

MAKERS MARKET

The Society in conjunction with Wyewurry Publications has been sharing a stall at these Council sponsored markets in Civic Square (between the Art Gallery and the Performing Arts Centre). We've been selling our many books, cards and spoons. There is probably nothing more unfashionable these days than an IHS spoon but our spoons are very good quality and quite inexpensive.

We are not going to get rich and if we make a hundred bucks then we consider it a good day, but it's a way to show the flag and keep our presence before the public.

Even though not many buy, it's always a source of wonder to see how keen people are to look at old photos and illustrations.

We are also very fortunate in that the weather has been good to date and that the Council sponsored organisers have treated us to some great street theatre and a fine classical trio along with some not too unpleasant folk singers.

I, for one, have never staffed a market stall before but I feel sure there must be some far worse ways to spend the odd Saturday and this market is probably as pleasant an experience one could hope for.

The markets are held on the last Saturday of each month from 10. a.m until 3.00 p.m.