

Today's Highlights: June 3rd, 2023

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SATURDAY MARKET NEWSLETTER
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Saturday Market

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From the Office

Hey everyone! We are so excited for this summer. For those that haven't heard, we have added several temporary bike racks along South Park for all our avid cyclists!

We have been discussing this for some time, but the construction on our Park Blocks has begun. Work has started on the project on the Farmers' side, and there will be only one lane of traffic on both 8th and Oak today. That should be the only impact on us at this time. So please be quick and speedy while loading and unloading.

You may have noticed my cow stamp, designed by Willy Gibboney, on your envelope. 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



Shannon's Cow Stamp,
Designed by Willy Gibboney



Envelope Art by: Emily Bellehumeur



Envelope Art by: Kyle Wickham



Envelope Art by: Samson L'Orange

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 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.

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.

Check-In Explained

We seem to have some confusion around the check in process, so hopefully this will clear it up some more.

Reserve Member Check-in Do's, and Don'ts:

- **DO:** Check in by E-mail or phone by 4pm on the Thursday before the Saturday you plan on selling
- **DON'T:** Tell a staff member on the Park Blocks that you will be attending next week. This is NOT checking in.
- **DO:** Check out anytime before 8am on Saturday by PHONE, (541) 686-8885.
- **DON'T:** Check out by E-mail on Saturday morning. We will not get it in time and you will be charged a booth fee for that day.
- **DO:** Let us know (by phone or E-mail) when you will be taking a vacation. We will make sure your vacation month is noted in your account.
- **DON'T:** Write your vacation dates, days off, or check-in by writing it on your envelope. Those days can easily be misinterpreted.

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@eugenesaturdaymarket.org .
-Sonia Ostendorf

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

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.



The Market Corner

Wishing a Happy Birthday to all our Gemini friends! Happy birthday to Christina of the Little Yellow Leaf Shop, who celebrated last Monday. Last Tuesday, Ambirel Leilani and Dru the silver magician celebrated birth. Bob the ceramicist celebrated his birthday last Wednesday. Yesterday, Abdul of Afghani Cuisine and Melvin of Wofford Wood Designs celebrated their birthdays!

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: [facebook.com/EugeneSaturdayMarket](https://www.facebook.com/EugeneSaturdayMarket)

Twitter / Instagram: @SaturdayMarket

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

Food Specials!

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@eugenesaturdaymarket.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@eugenesaturdaymarket.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 karyserenity@gmail.com. Thank you!
- Gayle, Kary Serenity 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

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!

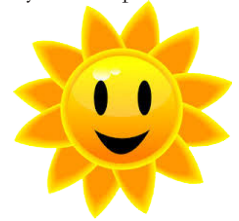
Two white folding tables, 2 ft. by 4 ft., available for sale. \$45.00 for both. All interested parties should call Sharon at (541) 510-8442

Raspberry Starts for Sale!

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

Weather

Today is expected to be clear and sunny with a high of 79°F and a low of 47°F. A calm wind of 8 mph is expected from the north northwest. There is also an expected 48% humidity, and only a 6% chance of the drip drops. I know I've said it before, and I'll say it again: DRINK YOUR WATER! And don't forget your sun protection too.



Sales, O sales, sales I hope!

Ancient Market incantation (Nov 3, 1973)

On the Market Stage

10:00 AM **Paul Prince**

Hawaiian, Early Jazz and

Zimbabwean/Mali Instrumental

11:00 AM **Rudolf Korv**

Americana

12:00 PM **Eugene Peace Choir**
Choir

1:00 PM **Fret Logic**

Blues/Rock/Pop

2:30 PM **Gerry Rempel**
Jazz Syndicate

Jazz

Committee Meetings

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 info@eugenesaturdaymarket.org.

All are welcome!



The Saturday Market

BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS

Chairperson - Nome May
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Candice Westberg, Maia Bowers,
Heather Robbins-Hinton

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Brigitte McBride

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