Today's Highlights: May 27th, 2023

- **★Welcome our New Assistant Manager!**
- ★ From the Office, From Sonia, Please Vote!
- **★** Weather, Birthdays, UnClassifieds and more on the back page!



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From the Office

I feel it in my bones we are going to have good fortune today! We have added several temporary bike racks along South Park for all you avid cyclists!

Please note that we will be removing the green fences around the grassy areas. YAY! Use the grassy areas responsibly, no slip-n-slides, no random digging: protect our glorious grass!

The Fountain discussion continues. The current feedback Is overwhelmingly "Keep the Fountain On". The argument is that the fountain is a great attraction for our community, customers, and tourists. Yet for some Vendors it is quite noisy and makes it hard for them to communicate with the customers. I have a running list of comments and opinions, and I would like to hear from more of you, ALL of you, as we all should take pride in the presentation and environment of our wonderful market.

Remember, be kind to your neighbor... we all need a smile and encouragement some days... just think your sweet smile could be the catalyst to affect change in another's day.

In other news, I have been given an all-powerful cow stamp, designed by Willy Gibboney. This stamp will allow me to mark envelopes for those that should give the office the call. So if you see my cow stamp on your envelope, give the office a call or pay us a visit sometime in the next week.

> Shannon Lee-Hutson General Manager





Cowtoons by: Willy Gibboney

Welcome our New Assistant Manager!

Hello, my name is Erin and I was born and raised in Eugene, and I've been working in alternative healthcare office management: naturopathic medicine, acupuncture, massage, and chiropractic. I had a booth at the Saturday Market in the 1990's as a natural fiber artist, making hats, bags, clothing and doing embroidery. I loved doing trades with the other members and I have such fond memories of the Saturday Market community. I'm passionate about holistic healthcare and herbal medicine and I'm a "foodie" who enjoys preparing wild gathered food and food from our local farms. I love supporting restaurants with local purveyors. I have so much to offer from my years of management experience and life experience from being a mother of 3 amazing people. I'm so excited to be involved with the Saturday Market again!!!

Happy Retirement Jodi!

We want to wish a happy retirement to Jodi DeAtley of A Visual Voyage Art By Jodi. Today will be the last time Jodi's work will be available at Saturday Market. Jodi is excited to move on to her next phase, and can't wait to see everyone as a community member with her grandkids.

Those interested in buying some of her work can find it in booth #350. Jodi will also be offering several \$5 and \$10 items. Thanks Jodi for being a part of our market family!



Envelope Art by: Kai Botak



Envelope Art by: Fairiberri

Please Vote for the Board of Directors!

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It is now time to vote for your Board of Directors. There are three 18-month positions this election. We will have ballots and candidate statements available at the Info Booth and the office. Remember that there is only one vote per membership, and that ballots will need to be returned by Saturday, June 10th. Candidate statements will also be available online, so feel free to view them there if you'd like to save some trees. Any currently enrolled member may vote for the Board of Directors.

Memorial Day - Office ClosedThe Saturday Market office will be closed

The Saturday Market office will be closed Tuesday, May 30th to observe Memorial Day. We will be back in the office on Wednesday, May 31st from 10am-4pm.

From Sonia

Hey everyone, if you would like to give up your Reserve Space and pick a new one, please email me at:

sonia@eugenesaturdaymarket.org.

The deadline to let me know if you would like a new space is June 6th. Depending on the amount of members who apply, reallocation will begin around June 8th.

Holiday Market points for 2023 have already been calculated. So if you are a current member and you have questions regarding your points, please speak up sooner rather than later. This allows us time to resolve any issues. Likewise, any Booth Holder of Record questions can be answered now, so that when you are filling out your Holiday Market things can go smoothly.

We Need Volunteers for our HM Guidebook!

Hello our many talented artisans! It's no secret that our organization would not be what it is today if it were not for the work of our many volunteers. Today we will be talking about a unique volunteering opportunity: helping us prepare and distribute a guidebook for Holiday Market 2023! If you have not seen one of our Guidebooks, they are a small booklet where members can advertise their business and Holiday Market space.

Who can volunteer? Anyone! We will have several positions and tasks for this project like: distributing ad forms, collecting ad forms, reminding membership of deadlines, taking pictures, helping create ads and creative assets for the Guidebook. Those interested in this project or interested in learning more about volunteering can email Heather Robbins-Hinton at:

earnestefforts@msn.com or Renee Thompson at: renee@eugenesaturdaymarket.org



The Market Corner

Wishing a Happy Birthday to all our Taurus/Gemini friends! Happy birthday to Spaz from Site-Crew and Tree the jeweler, who celebrated last Sunday. Last Thursday, Kathleen of Sage Bear Henna partied it up!

A very happy birthday to you all! We hope this is your best year yet!

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

Saturday Market Social Life!

Follow along The Saturday Market on the website and through social media. Share your content to get included and reach a new audience!

Facebook: <u>facebook.com/EugeneSaturday-Market</u>

Twitter / Instagram: @SaturdayMarket

We're also on Pinterest, Yelp, TripAdvisor, Google Business, YouTube, Flickr, & more.

Food Specials!

TIA MARIA PIZZERIA - Find our Hawaiian Style Pizza special in space F13.

NICE RICE - The Breakfast Omelette is back! Happy Hour is 10-11AM, and will include an omlette and a cup of coffee for \$10 in space F09.

KITCHARI4ALL - Special vendor discounts! \$1 off bags of kitchari, \$2 off bottles of spices and \$2 off bottles of vinegar. Get more details, and come buy some in space #343.

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

Info Booth Services MAKING CHANGE: The market will make

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Lost & Found: Please turn in found items to the South Park Info Booth and tell customers to go to the South Park Info Booth for lost & found items. They can also call the office at 541-686-8885. Saturday Market is not responsible for lost or stolen items.

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.

Pro Panel Desk For Sale

Tall Pro Panel ProDesk, two shelf version, forest green. \$75. Only used one year indoors at Holiday Market and stored in its box ever since. Sets up with no tools needed and folds flat for storage. Pickup in Lincoln City, OR. Pictures available.

Email: Melody@freshwaterfibers.com

Looking to Share a Booth at OCF

Hello market fam- I am a ceramic artist looking to share a booth at OCF. I make pottery and sculptures, have a team of responsible and fun helpers, and we love to bring music and good vibes to fair! Please reach out if you've got space for some beautiful artwork

-Nicole Hummel (818)917-2707 Nicole.hummel@gmail.com

Commercial Folding Table For Sale

One Lifetime Commercial Fold-in-Half Table, 6' x 2.5' x 2". Mint condition. \$50. Cash or mobile app payment. Call 541-525-0239.

Folding Tables For Sale!

Two white folding tables, 2 ft. by 4 ft., available for sale. \$45.00 for both. All interested parties should call Sharon at (541) 510-8442

Raspberry Starts for Sale!

Julia Garretson will have one gallon raspberry starts for sale today at her booth. One gallon raspberry start \$10 each.

You're Invited to Ambriel's B-Day!

Hello, Ambriel will be having a Birthday Party on May 30th at Green Waters Park in Oakridge. It will be a potluck/BBQ from 12pm-6pm. Those interested in attending should call Ambriel at: (541) 782-2427

Weather

Today is expected to be mostly cloudy with a high of 73°F and a low of 47°F. A wind of 8 mph is expected from the north northwest. Additionally, there is an expected 39% humidity and only a 1% chance of rain. Also, don't the weather deceive you, even though it's nice and pretty, you still need to be drinking water and using sun protection.



Sales, O sales, sales I hope!

Ancient Market incantation (Nov 3, 1973)

On the Market Stage

10:00 AM Katie Songtag

Indie Folk

11:00 AM Edward Mainwaring

Roots/Blues

12:00 PM Which Dave Humorous Ukulele Folk

1:00 PM Red Pajamas

Americana/Originals 2:30 PM **Deer & Antelope Band** Jazz, Latin, Classic Rock, Eclectic

Committee Meetings

Holiday Market Guidebook Meeting Fri, June 2nd - 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Orientation and Screenings Weds., June 7th - 3:15 PM - 5:00 PM

- New Member Orientation @ 3:15 PM
- Product Screening @ 4:00 PM

Board of Directors Meeting Weds., June 7th - 5:15 PM - 7:15 PM

Food Court Committee Meeting Weds., June 14th - 5:15 PM - 7:15 PM

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

All are welcome!











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