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Thank you for participating in the KidStuff Resale!

Whether you are new or have been a loyal participant, we appreciate your involvement!

Sale Location & Schedule

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church
1023 S. McHenry Ave. (at Dartmoor by the HS)
Crystal Lake, IL 60014

Thursday, August 25

4:00 pm – 8:00 pm Equipment Moving
8:00 pm – 8:45 pm *Special Seller Drop-off

Friday, August 26

8:00 am – 11:00 am Seller Drop-off
11:00 pm – 2:00 pm Sale Setup
6:30 pm – 8:30 pm Presale for Volunteers

Saturday, August 27

8:00 am – 12:00 pm Public Resale
11:00 am – 12:00 pm Discount Hour
12:00 pm – 4:00 pm Cleanup
3:00 pm – 3:30 pm Seller Pickup

**Special Drop-Off time on Thursday is for sellers who cannot come on Friday or for sellers who are volunteering on Friday from 8:00-11:00 am. No volunteers will be present to help on Thursday.*

Volunteers - Please DO NOT place your items on the floor during your volunteer time.

Contact Information

Resale Manager:

Christy Johanson (815) 382-5234
kidstuffresale@gmail.com

Sellers may enter items until Thursday, August 25 at Noon.

~The tagging system will be LOCKED on Thursday, August 25 at NOON. Tags already entered may be printed after the system is locked. Tags can be printed at any time.~

NEW THIS RESALE

All sellers will be limited to 300 tags

Cardstock Pick-Up Locations (with or without hangers)

Crystal Lake
Katie Carlson
6250 Pleasant Hill Rd.
(773) 820-1861
kres2@yahoo.com

Woodstock
Christy Johanson
1420 Portage Ln
(815) 382-5234
kidstuffresale@gmail.com

Cardstock Pick-Up Locations (no hangers)

Algonquin
Cathy Hahn
615 Birch St.
(847) 854-3807
cat_isme@yahoo.com

McHenry
Angela Humphrey
3706 W. Timothy Ln
(815) 403-6873
humphrey2001@att.net

Please contact pick-up locations directly and tell them your color & how many tags/hangers needed

Cardstock Colors – NO WHITE ALLOWED

#001-099 Pastel Pink	#200-299 Ivory	#400-499 Ivory
#100-199 Pastel Green	#300-399 Pastel Purple	#500-599 Pastel Yellow

- Sellers have the option of purchasing their own cardstock (specific type/color based on seller number) or picking it up from one of our paper distribution locations listed above.
- KidStuff Resale will also supply hangers (if available) and pins.
- Tags MUST be printed on 60-67 lb. cardstock. NO WHITE PAPER OR WHITE CARDSTOCK PLEASE!!

Other Key Information

- The KidStuff Resale is being run by a different non-profit organization starting this fall – [The Mommies Network](http://www.themommiesnetwork.com).
- Inventory stays in sellers' accounts for at least 18 months. Items from all past resales may be transferred to this resale.
- Sellers must make sure the items they are selling are not on any recall lists. See www.cpsc.gov for a complete list of recalled items. A recall look-up tool can be found at <http://wemakeitsafer.com/>.
- Please do not contact the church for resale information. Use the contact info above for questions.

Volunteering at the KidStuff Resale

Sellers who sign up to volunteer will receive 70% of their sales instead of 65%!

KidStuff Resale volunteers are invited to shop at our exclusive presale Friday night from 6:30-8:30 pm. The presale is our way of saying THANK YOU for volunteering and helping to make this sale possible!

Volunteer Opportunities:

Prior to Sale: Hanging posters and passing out flyers – must distribute in at least 20 locations

Thursday: Equipment moving and setup (some lifting required – men needed, too!)

Friday: Sorting and setting up items for sale

Saturday: Sale & Cleanup (lifting is required for cleanup – men needed, too!)

Volunteers - Please DO NOT place your items on the floor during your volunteer time

Visit www.myconsignmentmanager.com/mchenrymothers to view/choose open shifts.

Would you like to bring a guest to shop at the presale with you?

Two ways to do that:

1. You may work an additional shift for them! For each volunteer shift worked, one person is invited to shop at the presale. 2 shifts = volunteer +1 guest, 3 shifts = volunteer +2 guests, etc.
2. Anyone who works the Clean-Up shift on Saturday from 2:00-4:00 pm OR the Check-Out shift on Saturday from 8:00-Noon may bring a guest to the presale.

Men are needed, too, especially for Thursday Set-Up and Saturday Clean-Up! Anyone can volunteer and create an account online! You may also contact us to sign up a husband/mother/sister, etc.

Children ages 12+ may volunteer! – We will not be allowing children into the Presale unless they volunteer or are a qualified guest (see above). If your child would like to volunteer with you, please e-mail us at kidstuffresale@gmail.com.

Selling at the KidStuff Resale

Step 1: Registration

Sellers will receive 65% of their sales or 70% if they also volunteer. All sellers must register at www.myconsignmentmanager.com/mchenrymothers

Registration Fee

- All sellers will pay a registration fee of \$10 at the time of registration – Paypal is preferred, but there is an option to mail a check.
- The registration fee covers the use of our system, cardstock, pins and creating 300 tags.
- Registration is not complete, and sellers cannot enter items, until the \$10 registration fee is paid.

Discount Option – Important Information

- Sellers have the option of offering items at a discount.
- Discounts will begin at 11:00 am on Saturday morning.
- If an item has not sold by 11:00 am, a 50% discount can be applied.
- Discounts will be read by the scanner at the check-out.
- Each item must be individually marked in the tagging system to indicate the 50% discount.
- **IMPORTANT - If an item is marked for discount, the seller MUST highlight the "YES" discount option directly on the tag (see illustration below).** Any highlighter color is fine – make sure it can be seen. This is so shoppers can easily see that the item is discounted.
- It is up to the seller whether or not each item is offered at a discount.
- The discount field is activated on the tags, so when creating tags online sellers must choose YES or NO for a discount for each tag (see Step 2 below).
- This is a great way to sell extra items! If donating an item, consider marking it YES for discount, too.
- **IMPORTANT** - If you **CHANGE the discount option** on your tag, you must also change it in the computer. The scanner reads the information you entered into the computer.

Step 2: Tagging Your Items

Tag Information

- Tags are created online and printed directly from the website:
www.myconsignmentmanager.com/mchenrymothers - make sure you are at this web address.
- Items from previous KidStuff Resales may be transferred to this resale.
- All sellers will receive 300 tags for the Fall 2016 KidStuff Resale.

Creating a Tag

- Login to your account at www.myconsignmentmanager.com/mchenrymothers
- Click on "Enter Items"
- PRICE** is a drop-down menu – click on the field to choose your price.
- SIZE** is a drop-down menu – click on the field to choose your size. Clothing sizes are at the top and shoe sizes are at the bottom. **Note:** For maternity clothes choose size "not applicable" and indicate size in category field (Maternity – XS, Maternity – S, Maternity – M, Maternity – L, Maternity – XL)
- DESCRIPTION** – allows up to 2 lines of writing with about 50 characters per line.
- CATEGORY** is a drop-down menu – click on the field to choose your category. Read through all options before choosing. **Note:** For maternity clothes indicate size here.
- DONATE** – click box to donate unsold item and keep box unchecked to receive your unsold item back. **Each item tag** must indicate yes or no – see next page for more info.
- DISCOUNT** – Click box to indicate a discount and keep box unchecked for no discount. Discounted items will be automatically discounted 50% at 11:00 am on Saturday.
 - * Each item must be individually selected for 50% discount or not.
 - * **IMPORTANT** - If an item is marked for discount, the seller **MUST highlight the "YES" discount option directly on the tag** (see illustration below). Any highlighter color is fine – make sure it can be seen.
 - * It is up to the seller whether or not each item is marked for discount – it is not mandatory.
 - * If discount is changed in the computer, print a new tag.
- At any time, click "print tags" and follow the on screen instructions.
Do not use "best print" quality as it is too dark – draft or normal work best with the scanners.
- Cut out tags and pin/tape according to instructions below. 8 tags fit onto 1 sheet of cardstock.



Tape anywhere on tag except over bar code

Seller # 333	Size: 12-18 Months
Price: \$4.50	Category: Boys Clothing
---myconsignmentmanager.com---	
Description: 2 pc. outfit - blue long sleeve turtleneck and Osh Kosh overalls	
Donate: Yes	Price: \$4.50
Item #: 26	Discount: YES
	

Pin tag on dotted line Highlight discount if YES

Hanger Guidelines

- All clothing items must be on hangers when you arrive to drop off your items.
- Keep matching outfits together by using an outfit hanger, rubber-banding hangers together or pinning items together on one hanger.
- Position hangers with open side of hanger to the left when looking at the front of the outfit as shown in the illustration.
- To save tags combine similar items together and use 1 tag. For example, pin 2 or 3 t-shirts together or rubber band multiple hangers together. Indicate multiple items in the description on the tag (ex: Description: 3 t-shirts – 2 red, 1 blue).

Sizing Your Clothing Items

The size chart to the right corresponds to the display signs on the hanging racks. If the item has shrunk or runs small/large, please use the **fit size** and note as such on the tag. For example, pajamas usually run small, so it helps in selling the item if size 4T is used on the size 5T pajamas. (ex: Description: 5T Pajamas – fits like 4T).

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Size on Racks
0-3 months
3-6 months
6-9 months
9-12 months
12-18 months
18-24 months
24 months
2T
3T
4-4T
5-5T
6-6X
7
8
10
12
14
16

Donating Items That Do Not Sell

You may donate any of your unsold items. **Please indicate on each tag all items you wish to donate.** We cannot accept donations during clean up; however, any unsold items not picked up by 4:00 pm will be distributed to charities at the discretion of the Resale Manager. Donation receipts can be picked up at Seller Check-In.

Suggestions for Pricing Your Items

Prices at this sale are generally less than at a resale shop, but more than a garage sale. A good rule of thumb is approximately 10 – 25% of the original price of the item. For example, if you paid \$20 for an item new, then mark the item \$2 – \$5. Be careful when pricing items that you are sentimental about – if it is priced too high, it may not sell. Here is a guide to help you out...

KidStuff Resale Price Guide

 General Rule: 10-25% of retail price		Bargain Brands Circo, Garanimals, Just One Year, Retails <\$10		Resell at \$1-\$2.50
 Charge Less For: Good Condition Infant Items Casual Clothing Older Toys		Basic Brands Old Navy, TCP, Carters, Osh Kosh, Retails \$5-\$15		Resell at \$1.50-\$4
 Charge More For: Excellent Condition New with Tags "Dressy" Items Clothing Sets With Manuals/Box Hot Brands & Toys Large Items Rare Items		Better Brands Gymboree, Gap Polo, Retails \$10-20		Resell at \$3-\$5
		Boutique Brands Hanna Andersson, Janie and Jack, Retails >\$20		Resell at 10-25%

Step 3: Seller Drop-Off (Thurs. 8:00-8:45pm OR Fri. 8:00–11:00am)

- ❖ **Items will not be accepted for check-in after the allotted time.** All sale items must be placed on the sales floor by Friday at 12:00 pm.
- ❖ Volunteers scheduled to work from 8:00-11:00 am on Friday - please DO NOT place your items on the sales floor on Friday during that shift. Either choose a different shift to work or come Thursday night.
- ❖ Enter the church through the back doors. DO NOT PARK IN THE FIRE LANE – you may be towed!
- ❖ Check-in BEFORE you unload your car at the check-in desk located just inside the back door.
- ❖ **Please bring in any games, puzzles and electronic toys that use batteries FIRST and leave them at the Quality Control table next to the check-in table.** Quality Control Supervisors will be checking to make sure all items are in working condition. Sellers DO NOT need to supply new batteries – we will have batteries on hand to test electronic toys.
- ❖ It is the seller's responsibility at drop-off to place/hang your items in the designated areas. Volunteers will be available to help on Friday only.
- ❖ Every seller must leave us usable boxes or bins with lids for returning items. If you leave a bin, please make sure your seller number is on the bin and lid. Any additional boxes in good condition you can provide us would be greatly appreciated. Diaper boxes or bigger are best! Place boxes in the back room and bins in the kitchen.

Step 4: Seller Pickup of Unsold Items (Saturday 3:00–3:30pm)

- ❖ Please do not arrive before the scheduled time. No one will be allowed to pick up early, as we need the time after the sale to properly sort unsold items.
- ❖ Use the same rear entrance as used for drop-off. DO NOT PARK IN THE FIRE LANE – you may be towed!
- ❖ Check in! If the sorting process is not complete, please wait to remove any items from the site.
- ❖ Check through the “lost tag” items for any that belong to you.
- ❖ If you plan to sell at any other resales, please feel free to pick up some hangers. Please take as many as you think you will need.

Step 5: After the Sale

- ❖ Sellers will receive 65% of the money made from the sale of their items, or 70% for sellers that also volunteered at the resale. The Spring 2016 resale had different percentages because of the transition to the new non-profit group. These percentages are current for the Fall 2016 KidStuff Resale.
- ❖ Sellers may login to their account and click “View Settlement Report” to view items sold and check sales amounts.
- ❖ The sale will be unlocked within 2 weeks after the sale so sellers can manage their inventory.
- ❖ Checks will be mailed within 2 weeks of the resale to the address associated your account.

Resale Items We Accept and Do Not Accept (Please Read Carefully)

Acceptable items in good/excellent condition

- Fall and Winter children’s clothing sizes 0-16
- Swim suits – We now accept new AND used
- Dress-up or dance/gymnastics clothing/accessories
- Children’s clean dress shoes, boots, sneakers, sport/dance shoes (ex. cleats, tap, ballet, etc.)
- Maternity Clothes
- Toys
- Electronic plush toys (ex. Tickle-Me-Elmo, talking teddy bears, dancing Dora, etc.)
- Games and puzzles with all pieces
- DVDs, cassettes, software or books that apply to children/pregnancy/parenting
- Feeding supplies (except used nipples or valves)
- Breast pumps
- Cloth diapers
- Equipment: toddler beds, cribs (no drop side), crib mattresses, nursery furniture or decorations, changing table pads/covers, strollers, wagons, play yards, high chairs, booster feeding chairs, baby swings, activity mats, baby jumpers, etc.
- Children’s bikes, tricycles, ride on or push toys
- **In original unopened package:** Diapers, wipes, children’s underwear, bottle nipples, pacifiers

Unacceptable items

These will not be sold!

Unacceptable items will be pulled from the sales floor:

- Spring and Summer clothing
- Stained or excessively worn clothing items
- Heavily worn, smelly or dirty shoes
- Stuffed animals (unless electronic)
- Pillow pets
- Car seats – even if it is part of a travel system
- Drop side cribs
- Used bottle nipples and other silicone/rubber spouts in cups
- Odiferous items (including, but not limited to the smell of cigarette/cigar smoke or moth balls)
- Damaged items (including ripped, inoperable zippers, missing buttons/snaps, torn, corroded battery compartments, etc.)

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Please contact us if you have any questions about acceptable items – kidstuffresale@gmail.com