

Today's Highlights:

- * Confessions of an 84-Year-Old Author
- * Non-Reserve Booking
- * Wedding Next Week
- * Birthdays, Weather, Unclassified Ads and More on the Back Page!

Greetings Artisans!

A Love letter to Eugene Saturday Market and it's wonderful people.

So, I read a book the other day, "The Saturday Market Challenge: Confessions of an 84-year-old Author" by our own Author in residence, Joe R. Blakely (20 consecutive year member).

This book had me giggling, outright belly laughing and in a few moments, drying my tear-streaked cheeks. I must confess; I might be a bit smitten by our now 85-year-old author, Joe. His ability to capture the colors, sounds and flavors of our Saturday Market Community and regular cast of characters is delightfully accurate.

If you love the Eugene Saturday Market, love our community, you will love this snapshot of an incredible year of challenges and the indomitable spirit of our 54-year strong Market. Go see Joe, today (Space #106) and get your copy (\$15.00). Tick Tock...

The clock keeps ticking...

- Shannon Lee-Hutson

Did You Know...



September 17th – Harvest Moon

October 17th – Hunter's Moon

November 15th – Beaver Moon

December 15th – Cold Moon

- Scientists estimate the Moon's age at 4.53 billion years.
- On average, around 5 tons of comet dust hit the Moon every single day.
- Some places on the Moon can get colder than Pluto.
- In 1967, the USA, Russia, China and India all signed the Outer Space Treaty, which declared the Moon as the property of the human race as a whole.

September 7, 2024

- National Tailgating Day
- Buy A Book Day
- National Feel the Love Day
- International Bacon Day
- National Beer Lover's Day
- World Beard Day
- National Hummingbird Day

Holiday Market Non-Reserve Booking

Good morning Saturday Market!

Holiday Market non-reserve booking is in full swing. I will be finishing up on the mid 20's on Friday and should be reaching those of you with 15-25 points the week of September 10th-13th.

Get your maps ready!

Mass e-mails are not always reliable, so I will try to let everyone know if I fall behind or get far ahead.

- Sonia Ostendorf

Holiday Market 2025 Map Update

I met with the Fire Marshal, Travis Worthington, this week to discuss our Holiday Market Map 2025. He had a few concerns and suggestions regarding the 3 map proposals.

As predicted, none of the map proposals were 100% stand alone and ready for approval. Instead, we will be blending them all together within the Fire Marshal's requirements.

We acknowledge that despite our very best efforts, there will be some areas we will have to tweak and address for a few years until it is darn near perfect.

We have a new "blended" version of the Map available at the Info Booth. There are still many issues to address and solutions to be found, but we are confident that we will prevail with all your input and support.

As so often in life, change is upon us... we can choose to embrace it and create a new path filled with opportunity.

- Shannon Lee-Hutson

"Incredible change happens in your life when you decide to take control of what you have power over instead of craving control over what you don't."

- Unknown Author

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If an envelope is damaged, please go to the Info Booth for a replacement. Don't forget to write your name, date, booth number and dollar amount. Contact us with any questions or concerns.

- Silver Lee-Hutson

Local Events



September 7th – UO Duck Football vs. Boise State Broncos, Autzen Stadium, 7:00 pm

September 8th – Coburg Antique & Vintage Fair, Downtown Coburg, 8:00 am – 4:00 pm

September 8th – United Flying Octogenarians (UFO) Around the World Flight, Hobby Field Creswell Airport (free) 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

September 10th – Gary & Eva: Bossa, Jazz & More, Kesey Square, (free) 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm

September 11th – Jammin' with the Pros, The Jazz Station, 8:00 pm – 9:30 pm

September 13th – Sprout Outdoor Film Festival, Arc Park (free), 6:30 pm – 9:30 pm

Committee Meetings

Sustainability Committee Meeting
Wed, Sept 11th 4:15 pm – 5:15 pm

Standards Committee Meeting
Wed, Sept 18th 5:15 pm – 7:15 pm

Food Court Meeting
Wed, Sept 25th 5:15 pm – 7:15 pm

Holiday Market Meeting
Fri, Sept 27th 11:00 am – 1:00 pm

Board of Directors Meeting
Wed, Oct 2nd 5:15 pm – 7:15 pm

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



Happy Birthday to all Virgos who are celebrating their special day this week! We would like to wish a very Happy Birthday to Veronique Loggins, Nancy Almand, Elias Gellan-Maxon, Willy Gibboney, Michael Baldree, Cristal Waterhouse, Logan Flores, Crow Sykora, Gloria Yep, Joann McKown, Akinyi Ogembo, Peggy Rodrigues, Linda Williams, Bruce Kramer, Erika Stewart-Gallegos and Jonathan Ramey.

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

Saturday Market Social Life!

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

Twitter / Instagram:

@SaturdayMarket

We are also on Pinterest, Yelp, TripAdvisor, Google Business, YouTube, Flickr and more.

Envelope & Comic Art:

Luna Sansone



THE FAIRY OF RETRYING

Dan Young



Unclassified

To place your free unclassified ad, please bring it to the Info Booth by the end of the day or to the office by Thursday at Noon.

You can also email it to us at: info@eugenesaturdaymarket.org with "Newsletter" in the subject line.

You're Invited to the Wedding!



Tie-Dye artists and jewelers, Jenni Calef and Steven Tucker will be renewing their wedding vows on the Saturday Market stage on September 14, 2024.

On September 15, 2007, Jenni and Steven were married, the first time, on the Market stage. Because they had already been a couple for 17 years, at that point, their wedding vows to each other were: **"I promise to keep doing what I've been doing for the past 17 years."**

Since those first 17 years culminated in their marriage and those vows, they decided that they should renew those same vows every 17 years! To keep them up-to-date... It has been 17 years. Hope to see you there.

And mark the date in 2041 for the next time!!!

Board of Directors Secretary & Minutes Taker Needed ASAP!

The Board of Directors is looking for someone who will be able to take notes at every board meeting. These meetings occur once a month and last a couple of hours. The Minute Taker is a paid position.

If you are interested in this position or have any questions, please contact the Saturday Market Office.

3-Day Forecast

"Let us be grateful to the people who make us happy; they are the charming gardeners who make our souls blossom."

- Marcel Proust



Saturday – Partly Sunny Day
Conditions will be between 84° to 88° throughout the day!

Sunday – Partly Sunny 85°

Monday – Partly Sunny 86°

On the Market Stage

10:00 am – Jeni Foster

11:00 am – Gregarious

12:00 pm – The Vinyard Collective

1:00 pm – Kudana Marimba

2:30 pm – Rock N' Rewind



The Saturday Market

Board of Directors and Officers

- Chairperson – Nome May
- Vice Chairperson – Bekah Zeimetz
- Treasurer – Heather Robbins-Hinton
- Candice Westberg, Maia Bowers, Julia Garretson, Jennifer Hoberg, Gary Spetzler, Dani Marks-Fife-Ito, Doug Robertson

Committee Chairs

- Standards Committee Co-Chairs: Candice Westberg | Anna Lawrence
- Food Court Co-Chairs: Casey Marks-Fife Ito | Richard Harnsongkram
- Holiday Market Committee Co-Chairs: Dara Robertson | Doug Robertson
- Sustainability Committee Co-Chair: Brigitte McBride | Julia Garretson
- Volunteer Coordinators: Kevin Levy | Willy Gibboney

Staff

- General Manager – Shannon Lee-Hutson
- Assistant Manager – Veronica Gutierrez
- Membership Coordinator – Sonia Ostendorf
- Marketing Manager – Renee Thompson
- Marketing Assistant – Rachael Bolton
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David Prince

