

# Wabash Mops Consignment Sale

My Consignor # \_\_\_\_\_

My Volunteer Times: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Participation Instructions

**Wabash Is located at: 18325 SE 384th St  
Auburn, WA 98092**

The Wabash MOPS Consignment Sale is held at Wabash Presbyterian Church. All items will be setup in Garrett Hall which is the large building closest to the road.

### Consignment Sale Schedule:

Wednesday	7-8:30pm	Set-up (Trucks appreciated)
Thursday	12 pm-4 pm	Consignor Item Drop-off
Thursday	4 pm-6 pm	Consignors Only Pre-Sale
Friday	9 am-5 pm	Full Price Public Sale
Saturday	9 am- 2 pm	Full Price Public Sale
Saturday	2 pm- 5pm	Half-Price Public Sale (except RED DOT items)
Saturday	5 pm- 6pm	Unsold Item Pickup Items not picked up by 6 pm will be donated
Saturday	6pm- 8pm	close Tear-down, Clean-up

### Ministry Focus

The Wabash MOPS Consignment Sale is a fundraiser held to raise operating costs and provide scholarships funds for Wabash MOPS, outreach into the surrounding communities, and group publicity. Participants will receive 70% of sales and Wabash MOPS will receive 30%. Wabash MOPS is a non-profit group that provides an open, caring, and accepting atmosphere where mothers can come together for support, encouragement, and friendship during the important season of mothering children from birth through kindergarten.

## **How It Works/FAQ**

- It's a lot of fun to sell your items as a consignor with Wabash MOPS! We work together for a common goal and make money by selling the items that we no longer need or use. Many of us use the money we make to shop for new items for ourselves and our children. To help, we've got a load of FREE resources for you including tagging and hanging instructions, a pricing and sizing guide, and access to information on our website.
- Anyone with items that are new or gently-used may register to sell as a Consignor. MOPS membership is not required.
- When you complete your Participation Agreement, you will be assigned a Consignor Number. That number will be yours to use in all future Wabash MOPS Consignment Sales.
- Please be sure to read through all instructions carefully to ensure a successful consigning experience.
- Many hands make light work! All consignors are asked to volunteer at least 4 hours during the sale. If you do not complete or show up for your assigned shifts you will be required to pay a fee of \$15.00 that will be removed from your profits.
- You will receive your consignor payment 1-2 weeks after the sale along with the bottom portion of the tag for all items that you've sold.
- You can use hangers you already have, purchase hangers, or check local stores to see if they are willing to give them to you. If Wabash MOPS has a surplus of hangers, we will have them available for purchase in bundles. Due to the high volume of items sold, we are not able to return your hangers to you, however, any unsold clothing will be returned on the hangers they were brought in on.
- The Wabash MOPS Consignment Sale is not a retail store, but rather a savings extravaganza! Shoppers come to our sales in search of great deals and often find items for sale at 50-90% off retail prices. You get to pick your own prices. See our pricing guide for examples of how donated items will be priced and for prices that will help your items sell. Keep in mind that items in better condition will sell for higher prices than items with more wear. Our sale is also an outreach to members of our community. We are honored to serve families in need with our events who cannot afford to shop retail, but like all of us, need to clothe their children. We are also blessed to support local charities who benefit from these events. A portion of the items that are donated after the sale are given to non-profit groups such as area clothing banks to further help families in need.
- While we encourage everyone to take advantage of our half-price sale times, you are not required to discount your items. Please be sure to RED DOT all tags for items you do not want discounted on our half-price sale times. Items that are discounted will generally make the most of your overall item sales. Remember that RED DOT items will remain full price and our

customers will generally be looking for half-price items on our sale times.

- We accept cash and credit card as payment options. A 3% convenience fee is added to all card transactions. Unlike other sales, there is no admission fee to shop our sale!
- Most consignors will sell the majority of their items in children's sizes 2-8 if priced well. Items under size 24 months will sell slightly less because of the volume of items we generally have in that category. (Many consignors have tons of infant clothing that they have received as gifts, hand-me-downs, and items that were barely or never worn.) The older kids' sizes of 10-16 tend to sell depending on name brand and popular styles as pre-teens and teens tend to be a bit pickier about what they wear. Remember that the higher quality, better priced items will sell first. PLEASE DO NOT USE S/M/L/XL SIZING ON TAGS.
- Children are welcome to come to our sale, but please use good judgment when you bring them. We ask that you make sure they do not play with toys and other items that are for sale in order to keep all pieces together and in good working order.
- Preparing to Tag: Collect all the supplies you will need for tagging and have them ready: tags, black or blue ink pens, red permanent marker, hangers, safety pins, tagging gun/fasteners, rubber-bands, tape, and Ziploc bags. Tag your items in a well-lit room, midday sun will show the most stains/spots. Items should be clean, freshly washed, wrinkle free, and in good working order. Tag all like items at the same time (i.e. all baby girl clothes sized 6-9mos) so that you can bundle them together when you are finished.
- Suggested sale items: Clothing, maternity wear, Easter/Christmas outfits and seasonal items (i.e. Halloween treat buckets, Easter baskets, etc.), costumes, shoes, large toys, videos, board games, books, strollers, beds, high chairs, video games, DVDs (G & PG Only), bikes, skates, puzzles, nursing gear, baby carriers, play yards, joggers, coats, bedding, purses, diaper bags, infant swings, bouncy seats, boppy pillows, infant care items, clean potty chairs, booster seats, sporting goods, accessories, groups of small toys, etc. NOTE; toys must be in good working condition. Toys must have all parts. Please tape or secure all parts of an item in baggies to boxes or toys. Please include instruction manuals and fresh batteries in all items that turn on/off.
- We CANNOT accept CRIBS or CAR SEATS due to safety/recall concerns. We also DO NOT accept mens clothing above size youth 16.

### **Tagging Hanging Instructions**

- Clothes MUST be in good condition - No stains, holes, missing buttons or zippers. Please check your clothes carefully in bright light. Items that are cleaned and wrinkle-free will sell much better. Any items not meeting the guidelines will be removed from the floor and donated.
- All clothing items must be hung on hangers (wire, plastic, pants-clasp, outfit) or attached with safety pins to wire hangers. (No straight pins; they are very dangerous.) The crook of the hanger should go towards the LEFT and look like a question mark. Jeans and pants must be hung straight on pants hangers or attached with large to medium safety pins to the shoulder portion of a wire hanger so that the buyer can observe the knees, front, and back. Small items (socks, onesies, etc.) may be grouped together in Ziploc bags. (Tape/staple over Ziploc closure

to avoid items being removed from bags.) Please place tags on the OUTSIDE of the bag and TAPE ONLY THE TOP PORTION OF THE TAG.

- Nothing should be priced less than \$0.50. Use only increments of \$0.50 when pricing (\$0.50, \$1.00, \$1.50, etc.)
- Toys should be in good working condition, with all pieces, and with fresh batteries to show working order. Small items may be grouped together in Ziploc bags. Please place tags on the OUTSIDE of the bag and TAPE ONLY THE TOP PORTION OF THE TAG.
- All items must have a tag attached with a plastic tagging gun fastener or safety pin. Make sure the tag is securely attached; we cannot sell any items missing a tag or that are completed incorrectly. The tag must show the consignor number, size, and price. Sizes must be in number format, not Small/Medium/Large. Also include a brief description of the item or the gender it belongs to. Please PRINT all information clearly with a BLACK or BLUE pen. Tags MUST be hung on the OUTSIDE of all garments and on the upper left shoulder area (pants - left hip). Attach tags to seams or inconspicuous areas so that clothing will not be damaged. (See pricing/size guide that follows.)
- IMPORTANT: If you do NOT want the item to be sold at half-price on Saturday, please place a large RED DOT by the price on BOTH PARTS OF THE TAG. Please use a RED permanent marker. Dots must be clearly visible and placed beside the price on BOTH PARTS OF THE TAG.
- ITEM DROP-OFF: Items MUST be separated and rubber-banded together by size and whether the item is BOY, GIRL, JUNIOR, WOMEN'S, or MATERNITY. If your items are not separated, you will be required to do so before we can accept your drop-off. (Remember we DO NOT take Mens clothing above size youth 16)
- Acceptable sizes will be preemie/newborn through teen, junior girls, and women's clothing including maternity.
- BECAUSE OF SAFETY LAWS, WE CANNOT ACCEPT CRIBS OR CAR SEATS.

## **Clothing Pricing Guide**

### **BOTTOMS BASIC/DISCOUNT CHAIN/BRAND PREMIUM DESIGNER**

Jeans/Overalls \$0.50-\$1/ \$2-\$4/ \$5-\$7/ \$8-\$10

Sweats/Leggings \$0.50-\$1/ \$1-\$2/ \$3-\$5/ \$5+

Skirts/Shorts \$0.50-\$1/ \$1-\$2/ \$3-\$5/ \$5+

### **TOPS BASIC/DISCOUNT CHAIN/BRAND PREMIUM DESIGNER**

T-Shirts \$0.50-\$1/ \$1-\$2 /\$3-\$5/ \$5+

Sweatshirts/Sweaters \$0.50-\$1/ \$2-\$4/ \$5-\$7/ \$8-\$10

Blouses/Dress Shirts \$1/ \$2-\$4/ \$5-\$7/ \$8-\$10

### **DRESSES BASIC/DISCOUNT CHAIN/BRAND PREMIUM DESIGNER**

Everyday Dresses \$0.50-\$1/ \$2-\$4/ \$5-\$7/ \$8-\$10

Holiday Dresses/Gowns \$2/ \$3-\$5/ \$6-\$8/ \$8+

### **OUTERWEAR BASIC/DISCOUNT CHAIN/BRAND PREMIUM DESIGNER**

Coats \$2/ \$3-\$5/ \$6-\$8/ \$8+

Snowsuits \$3/ \$4-\$5/ \$6-\$8/ \$8+

### **PAJAMAS BASIC/DISCOUNT CHAIN/BRAND PREMIUM DESIGNER**

Sleepers/Nightgowns \$0.50-\$1/ \$1-\$2/ \$3-\$5/ \$5+

2pc PJ Sets \$0.50-\$1/ \$1-\$2/ \$3-\$5/ \$5+

**SHOES BASIC/DISCOUNT CHAIN/BRAND PREMIUM DESIGNER**

Shoes \$0.50-\$1/ \$1-\$2/ \$3-\$5/ \$5+

**Maternity BASIC/DISCOUNT CHAIN/BRAND PREMIUM DESIGNER**

Tops \$1/ \$2-\$4/ \$5-\$7/ \$8-\$10

Bottoms \$2/ \$3-\$5/ \$6-\$8/ \$8+



