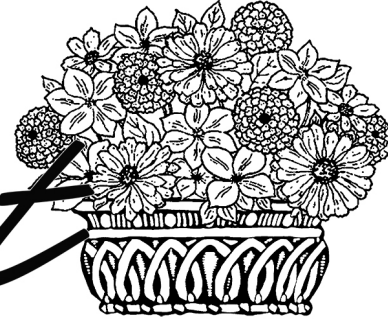


# Today's Highlights: June 10<sup>th</sup>, 2023

- ★ Ballots Must Be Turned into Info Booth by 4:30PM TODAY!
- ★ From the Office, From Sonia, Booth Weights Available
- ★ Weather, Birthdays, UnClassifieds and more on the back page!

**SATURDAY MARKET NEWSLETTER**  
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# Saturday Market

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## From the Office

Greetings Artisans!  
I have some news to share about one of our cherished long-time members, Marlene Townsend, Voyager Jewelry Space #300. Marlene suffered a stroke at the end of May. She is out of the hospital and is now recovering at Green Valley Rehabilitation Health Center. Please send her cards and flowers to the Center, you may contact the office for the address or telephone number. She is welcoming visitors, but please call ahead and respect visiting times.

We want to wish our Employee of the Year 2022 recipient Mike Clark a Happy Retirement! This is Mike's last Saturday Market, and we will surely miss him! If you see Mike today in the hustle and bustle, please let him know how much he has meant to this Market over the years. Our Site Crew is the "Magic" creating the Saturday Market every week. They are our unsung heroes up before dawn pushing carts and equipment down Oak Street; they prepare and erect our space before we arrive; they tidy up our messes and can be found power washing the Park Blocks in the snow. (I have pictures, Mike) We will ALL miss you Mike, and thank you. Happy Retirement!

- Two announcements:
1. We have a trash situation on the Park Blocks. Our trashy impact has become a political hotbed; I believe the trash problem is City wide, but I do concede our impact footprint has grown. Consequently, we have lost our dumpster "home." We are looking to relocate and secure our garbage. So please help us by taking your refuse with you while we sort this dirty situation out. In short: if you pack it in, please pack it out.
  2. We still have issues regarding Unloading and Loading in the morning and afternoon. Please remember that, at most, you have 20 minutes to load/unload your vehicle. With all the construction, we all must be precise, considerate, and work like a well-oiled machine.

Please have a wicked fun day!

Shannon Lee-Hutson  
General Manager

*"Be kind whenever possible. It is always*



Envelope Art by: Katie Swenson

## Please Vote for the Board of Directors!

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 to the Info Booth by 4:30PM TODAY!** 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.

## 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. You may have noticed something special about your envelope today, thanks to Heather, Bill, and Linda for helping spread the word about the Guidebook.

If you have not seen one of our Guidebooks, they are a small booklet where members can advertise their business and Holiday Market space. Information about ad/profile space sizes and prices are now available.

Who can volunteer? Anyone! We will have several positions and tasks for this project like: 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](mailto:earnestefforts@msn.com)  
or Renee Thompson at:  
[renee@eugen Saturdaymarket.org](mailto:renee@eugen Saturdaymarket.org)

## Beware Counterfeit Money

When dealing with bills \$20 and over, it is always good to double check that the President you're looking at is the real deal. Many bills will have a security strip, easily detectable with a UV flashlight.

You can also purchase reactive pens from any office supply store. These pens work well for quick checking, and will release color changing ink. Depending on the ink color you can tell fairly quickly what is real and what is not. If you do not have access to these methods, you can always walk with or direct your customer to the Info Booth and we can check their currency there. If you would like more tips on how to catch counterfeit bills, we also have a handout from the Eugene Police Department available at the Info Booth.

## Booth Weights Available

Booth weights are required for pop-up booths and umbrellas. A flying booth can cause a lot of harm.

We have canvas weight bags with clips available at the Info Booth or during the week in the office for \$10 each or four for \$35. They are not filled. You will have to do that yourself, but it's easy and inexpensive. You can purchase weighty material of your choice at Lane Forest Products, Home Depot, or Lowe's.

## From Sonia

Hello Friends!  
As you may know, Oregon Country Fair is about a month away. We have been lucky enough to get a non-profit space in xavanadu space x09 across from white bird and KOCF for the last 3 years and we will be back there again this year. We have been brainstorming some fun activities to get people involved and direct people without day passes for Saturday to the Market. We are considering making some kind of scavenger hunt for our members that would end in a gift card to Saturday Market or possibly other prizes. If you are interested in being apart of this scavenger hunt or learning more about what we plan on doing at OCF reach out to: [info@eugen Saturdaymarket.org](mailto:info@eugen Saturdaymarket.org).

Holiday Market Orientations will be available for new members and longtime members who need a refresher about how everything works once we go inside. Dates for these Holiday market specific orientations will be August 9th and 23rd, September 13th and 27th, then October 11th and 25th. All of them are Wednesdays from 3pm-4:30pm. With so much extra room we are going to reach out to other local markets for people interested in joining us for the holiday season. So if you know anyone looking for a way to sell their wares for the Holidays, tell them to call us and get signed up for a holiday market orientation now.

-Sonia Ostendorf

## 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:** [facebook.com/EugeneSaturdayMarket](https://www.facebook.com/EugeneSaturdayMarket)  
**Twitter / Instagram:** @SaturdayMarket

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



## The Market Corner

Wishing a Happy Birthday to all our Gemini friends! Happy birthday to artisan Betty Wolfe, who celebrated last Monday. Cheri the candle maker and Ann the Jaguar glass artist celebrated their birthday last Tuesday. Today we celebrate Barbara of B-Headed and Cassie of Cassafress Art.

*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.

## Food Specials!

TIA MARIA PIZZERIA - Breakfast Pizza is back! Enjoy scrambled eggs, rosemary roasted potatoes, and Tillamook cheddar cheese! Also this weekend is the last weekend for Hawaiian Pizza.

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

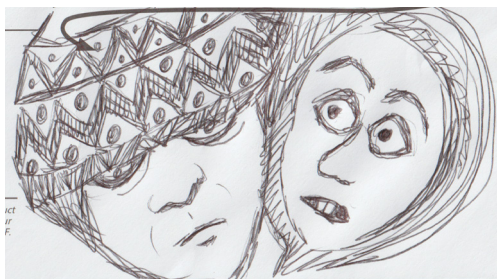
KITCHARI4ALL - Special vendor discounts! \$1 off bags of kitchari, \$2 off bottles of spices and \$2 off bottles of vinegar. Get more details, and come buy some in space #343.

*Any food booth or pre-packaged food member can advertise monthly or weekly specials by emailing [renee@eugen Saturdaymarket.org](mailto:renee@eugen Saturdaymarket.org)*

## Info Booth Services

**MAKING CHANGE:** The market will make change for our members, up to \$60, each Saturday.

**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@eugen Saturdaymarket.org](mailto:info@eugen Saturdaymarket.org) with "NEWSLETTER" in the subject. — —

### Please Help Me Get to and from Market

I am in dire need of assistance transporting my booth, as well as with set-up and take down this season. All interested parties should call (541) 221-0093 or email [karyserenety@gmail.com](mailto:karyserenety@gmail.com). Thank you!  
- Gayle, Kary Serenety Arts & Tarot

### 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](mailto: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](mailto: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

Envelope Art by: Caroline Dunn

## Weather

Today is expected to be sunny with a high of 77°F and a low of 51°F. A 7mph wind from the north northwest, but may evolve into a 13-16 mph wind so bring you weights! There is a 55% humidity and only a 7% chance of rain. I'll say it again, because let's be honest, everyone needs to be drinking more water!



*Sales, O sales, sales I hope!*

*Ancient Market incantation (Nov 3, 1973)*

## On the Market Stage

10:00 AM **Marcus Brown**

Singer/Songwriter

11:00 AM **Lane County**

Elementary Schools Music

1:00 PM **Greydogz**

Reggae, Ska, Blues, Funk

2:30 PM **Riffle**

Blues, R&B, Rock and More

## Committee Meetings

Food Court Committee Meeting

Weds., June 14<sup>th</sup> - 5:15 PM - 7:15 PM

Orientation and Screenings

Weds., June 21<sup>st</sup> - 3:15 PM - 5:00 PM

- New Member Orientation @ 3:15 PM

- Product Screening @ 4:00 PM

Standards Committee Meeting

Weds., June 21<sup>st</sup> - 5:15 PM - 7:15 PM

Holiday Market Committee Meeting

Weds., June 28<sup>th</sup> - 5:15 PM - 7:15 PM

All meetings take place at the Market Office

and on Zoom. Request a Zoom link by

emailing [info@eugen Saturdaymarket.org](mailto:info@eugen Saturdaymarket.org).

**All are welcome!**

### The Saturday Market

#### BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS

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Heather Robbins-Hinton

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Brigitte McBride

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Sound Manager - Dave Swanson

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