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Saturday Market



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From the Office

Staff Update

As most of you are aware, the office has been in a period of transition this season. Tom Webb is no longer a part of Eugene Saturday Market. Unfortunately, Tom was not a good fit for our organization, so we parted ways during his probation period.

As the Holiday season rapidly approaches, we are going to postpone our next General Manager Search process until after Holiday Market in our off season.

Shannon Lee-Hutson, has been hired by the Board as Interim General Manager until the position can be opened. Shannon has resigned her position as Board Chair and has taken a Leave of Absence on selling her art for HM22. Nome May has stepped into the Board Chair position and Bekah Zeimet has been elected as Vice-Chair.

Saturday Market has posted an Assistant Manager position in the employment opportunities section on the webpage. Please spread the word, we need quality applicants in which to hire our new person! Applications due Oct. 17th, 2022.

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.

The Board is a vital part of how the Market runs, develops and grows. We need our Members to take part in these processes to keep our Market vital and strong. Please toss your name in the hat, we encourage new and more experienced Market members to join and have their voices heard.

If you have any comments, questions or concerns you can always reach out to the Board of Directors via email bod@eugenesaturdaymarket.org.

If you want to discuss current events or need clarification on any transition issues, please contact Shannon Lee-Hutson.

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

"Art washes away from the soul the dust of everyday life."
— Pablo Picasso

Sustainability Corner

Let's look at more energy conservation tips this week, shared directly from the Community Services Consortium (a non-profit serving Linn, Benton and Lincoln counties with the mission to overcome poverty by connecting people to tools and resources they need to build better futures).

Did you know nearly 50% of all household energy usage is spent on heating during the cold season? Let's look at some heating and cooling tips:

- About 30% of heat loss in a home is from doors and windows. When it's cold out, always keep windows and doors closed as much as possible. Try putting sandbags or smaller insulation items (towels, blankets, etc.) against doors and windows to help prevent leaks.

- 1 degree change on the thermostat represents about 1% of energy usage. Try keeping your house at a lower temperature during the day if you are out. When home during the day try to keep it at 68 degrees or lower, and 60 degrees at night.

- Bundle up! Before raising the thermostat, try layering up with sweaters, thermals, slippers, blankets, etc.

Did you also know that around 90% of the energy used to run the washing machine comes from just heating the water? Here are some laundry tips:

- Always wash full loads, to avoid doing any smaller loads.

- Wash clothes on warm or cold water, and always use cold water for the rinse cycle.

- Line/air dry when possible, instead of using the dryer. It can reduce about \$100 of energy costs annually and is better for the environment.

- Clean the dryer lint filter after every use. Checking the vent behind the dryer for clogs occasionally can help your dryer to work more efficiently and also help prevent a fire.

I hope these tips help you reduce your energy usage and save you money! Please send any sustainability questions or concerns to: goosehillgifts@gmail.com.

Brigitte McBride
Space #115
www.goosehillgifts.com



Envelope Art by Angelica Moreno

From Sonia

Good morning Saturday Market! I am getting further along in Holiday Market booking process.

I am now starting to book people with 3 or less points, so if you have more than 3 points and I haven't contacted you, please come and tell me as soon as possible. Five weeks till we move to the Lane Events center and I couldn't be more excited!

Sonia
sonia@eugenesaturdaymarket.org



Envelope Art by Nyx Veliz



Envelope Art by Kat Franken

Holiday Market Updates

Hello Market Members!

We are still calling for volunteers for the Elf Game for this year's Holiday Market. We are now asking for members to help color and decorate the engraved wooden ornaments we give out as the Elf Game Prize. All interested members should contact Mary Newell at mary@softdough.com. We can also send you an info sheet, just email info@eugenesaturdaymarket.org.

If you are trying to pay for Holiday Market dues, you may submit your payment at the office Tuesday-Friday 10am-4pm. Again, please DO NOT submit Holiday Market payments in your envelope. Thank you.

We are also having Holiday Market Orientations every Friday in October in the office and on Zoom from 3:00-4:30pm. Open to all current members!

The next Holiday Market Committee Meeting is Thursday, Oct. 13th
@ 2:00-4:00PM

You may attend the meeting in the office or via Zoom.



The Market Corner

Happy Birthday to all our Libra friends! Happy birthday to Cid the jeweler, who celebrated last Sunday October 2nd. Glenn the glass dancer celebrated birth last Monday, October 3rd. Yesterday, Friday the 7th, marks the special births of Teddi the fiber artist and Wendi the sewist.

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

We will be having a Market-Wide Sale on Oct. 22nd. More will be explained in next week's newsletter.

This year Downtown Eugene will close Broadway on Oct. 29th for all sorts of Halloween fun! We encourage all our members to dress-up and have fun! If that also includes giving out candy to trick-or-treaters please bring some. I would encourage members to stick to store-bought candy, and if possible to avoid candies with nuts.

We are hoping to do a special Día de Los Muertos celebration on our Nov. 5th market day as a part of Lane Arts Council's Fiesta Cultural. If you simply would like to share a Día de Los Muertos memory or help by volunteering please also send me an electronic mail or call the office.

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.

Pop-Up Canopy Needs a New Home

One Euromax 8x8 pop-up canopy for sale. Never used. Includes rollerbag and weight bags. Asking \$100.00. Those interested should contact Nancy at blumooncrafted@gmail.com.

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Studio in Artist Community Available

Have you dreamed of sharing a studio space with other cool people? A studio space that is actually warehouse with several smaller studios and workshops inside? Well you're in luck, there is a 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.

Plums Needed for Sugar Plum Magic

I am planning to make my usual yearly batch of sugarplums, but the trees I usually forge from are inaccessible this year. If anyone has extra plums available, I'd be happy to trade some of my pickles or jam for a bag or two of plums. Preferably the Italian style plums. Call Audra at (209) 585-7947 to arrange a meeting.

Local Events

October 8 - Eugene Symphony

Opening Night

October 14-16 - Clay Fest

October 14 - Día de Los Muertos Exhibit @ Maude Kerns Art Center

Saturday Market Check-In

- Reserve Members must claim their space by 4pm on the Thursday before you sell. Call us at 541-686-8885 or email info@eugenesaturdaymarket.org to claim your space. You don't need to contact us if you don't plan to sell.
- Members you must check in by 8:15am in order to be placed in the correct point order. If you check-in after 8:15am you will be placed at the end of the line.

Weather

The weather peeps have declared that today will be a day with patchy fog. The high today is expected to be 79°F with a low of 50°F. A wind of 6mph is expected from the Northwest. Humidity is expected to be at 68%, and there is a 9% chance of the rain drops. Be sure to bring some water and a jacket (just in case we get some wind).



Sales, O sales, sales I hope!

Ancient Market incantation (Nov 3, 1973)

On the Market Stage

10:00 AM **Caveman Dave**
Folk

11:00 AM **Steve Goodbar**
Americana

12:00 PM **John Shope Duo**
Americana

1:00 PM **The Cole Brothers**
Funk/Reggae

2:30 PM **The Joe Goodwin Project**
Rock

Committee Meetings

Holiday Market Committee Meeting
Weds., October 13th - 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Holiday Market Orientation
Fri., October 14th - 3:00 PM - 4:30 PM

Orientation and Screenings
Weds., October 19th - 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM
- New Member Orientation @ 3:30 PM
- Product Screening @ 4:15 PM

Standards Committee Meeting
Weds., October 19th - 5:15 PM - 7:15 PM

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

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

All are welcome!

The Saturday Market

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