Today's Highlights: October 22nd, 2022

- **★ Market-Wide Sale TODAY!!!**
- ★ From the Office, Sonia Says, From Renee
- ★ Weather, Birthdays, Unclassifieds and more on the back page!





From the Office Greetings Market Artists!

After today we will only have 2 more Saturdays left to our SM22 season. We want to end this season strong and start HM22 with a BANG! Looks like today will be a wet one, but as we all know when Oregon gives us a rainy day, Oregonians play in the puddles!

Just a couple announcements from the office:

- 1. Remember the last Saturday is November 5th. Saturday November 12th is no longer on the SM22 calendar.
- **2.** WE ARE NO LONGER CASHING OUR OWN CHECKS FOR VISA REIMBURSEMENTS OR ENTERTAINMENT. Saturday Market is not a bank. We cannot be cashing checks for vendors or musicians. This process is difficult on staff at the info booth as well as on our office staff during the week. If you put your check into the envelope as partial payment we will ask you to come into the office to correct this.
- **3.** Parking enforcement is on the prowl... She is 5'10 holding a clipboard looking mighty official (answers to "Shannon") and is patrolling the unloading and loading spaces during opening and closing time. First time citations are delivered with a smile.
- **4.** HM22 invoices went out this week so keep an eye out in your snail mail.
- **5.** Please, all alter-abled members contact the office so we can sort out AA parking for the Lane Events

Election Time

The Board of Directors will be holding elections in December. If you are interested in being a member of the Board you must turn in your candidate statement/photo to the office no later than Wednesday November 23rd. You must also attend at least one Board meeting. The next two meetings are as follows: Nov. 2nd, 2022 5:15-7:15pm, and Dec. 7th, 2022 5:15-7:15pm. Ĥave a great day full of sales, good food, friends, and laughter!

> From Your General Manager. Shannon Lee-Hutson gm@eugenesaturdaymarket.org

"Without order nothing can exisit, without chaos nothing would evolve.' – Oscar Wilde

Sustainability Corner

My son got married last week, and it was beautiful and perfect! While planning for the wedding, our family kept sustainability in mind. We purchased compostable cutlery/recyclable supplies, and I made almost all of the decorations with my dried flowers and things I already had around my house. To be honest, I spent less than \$25 on materials. Her family also repurposed items to help out, like candle holders, bud vases and lace for table clothes. We got many compliments for the decor, and it combined well with

- their outdoor wedding!
 I wanted to share this because Halloween is right around the corner, and sometimes it can be hard to minimize waste during celebrations. So here are some sustainability tips for a greener Halloween. My source this week is the World Wildlife Fund, and they offer these ideas:
- 1. Reuse decorations from the previous year instead of buying new and make creative decorations from things you might throw out otherwise, like old stockings for spider-webbing.
- 2. Make your own costumes by keeping old clothes that can be used for pieces or parts and shop at thrift shops for items to save money. Then let the imaginations run wild!
- 3.Use regular dishes biodegradable ones when having a party.
- 4. Buy locally produced foods, candies and treats. Look for goodies with minimal packaging and/or those made packaged in recycled materials.
- 5.Instead of buying trick-or-treat bags, use and decorate household items to collect candy in, like a bucket or
- 6. Buy pumpkins from local farms or farmers' markets. Better yet, grow your own because kids love to watch them grow!
- 7. Don't throw away all the goodies from inside your pumpkin. Toast the seeds for tasty treats. Make pumpkin pie or muffins with the fruit - or compost it.
- 8. Trick or Treat by walking around your neighborhood instead of driving to another destination. Get to know your neighbors, reduce your carbon emissions and help keep the streets safe for other walkers.
- 9. From party food to treats to pumpkins, consider composting organic matter and recycling other items.
- 10. Reuse as much as you can from year to year and have a safe and happy Halloween!

Brigitte McBride Space #115 www.goosehillgifts.com

Sonia Says

Hello My Friends,

As you all know I am almost done booking Holiday Market. Last year we were lucky enough to acquire the Holiday Hall (where the Farmers Market was). Since it was the first year last year, and we got it so last minute, we were unable to book it to capacity. Because it was so "empty" last year, I hear a lot of negative comments about how "good" or "bad" Holiday Hall is. This has made it very difficult for me to get anyone to want to be in that room this year, even though I can list just as many cons for the Main Hall.

Although I understand the fears, I don't agree with the sentiment that Holiday Hall is bad in ANY WAY. Right now the Holiday Hall is a blank canvas for anyone to make their own, we have wider walk ways so that customers aren't rushed by your booth, and the Main Stage always draws a crowd. So instead of discouraging new members, maybe suggest that they help create a comfortable and artistic new space with their own spin on things.

I believe that you get what you put out in this world and speaking negatively creates a self-fulfilling prophecy, if you tell everyone it's not worth it because it's empty, it will never fill up. You can't continuously speak negatively about the Holiday Hall and just expect it to magically get better. So with peace and love please STOP. Thank you for your positivity and I'll see you all at the Events Center!

> Peace & Love, Sonia

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Envelope Art by Alex Gilbert



Envelope Art by Shayla Smith



Happy Birthday to all our Fall friends! Patti the tie dye artist and Teri the jeweler celebrated their birthday last Sunday, Oct. 16th. Brooke of Oregon Jewelry has some b-day cake last Monday, Oct. 17th. Kate of the Tenth Muse and Jay of Light Works Candles celebrated their birth last Tuesday, Oct. 18th. Meredeth the artist and Tim the photographer partied it up last Wednesday, Oct.19th. Today we celebrate the birth of Martha of Gemtree and Scott of Watershed

A very happy birthday to you all. We hope you have a glorious year!



If you don't see your birthday, please let us know.

From Renee

Hey all! As we think about the transition to Holiday Market, I would like to remind everyone to update their Member Portal. We use this information to tag you in social media posts, send you snail mail, and the keywords you put help me greatly when writing posts for social media. It is really important that all of your information is up-to-date. It breaks my heart when I go to tag someone's website or page and it is no longer working, or the website has been closed. Thank you for helping us better help you.

This year Downtown Eugene will close Broadway on Oct. 29th for all sorts of Halloween fun! We encourage members to dress-up and have fun! If that also includes giving out candy to trick-or-treaters please bring some store-bought candy.

If anyone is doing any fun creative prompt lists/challenges for the month of October please let me know. We will gladly repost your work!

Thank you all so much! As always if you have any questions, comments, concerns, or ideas you are all more than welcome to email me at:

renee@eugenesaturdaymarket.org

Happy Posting! Renee

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 email it to us at info@eugenesaturdaymarket.org with "NEWSLETTER" in the subject.

Urgently Need for 2 Bedrooms

My son and I are being evicted from our wonderful little apartment in Springfield. It's not because we're bad tenants, the owner actually likes me, and I pay my rent on time! Bottom line is, we have to move. I have applied to so many places! It's now become an emergency. We need 2 bedrooms, we were paying \$820.00, can't really do much more! UNLESS we can get a 3br and share with a family member. We have shiny references, ok credit, pass all background checks of course. We have to be out by the 31st, I'm going to ask them for more time. Anywhere, Eugene/Springfield, Florence, Newport, Corvallis, Philomath, Veneta, Noti, Walton, etc. Thanks so much for any leads. Vicky Frecknall, space #367 phone (305) 304-0739.

Pay Me to do Your HM Work Task

Hey I'm sure you noticed that work tasks are out. I am offering to do those tasks on your behalf! Please contact me at (458) 210-0718 with your details so we can get started. You get \$10 and one less work task to do, and I get \$30. Thanks. -Silver

Studio in Artist Community Available

Studio/meditation space available in DevaStation; a private warehouse in beautiful industrial West Eugene. For more information on the space, price, and details about DevaStation please contact River Postie at:

river.t.postie@gmail.com.

Local Events

October 22 - Market-Wide Sale October 22 - UO vs. UCLA

October 29 - Halloween Market

Nov. 5 - Día de Los Muertos Mercado/ Closing Day



Envelope Art by Willy Gibboney











Weather

Today is prejected to be a lot... Smoke, thunder, and rain. The high today is expected to be 56°F with a low of 40°F. A wind of 7mph is expected from the West. Humidity is expected to be at 54%, and there is a 100% chance of rain. Make sure to stay warm and stay positive!



Sales, O sales, sales I hope!

Ancient Market incantation (Nov 3,1973)

On the Market Stage

10:00 AM Lucid Penguin Americana

11:00 AM Harlan Americana

12:00 PM Richie G & MaBeat Folk

12:45 PM Eugene Hexenbrut **Traditional Dance**

1:00 PM Satori Bob Americana

2:30 PM I-chele & the Circle D light Raggae/Rock

Committee Meetings

Holiday Market Orientation Fri., October 21st - 3:00 PM - 4:30 PM

Orientation and Screenings Weds., November 1st - 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM

- New Member Orientation @ 3:30 PM
- Product Screening @ 4:15 PM

Board of Directors Meeting Weds., November 2nd - 5:15 PM - 7:15 PM

All meetings take place at the Market Office and on Zoom. Request a Zoom link by emailing info@eugenesaturdaymarket.org.

All are welcome!

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