

# WHAT'S HAPPENING



Oh boy, it's Black Friday already? That means it's almost time to roll out of bed at 4 am, sit in traffic at the mall, trample a Walmart employee and then stand in line for 6 hours to bang out your Christmas shopping at low, low prices ... right? MECCA has a better idea — **Creation Day**. On Black Friday this year, why not stop on by the MECCA location at 449 Willamette St. and make awesome holiday gifts with recycled materials for free? Seriously, even all of the materials and tools will be provided by MECCA. Sound better than that out-the-door line at Best Buy while it rains? Sure it does. Happy Thanksgiving and happy Black Friday to all. MECCA's Creation Day starts at noon on Friday, Nov. 23; FREE.

## THANKSGIVING THU., NOVEMBER 22

SUNRISE 7:18AM; SUNSET 4:40PM  
AVG. HIGH 50; AVG. LOW 37

**COMEDY** Brickwall Comedy Club Amateur Competition, \$500 prize, 8:30pm, Brickwall Comedy Club. \$5.

**FOOD/DRINK** Thanksgiving Day Dinner, noon-3:30pm, Friendly St. Church of God, 2290 Friendly St., info at 345-6553 or mike.mugs@gmail.com

Park Blocks Farmer's Market, 1-5pm today & Thursday, Nov. 29, 11am-3pm Tuesday, Park Blocks.

The Corner Market, noon-6pm today, tomorrow, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday, Nov. 29, 295 River Rd., 513-4527.

Wine tasting, 5-7pm today & Thursday, Nov. 29, Supreme Bean Coffee Co., 2864 Willamette St. FREE.

**GATHERINGS** Trauma Healing Project is closed for Thanksgiving, Group Acupuncture Clinic will not happen this week.

Eugene Metro Business Networking International, 11:30am, Downtown Athletic Club, 999 Willamette St., [\\$12 lunch.](http://wkly.ws/159)

New Zone Gallery Holiday Gift Store, noon-6pm today through Saturday & Tuesday through Thursday, Nov. 29.

Doc's Pad Drag Queen Bingo w/ DJ Fallon Love, 8pm today & Thursday, Nov. 29, Doc's Pad, 710 Willamette St. FREE.

'80s Night, 9pm, John Henry's. \$3, females FREE before 11pm.

**KIDS/FAMILIES** Wonderful Ones Storytime, 1-year-olds w/caregivers, 10:15am & 11am, downtown library, info at 682-8316. FREE.

**ON THE AIR** "Thanksgiving Gypsy Swing bonus edition w/Tango," 9pm, KLCC 89.7FM.

**OUTDOORS/RECREATION** Annual Turkey Stuffer 5k, 8:30-11:30am, Splash! at Lively Park, info at rei.com  
Athletic League Registration, 9am-5pm through Jan. 4, Amazon Community Center, 2700 Hilyard St., info at 682-5409.

Walk with Us, weekly self-led neighborhood walking group, ages 50 & up, 9:30-10:30am today & Thursday, Nov. 29, meet at Petersen Barn Community Center, 870 Berntzen Rd. FREE.

Yoga for Relaxation, 12:30-1:30pm, Trauma Healing Project, 2222 Coburg Rd., 687-9447.

Mahjong for Seniors, 1-4pm, Campbell Community Center, 155 High St. \$0.25.

Gentle Yoga, 5:30-6:30pm, Trauma Healing Project, 2222 Coburg Rd., STE 300, 687-9447.

Kundalini Yoga Mixed Levels w/ Siri Kirin (Kathe Forrest), 5pm, address & info at 512-934-1725 or 255-3372. Donat.

Prenatal Yoga, 5:30-6:45pm today & Thursday, Nov. 29, RiverBend Medical Center, 3333 Riverbend Dr., Spfd., 222-7074. \$11, \$40 for 4 classes.

Aqua Yoga, 5:45-6:45pm today & Thursday, Nov. 29, Tamarack Wellness Center, 3575 Donald St. \$11.

Contact Juggling, 7:30-8:30pm, Academy of Artistic Gymnastics, 1205 Oak Patch Rd., 344-2002. \$10 Drop-In, \$80 for 10 class punchcard. First class FREE.

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**SPIRITUAL** Yoga Attunement w/ Dave Curtis, all levels, 6:45-8am, Saraha Nyingma, 447 E. 40th Ave., info at [yogawithdave.com](http://yogawithdave.com) or 515-3614. \$10 pre-reg., \$12 door.

**THEATER** *A Christmas to Remember*, 7pm today through Saturday & Thursday, Nov. 29, Red Cane Theatre, 1077 Chambers St., info & tix at 556-4524. \$14-\$16.

**VOLUNTEER** Care for Owen Rose Garden, bring gloves & small hand-weeding tools, instruction provided, noon-3pm, end of N. Jefferson St., 682-5025.

## FRIDAY NOVEMBER 23

SUNRISE 7:19AM; SUNSET 4:39PM  
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**ART/CRAFT** Jenny Gray Studio Sale, noon-5pm today through Sunday, 26466 Shady Oak Dr., Monroe, info at [jennygrayart.com](http://jennygrayart.com)

MECCA Creation Day, create holiday gifts w/recycled materials, noon-5pm, MECCA, 449 Willamette St. FREE.

**BENEFITS** Civil Liberties Defense Center Fundraiser, 7pm, Cozmic. FREE.

**FILM** *2012*, science to shamanism, 7pm, Center for Open Awareness, 1441 Oak St. #2A, info at 337-0394. \$5.

**FOOD/DRINK** Eugene Food Not Bombs, 2-4pm, 8th & West Park. FREE.

Marketplace@Sprout, indoor farmers' market, 3-7pm, First Christian Church, 418 A St., Spfd.

Wine Tasting w/Bill Kremer & Doyle Hinman, 4-7pm, Wineries Without Walls, Hwy. 12 Jenny6 & Territorial, Veneta, info at 935-8443. FREE.

The Corner Market continues. See Thursday, Nov. 22.

**GATHERINGS** Holiday Market, 10am-6pm: 10:30am Anahid Bertrand; 11:30am Gordon Kaswell; 12:30pm Two Easy; 1:45pm Jerry Zybach Trio; 3:15pm Groove Liberation Front; 4:45pm The McKenzie Drifters; Lane Events Center, 13th & Jefferson, [www.holidaymarket.org](http://www.holidaymarket.org). FREE.

International Gift Market, 10am-8pm today & tomorrow, 11am-5pm Sunday, 5th St. Public Market Courtyard, 2nd Floor.

Black Tea Friday, tarot readings, Oregon-Grown teas, noon-6pm, J-Tea, 2778 Friendly St., info at 285-8997. FREE.

Kesey Square Revival: Creating vibrant public space downtown that focuses on community inclusion, art vendors welcome, noon-5pm, Kesey Square. FREE.

Teen Gaming, board, card & role-playing games, 3:30-5:30pm, Sheldon Branch Library, 1566 Coburg Rd., info at 682-8316. FREE.

Weekly Bank of America protest, 4:30-5:30pm, 11th & Pearl. FREE.

Healing Harvest Celebration, 5-8pm, Elixir Bar, 347 W. Main St., info at 686-6316. Donat.

OE General Assembly, 6pm, Growers Market.

Game Night, bring board game or use house game, 7pm, Divine Cupcake, 1680 W. 11th Ave. FREE.

Trivia Night, 8pm, Rogue Public House, 844 Olive St. FREE.

Poker Tournament, 9pm, Goodfellas, 117 S. 14th St., Spfd., 726-9815.

New Zone Gallery Holiday Gift Store continues. See Thursday, Nov. 22.

**KIDS/FAMILIES** Visit Santa & his Reindeer, 8am reindeer, 10:30am Santa Claus arrives, Gateway Mall Food Court Patio.

Baby Storytime, ages 0-1 w/ caregivers, 10:15am & 11:15am, downtown library. FREE.

Family Storytime, 11:15am, Bethel Branch Library, 1990 Echo Hollow Rd.; 11:15am, Sheldon Branch Library, 1566 Coburg Rd., FREE.

Family Sailing, ages 8 & up, no experience required, bring dinner,

5-9pm, Richardson Park Marina, Fern Ridge Reservoir, 682-5329. \$30 per person.

**LITERARY** Cameron Parker poetry reading, 1-3pm, EuGenius Market, Gateway Mall. FREE.

**ON THE AIR** The De'Amphy Soul Hama Show, 10pm, Comcast Channel 29.

"The Sunday Morning Hangover TV Show," 11pm, Comcast channel 29.

**OUTDOORS/RECREATION** Walk 'n' Talkers, weekly self-led neighborhood walking group, 9-11am, meet at Campbell Community Center, 155 High St. FREE.

Bridge Group for Seniors, 12:30-3:30pm, Campbell Community Center, 155 High St. \$0.25.

Pinocle for Seniors, 12:30-3pm today & Monday, Petersen Barn Community Center, 870 Berntzen Rd. \$0.25.

Sunset Tree Climb, 5-8pm, Sladden Park. \$30.

Tree Climbing Drop-In, ages 6 & up, 6-8pm, NE corner of Washburn Park. \$10.

Pool Hall continues. See Thursday, Nov. 22.

**PETS** Black Friday Adoption Event, 10am-6pm, Petco, Valley River Center, info & pet photos at [green-hill.org](http://green-hill.org)

**SOCIAL DANCE** Salsa Dancing w/ Jose Cruz, 8:30pm, Vet's Club Ballroom, 1626 Willamette St. \$7.

**SPIRITUAL** Yoga Attunement w/ Dave Curtis, all levels, 6:45-8am, Saraha Nyingma, 447 E. 40th Ave., info at [yogawithdave.com](http://yogawithdave.com) or 515-3614. \$10 pre-reg., \$12 door.

**THEATER** *Next Fall*, 8pm today & tomorrow, 2pm Sunday, Lord Leebrick Theatre, 540 Charnelton St. \$15-\$24.

*A Christmas to Remember* continues. See Thursday, Nov. 22.

## SATURDAY NOVEMBER 24

SUNRISE 7:20AM; SUNSET 4:39AM  
AVG. HIGH 50; AVG. LOW 36

**ART/CRAFT** Jenny Gray Studio Sale continues. See Friday.

**FOOD/DRINK** Hideaway Bakery Farmers' Market, 9am-2pm, Hideaway Bakery 3377 E. Amazon.

Wine Tasting w/Gelardi Vineyards & Patchwork Cellars, 2-6pm, Wineries Without Walls, Hwy. 126 & Territorial, Veneta, info at 935-8443. FREE.

**GATHERINGS** Donation collection for Greenhill Humane Society, Petco, Valley River Center, info & times etc. at [green-hill.org](http://green-hill.org)

Eugene Weavers' Guild Handcrafts Sale, 10am-4pm today, 11am-4pm tomorrow, Eugene Textile Center, 1510 Jacobs Dr., 688-1565.

Holiday Market, 10am-6pm: 10:30am Rich Glauber; 11:30am Chip Cohen; 12:30pm Eagle Park Slim; 1:45pm Soce; 3:15pm Mood Area 52; 4:45pm The Miller Bros Band; Lane Events Center, 13th & Jefferson, [www.holidaymarket.org](http://www.holidaymarket.org). FREE.

EuGenius Winter Market, noon-6pm every Saturday & Sunday through Jan 27, EuNique Indoor Street Faire Marketplace, suite 412, Gateway Mall, Spfd.

Peace Vigil, noon-1pm, downtown library, info at 342-2914. FREE.

Annual Mustache Rally, 9pm, John Henry's. FREE.

International Gift Market continues. See Friday.

New Zone Gallery Holiday Gift Store continues. See Thursday, Nov. 22.

**KIDS/FAMILIES** Family Music Time, 10:15am, downtown library, info at 682-8316. FREE.

Parent & Baby Yoga, 11:45am-12:45pm, Just Breathe, 2868 Willamette St. #200, 852-6866. \$8-\$11.