

Saturday Market



* Marketplace * Community * Celebration

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- * Membership Updates
- * Halloween Downtown Trick or Treat
- * Cat & Dog Adoption
- * Birthdays, Weather, Unclassified Ads and More on the Back Page!

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- International Sloth Day
- LGBT Center Awareness Day
- National Fetch Day
- Bridge Day
- National New Friends Day
- Ethnicity Day

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Market-Wide Sale!

Greetings Artisans!

A market-wide sale is happening today! We have signs at the Info Booth if you would like to hang them on your booth for customers to know that you are participating in the sale! Clear out your old stock before the Holiday Market!

Next weekend, October 26th, we will be celebrating Downtown Halloween! The City of Eugene has included us in the Halloween Downtown Celebration and Events. We are a Trick or Treat Station, so please pick up your Candy Corn sign at the Info Booth if you brought candy for the kiddos (individually wrapped, non-handmade). We are also a featured spooky attraction on the "Monstrous Map of the Macabre" city scavenger hunt. (Find our Spooky Spider Tunnel) Please come in costume and have fun!

Our Volunteer of the Month for October is our Treasurer, Heather Robbins-Hinton! Heather, we thank you for all your hard work and dedication to spreading fiscal knowledge and understanding throughout the membership. You are a positive treasure and an asset to the team! Thank you!

After today, only two more Saturdays to go! - Shannon Lee-Hutson

Member Portal

Please be aware that the Member Portal is currently down. We are working on getting it fixed, however, there is no exact date of completion.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding your member payment's, holiday payments and receipts, please contact the office. Thank you. - Veronica E. Gutierrez



David Prince

Membership Updates

As we get closer to Holiday Market, I am reassessing who meets the requirements for Booth Holder of Record in 2025. If you have been a Booth Holder for the past 2+ years, please fill out the bright green half sheet that we have at Info Booth, then return it to the office before the end of Holiday Market this year.

During this season's Holiday Market, look over the Booth Holder requirements under "Helpful Member Links" on the website. It will be on the "How Market Points Work" page.

Since the map is changing next year, becoming a first-time booth holder will be difficult in 2025. That means that most, if not all, booths assigned this year will be a one year only situation.

2025 will be an odd booking year for me. So, as we get through 2024, please do not come up to me and word vomit all your concerns about the new map / what will happen to your space. Instead, write me an e-mail, send me a letter, or fill out an early booth holder form (the bright green half sheet). There is a box, that looks like a present, at the Info Booth, that you can put your ideas / concerns into.

Holiday Market 2024 is about to be completely booked, so if you have not gotten a confirmation about your space number or dates, reach out ASAP!

Payments are due, so make sure you have paid at least 1/3 of your owing's before November. Thanks!

- Sonia Ostendorf



Matt Gilbert



Mark Puente



Halloween Downtown

Eugene Cultural Services will be celebrating Halloween Downtown on Saturday, October 26, 2024, from 1:00 pm - 6:00 pm.

Saturday Market will be participating in the trick-or-treating fun. We are asked to display bright orange candy corn signs outside our booths. For those who would like to hand out candy and/or other treats, you can pick up a candy corn sign at the Info Booth. These are the rules:

- Hand out **prepackaged** candy.
- If you want to give out snacks instead of candy, you can hand out bags of chips, pretzels, fruit snacks, raisins or drink pouches.
- You can provide some non-food options as well, like Halloween-themed pencils, stickers or small toys.
- Avoid handing out homemade treats because parents may be concerned about food safety & not allow their children to eat them.

We encourage our members to wear a costume to show our Halloween Spirit. There will also be other attractions throughout downtown.

Timeline of Events

- 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm: Halloween Pet Parade! Join the fun with your costumed pet by meeting at 12:30 at 7th Ave. and Willamette St., in front of the Hult Center. **All pets must be leashed** and owners are responsible for cleaning up after their furry monsters.
- 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm: Explore the Halloween Family Maze at the Eugene Library.
- 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm: Trick-or-Treating for the kids. Downtown businesses will have candy and other goodies up for grabs.
- 2:00 pm - 6:00 pm: Explore the Monstrous Map of the Macabre!
- 5:45pm: Halloween Downtown formally wraps up. Join the finale in Kesey Square featuring Thrill the World and the Hexenbrut Witches.

- Veronica E. Gutierrez

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Happy Birthday to all who are celebrating their special day this week! We would like to wish a very Happy Birthday to Tina Wells, Martha Middleton, Greg Hughes, Scott Nelson, Kaine Warner, Margie Chisholm and Doug Hite.

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

On the Market Stage

- 10:00 am - Dharmika Good Green Fun
- 11:00 am - Chico's Hydrogen Jukebox
- 12:00 pm - Nick Lohanick
- 12:45 pm - Thrill The World
- 1:00 pm - Treble in Kind
- 2:30 pm - Uncle Stumbles



Saturday Market Social Life!

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www.eugenesaturdaymarket.org

Facebook:

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

Twitter: @SaturdayMarket

Instagram: @SaturdayMarket

TikTok: @EugeneSaturdayMarket

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

Local Events

- October 19th** - Hyding Jekyll-Metalföl, WOW Hall, 8:00 pm - 11:00 pm
- October 20th** - Picc-A-Dilly Flea Market, Lane Events Center, 8:00 am
- October 21st** - Beats & Board Games, Beergarden, 6:30 pm
- October 22nd** - Tweens Craft Felt Masks, Downtown Eugene Public Library, 4:30 pm
- October 23rd** - The Fly (1986 Movie), Whiteside Theater, 7:00 pm
- October 24th** - Murder at the Ballet, Hult Center, 7:00 pm
- October 25th** - Halloween Crafts & Culture, Shelton McMurphey Johnson House, 9:00 am
- October 25th** - EWEB's Halloween Trunk-or-Treat, EWEB's Roosevelt Operations Center, 4:00 pm



Caroline Dunn

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.

Cat & Dog Adoption



Cats and small dogs are available for adoption! Many colors and kinds. All spayed or neutered. These animals need good homes. For more information, please contact me, (541) 998-3540.

- Julia Garretson

Oregon Country Fair Poster 2026!

Call out to artists to design the 2026 Oregon Country Fair Poster! We are taking applications for our 2026 poster artist. This is a unique opportunity to add your artwork to our 56 years of incredible posters. Email samples of your work or a link to your portfolio before January 10, 2025 to advertising@oregoncountryfair.org. For more details please use this link: <https://oregoncountryfairposter.com>

- Vanessa Roy, Oregon Country Fair

Rotary Club Business Promotion

Rotary Club would like to promote your business to the 130 people (Rotary Clubs & friends) who will be attending the November 15th Gala Fundraiser this year (see www.rotarygala1115.org for all the details).

All you need to do is make a donation of an item to their silent auction! Proceeds go 100% to carefully selected local and international projects. Locally, Rotary Club, supports Nightingale Homeless Shelters, Cornerstone Community Housing, Volunteers in Medicine, Food for Lane County, St. Vincent de Paul, 15th Night, Hosea Youth Services, through direct service, donations, delivery of food, supplies and equipment. Rotary Club also provides scholarships for high school youth to participate in exchange programs abroad and in local leadership development programs.

Saturday Market Vendors who donate items for Rotary Club's Silent Auction on or before Saturday, October 19th, will be eligible for a drawing of 1 free seat to the gala (value of \$75). Contact chris@horizontal8.info if you would like more information.

- Chris Hazen

3-Day Forecast

Life isn't about waiting for the storm to pass, it's about learning to dance in the rain.

Saturday - Cloudy, 69° - 72°

Sunday - Rain, 65° - 68°

Monday - Rain, 58° - 61°



Committee Meetings

Food Court Meeting

Wed, Oct 23rd 5:15 pm - 7:15 pm

Holiday Market Meeting

Fri, Oct 25th 11:00 am - 1:00 pm

Board of Directors Meeting

Wed, Nov 6th 5:15 pm - 7:15 pm

Sustainability Committee Meeting

Wed, Nov 13th 4:15 pm - 5:15 pm

Standards Committee Meeting

Wed, Nov 20th 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

The Saturday Market Board of Directors and Officers

Chairperson - Nome May
 Vice Chairperson - Bekah Zeimetz
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 Candice Westberg, Maia Bowers, Julia Garretson, Jennifer Hoberg, Dani Marks Fife-Ito, Doug Robertson

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 Sustainability Committee Co-Chair:
 Brigitte McBride | Julia Garretson
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