from your booth and have funds deposited directly into your account as early as the next day! Discounted pricing available to Eugene Saturday Market vendors. Call Kacie Price with Vantiv for more information at 503.828.5062, or e-mail her at kacie.price@vantiv.com. (8/31)

Wanted to rent/lease: A few wooded acres, with an insulated shop/cabin/studio space, approx. 900-1200 sq. ft... located about 45 minutes south of Eugene. Bldg. must be clean, secure & have 110 & 220, and the property fenced or will permit renter to fence as needed for service animal. Thanks! Contact: silhouette@indigenousspirit.net (8/31)

New to Market, looking for an 8x8 pop up tent. If you have one for sale please contact Favouere Miller, favouere@gmail.com, 541-606-5174. (8/24)

I will pay someone to set up my booth at 9 am and breakdown at 5 pm. For Saturday Market starting August 24 til close of Market 2013. Call Geri, 541-345-0039. (8/17)

Photography for Artists & Crafters at reasonable prices. I am creating acceptance winning Images for Zapp Shows & Regional Festivals. If your a Jeweler & are not being accepted, I can help. You can see some of my work at: www.JohnHigbyPhotographer.com . 541-870-7444 (8/17)

For sale, T shirt press for iron on decals, \$400 obo. Candle soy & beeswax, 40 lbs/\$50. Liz Carson, 541-556-4960. (8/17)

Wanted: license plates for recycling project. Will pay up to \$1 a plate. See me at Market - "B-Headed." Can't find me? Call 541-942-1966. Thanks, Barb. (8/17)

Cans for nite lites? Does anyone feed their cat 9 Lives cat food? (or know someone who does) I really need those type of cans. Always need Tuna cans too. Contact Mindy at 541-731-9207 or sp #319. (8/17)

Black Kittens and Adults are now at a low adoption fee of \$50! The kittens come with their first

shot, microchip, neutered/spayed, and they have been treated for fleas and worms! Our other kittens are \$100 and come with the same treatments. Some of which can be viewed at our petfinder site: <http://www.petfinder.com/pet-search?shelterid=CA1685> Come see them at our rescue located at 675 W. Centennial Blvd. Springfield, OR 97477. We will be open 11am-4pm on Saturday. They all need forever homes! (8/17)

Booth for sale, nice kiln dried hardwood, well constructed, good shape. Saturday Market design. paid \$150, asking \$75, See Dan, booth #308. (8/11)

Free garden art making supplies for hypertufa and 1/2 price garden art for sale. Sidney, 541-689-5453 (8/11)

Wanted: peaceful quiet 2 bedroom living/work space. Kiln friendly (110) glass/weaving artist. 541-514-4178. If no answer, please leave name & no. (8/3)

Weather



Let's cling to summer for at least one more Saturday, shall we? Patchy fog before 8am. Otherwise, sunny, with a high near 83. North wind around 6 mph.

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-original Market incantation (Nov 3, 1973 b.c.e.)

On the Market Stage

10:00 AM **Brume** -french folk
 11:00 AM **Lorna Miller** -little kid's jamboree
 12:00 PM **Anthony McCarthy** -poignant melodies and heartfelt lyrics
 1:00 PM **The McKenzie Drifters** -bluegrass
 2:00 PM **Mike Brewer & The Brewketts** -James Taylor classics
 3:30 PM **Music's Edge Rock Camp Showcase** -Rock and Roll from Eugene's youth!

Committee Meetings

Board of Directors
Weds. Sep. 11, 5:15 PM
Agenda: TBA

Annual Meeting
Weds, Oct. 2, 5:15 PM
Location: TBA

Standards Committee
Weds. Sept. 18, 4:15 PM
Agenda: t-shirts, art reproductions

Standards Screenings
Sept. 4, Sept. 18, 4:00 PM

Holiday Market Committee
Weds. Sept. 11, 3:30 PM
Agenda: advertising budget, more art bags planning

Sustainability Committee, Food Court Committee
TBA

Board of Directors Election
Saturday, December 8

All meetings take place at the NEW Market Office, 30 E. Broadway #124, Eugene unless otherwise indicated. All are welcome!

Credit Card Sales

Market accepts Visa, Mastercard, Discover & American Express. Send your customer to the Info Booth with a properly filled out credit card slip (avail at 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 or mailed at the end of the day Wednesday.

THE SATURDAY MARKET BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS

Chairperson - Colleen Bauman • Vice Chairperson - Deb Huntley • Secretary - Diane McWhorter • Treasurer - Lynn Brown • Jan Bullock, Caroline Dunn, Elizabeth Eisenman, Sue Hunnel, Anna Lawrence, Owen VanHooser, Teresa Pitzer, Dennis Westfall
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