## Today's Highlights: April 29th, 2023

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**SATURDAY MARKET NEWSLETTER**April 29<sup>th</sup>, 2023 • VOL. 54 - NO. 5 **30 E. Broadway #124, Eugene, OR 97401**(541) 686-8885

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## From the Office

Greetings Artisans,

It is going to be a scorcher today, so please remember to hydrate, apply sunscreen and be kind to your neighbors. If you see someone acting odd or overheating, please check in with them and/or call the Info booth for additional assistance. We all need to look out for one another, ATTRACT WHAT YOU EXPECT.

We have wonderful volunteer opportunities at the Eugene Saturday Market: Board of Directors, Committees, and other volunteer positions. There are several tasks that could use a volunteer, so if you cannot do much physical labour and/or do not have very much time still reach out and see if we have something suited for your needs. Get involved, this is your Market. REFLECT WHAT YOU DESIRE.

I have seen some improvements regarding unloading and loading in the morning and closing. There is NO PARKING on the Park Blocks, just 20-minute unloading and loading zones. Do not pack up or get your car early. We can instead, learn to flow and bend a little more, have a bit of patience and BECOME WHAT YOU RESPECT.

Only 2 weekends left to donate to the Saturday Market's Famous Mother's Day Giveaway Event! All are welcome to participate! Pay homage to your mother, motherhood, or the circle of life by donating and participating in this event, it is a lot of fun. MIRROR WHAT YOU ADMIRE.Be kind to yourself and others today.

Shannon Lee-Hutson General Manager

"Attract what you Expect, Reflect what you Desire, Become what you Respect, Mirror what you Admire." -Annonymous

## Tuesday & Holiday Market Things

With May so close to us, we would like to remind you about the selling opportunities at Tuesday Market. Tuesday Market is run by the Lane County Farmers Market and runs from May 2nd until October 31st. It is a different selling experience from Saturdays at Saturday Market, but they are a great way to meet new customers and advertise your business. If you are interested in selling at Tuesday Market this season, please get in touch with Sonia in-person, over the phone, or by email;

sonia@eugenesaturdaymarket.org

Also, if you are someone who has scent allergies or sensitivities please let Sonia know as soon as possible. This helps us greatly when booking Holiday Market spaces, especially since the Lane Events Center has poorer air flow than the Park Blocks.

## The Kareng Fund

The Kareng Fund is an emergency relief fund set up to help low-income, self-employed artisans in Oregon who experience a career-threatening crisis. You can make a donation any time in your envelope at the end of the day. Please "round up" your fees or donate in the line provided. You can also donate directly on the website:

## http://www.karengfund.org/

The website is the best place to file an application for a grant. If you are not in a crisis, try the microloan program at Community Lending Works, which partners with the Kareng Fund to help with building up supplies or paying fees. Here is a link:

## https://communitylendingworks.org/

Thank you all for your generosity and continuing compassion for your neighbors and friends in the artisan community.

## Mothers Day Giveaway This year we are so excited for our

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This year we are so excited for our Mother's Day Giveaway" on Saturday May 13th, 2023. (That's only two weekends away!)

We are still in need of donations for the Mother's Day Giveaway. You can drop off your donations with your business card at the Info Booth or at the office (Tuesday-Friday, 10am-4pm). We will stop collecting donations at 11am on Saturday, May 13th. Your donations do not need to be physical products, and you are more than welcome to donate a gift certificate to your business.

Your art will be given away on the Market Stage at 11am, 12pm, 1pm, 2pm, and 3:30pm on May 13th, our Mother's Day Market. Winners must be present to win! Prizes will be given out until they are gone. Honor the amazing motherly figures in your life by participating in this fun event!

# Your Market Needs You: Please Consider Running for the Board of Directors

It's time to consider running for the Market's Board of Directors! Election day is Saturday, June 10th. Three eighteen month positions will be open. Deadline for candidate statements (with a picture of yourself) is Wednesday, May 24th, please send them to:

info@eugenesaturdaymarket.org or hand them in to the Info Booth on Saturdays. You must attend at least one Board meeting in the 12 months before the election. The next Board Meeting is May 3<sup>rd</sup> at 5:15-7:15 p.m. at the Market Office. You may attend any meeting in-person or via Zoom. Please consider running for the Board of Directors, as it is a special and unique way to get to know our organization. It is also a great way to meet and get to know other local artists. Any currently enrolled member can run for the Board of Directors.

## Cowtoons by: Willy Gibboney

## Thank You from the Oregon Country Fair

The Fair is deeply grateful for the generosity shown by Saturday Market members. We have received over 200 amazing prizes that will be raffled at our Spring Fling. All are invited to attend. It's on Saturday, May 6th at the WOW Hall starting at 6pm. Free to attend. The raffle tickets are \$10 each. You don't have to be present to win, but you do have to come pick up your basket. You can get tickets online at <a href="https://www.oregoncountryfair.org/buy-spring-fling-raffle-tickets/">https://www.oregoncountryfair.org/buy-spring-fling-raffle-tickets/</a> or at the event.

Lots of love, Vanessa and OCF Staff.





## The Market Corner

Wishing a Happy Birthday to all our Taurus friends! Happy Birthday to Richard, the Fired Up Ceramicist and Becca the Firebird Silversmith, who celebrated last Monday Denise of Pulp Romances partied it up birthday style last Wednesday. Last Thursday, Mike, one of our dear Site-Crew Members, celebrated birth. Also, yesterday Kaleb the Chao5 Artist celebrated birth.

A very happy hirthday to you all. We hope this is your

If we forget your birthday, let us know! We'll be sure to include it in the following newsletter.

## Food Specials!

TIA MARIA PIZZERIA - Our April special is Sausage and Four Cheese Pizza, with Italian sausage paired with asiago, mozzarella, parmesan and romano cheese.

Any food booth or pre-packaged food member can advertise monthly or weekly specials by emailing renee@eugenesaturdaymarket.org

Thank You Mallory!
We would like to thank Mallory Dahl, our Assistant Manager, for all that you have done for us. While we are sad to see you go, we are excited for your new opportunity to help our local schools. Congratulations on your new position, and please don't be a stranger on Saturdays.

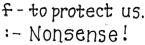
Mallory will be with us for the next four Saturdays, and we hope that everyone gets a chance to wish her luck in her new position.

We will be looking for a new Assistant Manager, and all interested parties are encouraged to view the full job description at: www.eugenesaturdaymarket.org/employment-opportunities/



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## **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 <a href="mailto:info@eugenesaturdaymarket.org">info@eugenesaturdaymarket.org</a> with "NEWSLETTER" in the subject.

### In Need of a Car

Hello, I am in need of a car, so if you have an leads on good cars for sale, rideshares, or you'd just like to say hi please call me at (541) 782-2427. Thanks! -Ambriel.

**Empty Bowls Sale New Location** 

' The Empty Bowls Sale is Friday, May 5, 4:30 to 7:30 pm, at The Market Alley at 5th Street Public Market, 550 Pearl Street, Eugene. You'll find an assortment of clay, glass, metal, wood and fiber bowls all donated by local artists. Prices begin at \$10 per bowl, and proceeds benefit FFLC's hunger relief efforts in Lane County. We are now accepting donations of bowls. Please wrap your bowls, put them in a box with a lid and take them to FFLC, 770 Bailey Hill Road, Eugene, Monday through Friday from 9am to 4pm. The submission deadline is May 1. Questions? Please contact FFLC Events Coordinator Dawn Marie Woodward at (541) 343-2822 or

dmwoodward@foodforlanecounty.org.

## Sage Liskey Seeking OCF Booth Share

Sage Liskey of Rad Cat Press is seeking to share a booth at OCF. As little as 3 ft. of table space is needed for empowering books and posters. Interested parties should text (541) 224-6679. Thanks!

Seeking to Find a New OCF Booth Space We are looking for a change, and hope to share a vibrant booth space at OCF. Our business is thriving, and has a loyal following. We are fun, creative, have great communication skills and are hard working. Wanna create some fair magic together? Elisa and Rob (503) 819-5615 or saucyjewelry1@gmail.com.

Joann McKown

Weather

Today is expected to be partly sunny in the morning, with full sunny-ness in the afternoon. Temperature wise, a high of 79°F and a low of 49°F is expected. There is 58% humidity, and only an 8% chance of rain. Winds of 5mph are expected from the West.



Sales, O sales, sales I hope!

Ancient Market incantation (Nov 3, 1973)

## On the Market Stage

10:00 AM David Rogers Singer/Songwriter 11:00 AM Kelly O'Neill Singer/Songwriter

12:00 PM Gordon Kaswell 1:00 PM Nyla Mora

Neo Soul 2:30 PM Rock N' Rewind Rock

## Committee Meetings

Orientation and Screenings Weds., May 3<sup>rd</sup> - 3:15 PM - 5:00 PM

- New Member Orientation @ 3:15 PM
- Product Screening @ 4:10 PM

**Board of Directors Meeting** Weds., May 3rd - 5:15 PM - 7:15 PM

Food Court Committee Meeting Weds., May 10th - 5:15 PM - 7:15 PM

Orientation and Screenings Weds., May 17th - 3:15 PM - 5:00 PM

- New Member Orientation @ 3:15 PM
- Product Screening @ 4:10 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 **BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS**

Chairperson - Nome May Vice Chairperson - Bekah Zeimetz Secretary - Diane McWhorter Treasurer - Cortney Fellet Sarah Bast, Vincent LaRochelle. Damian McDonald, Brigitte McBride, Candice Westberg, Maia Bowers, Heather Robbins-Hinton

## **Committee Chairs**

Standards Committee Co-Chairs: Candice Westberg, Willy Gibboney Food Committee Co-Chairs: Barbara Graham-Adams, Haven Sundstrom Holiday Market Committee Co-Chairs: Mary Newell, Gayle Wyant Sustainability Committee Chair: Denise Gosar

## Staff

General Manager - Shannon Lee-Hutson Assistant Manager - Mallory Dahl Membership - Sonia Ostendorf Marketing - Renee Thompson Office Assistant - Silver Lee-Hutson Site Ops Supervisor- Dave Welch Booking Manager - Rudolf Korv Sound Manager - Dave Swanston E-mail - info@eugenesaturdaymarket.org Office/Info Booth Phone - 541-686-8885 Office Hours: Tuesday-Friday, 10am-4pm





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