

Holiday Market Sparkles at the Fairground

Four Weekends of Celebration Begin Friday after Thanksgiving Last Minute Monday December 23rd Added

On Friday, November 29th, Eugene's popular Saturday Market makes its yearly move indoors to the Lane County Fairgrounds where it presents its annual Holiday Market, four weekends of outstanding entertainment, a world famous international food court, and thousands of gifts handmade by local artisans.

This year market-goers will find a new Farmer's Market area where local growers will be selling mid-winter produce and dried flowers. A last minute shopping day on Monday, December 23rd from 10 am to 6pm has been added to the schedule. Special performances for young people, gift wrapping and a massage area for weary shoppers are just some of the services that await Holiday Market visitors.

Founded in 1979 by local artist Lotte Streisinger, Saturday Market is currently the oldest continuously operating open-aircraft marketplace in the United States. Several years ago, after more than a decade of shivering in the cold, wet winters on the downtown Park Blocks, Market crafters moved inside to the Lane County Fairgrounds on Thanksgiving weekend and the event has grown in popularity every year since.

Saturday Market is a nonprofit organization. Its goal is to provide an affordable market place for local artisans and affordable handcrafted products for the citizens of Lane County.

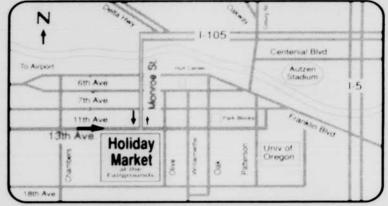
Four Weekends of Celebration Begin — at Eugene's Holiday Market

When you shop at Saturday Market's Holiday Market not only will you find the finest handmade gifts but you become an active supporter of local artisans as well. The greatest personal experience at Saturday Market is getting to meet the folks who actually make what you are buying and Saturday Market craft standards ensure that your purchase is handcrafted and original. Because most of our Saturday Market members live in our community, the dollars that you spend stay right here in Lane County.

Every time you buy at Holiday Market you take an important step towards building a stronger local economy.

Shopping at Holiday Market is energy efficient. No trucks or trains need haul your product to Eugene from factories hundreds of miles away. You won't find a lot of wasteful packaging; just a paper bag if you want, or maybe some tasteful gift wrapping done by volunteers from Womenspace. When you shop at Holiday Market you feel good about buying as well as giving.

Saturday Market's Holiday Market is located at the LANE COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS, 13th & Monroe in Eugene. The Market opens the Friday after Thanksgiving and continues every Saturday and Sunday from Thanksgiving through Christmas plus Monday, December 23. Call (503) 686-8885 for additional information.



Free Four Week Entertainment and Crafts Schedule Inside.

MARKETPLACE HIGHLIGHTS

Grand Opening Day Friday, November 29th • 10am to 6pm

- Open Every Saturday and Sunday 10 am 6 pm at the Lane County Fairgrounds from Thanksgiving to Christmas plus Last Minute Monday on December 23rd
- Plenty of Free Parking at the Lane County Fairgrounds
- Feast at Saturday Market's world famous International Food Court (what a great place for Sunday Brunch!)
- Over 200 Saturday Market craftspersons selling thousands of handmade and original holiday gifts at affordable prices!
- Live performances all day every day on three stages, featuring outstanding local musicians and entertainers
- •Gift wrapping service by Womenspace Farmer's Market Area
- International Holiday Zone for Children
 Massage Center

Save for Future Reference!

Four Weekends of Performances Scheduled for 1991 Holiday Market Shows for Young People Daily at 11 am

This year's Holiday Market features over one hundred live performances on three stages. There's something for everyone at this year's Market, from African marimba music and blues to classy classical sounds and rock and reggae.

Every morning at 11 am the Auditorium Stage features a special performance for young people. The outdoor Courtyard Stage features the familiar Saturday Market afternoon dance concert each afternoon at 2 pm.

This year's performers represent the wide diversity of talent in the region. For a complete performance schedule turn to page 2.