

# Party with a Purpose

Who doesn't love a party, right? Now, here's a great way to host a fun gathering while helping to expand the reach of a worthwhile organization: Sponsor a "SOCKS IN THE CITY" event in your home for your friends, benefitting Clothes to Kids of Denver. As part of the festivities, our Executive Director Katie Jones Jadwin and our Development Director Val Lunka will take a few moments to explain the agency's mission. We'll be asking your guests for their support so that we can continue to serve the at-risk children of our community.

### **EASY AS PUSHING A BUTTON**

The great thing about a **SOCKS IN THE CITY** party is that we've done much of the work for you. We'll take charge of sending out and managing all of the following promotions to your guest list:

- · Save the date email
- Invitation email
- · Last chance email to non-respondents.
- Confirmation email to guests who RSVP
- Online registration page
- Event landing page with the details of your event. This landing page will be unique to your event so you can post it to your Facebook page, add the web address to your emails, etc. Of course, the page is "private," so you needn't worry about the public at large dropping by unannounced!

We use the email marketing tool, **CONSTANT CONTACT**, to promote your event and keep track of responses. You'll know the minute anyone confirms her attendance. You'll also know who hasn't responded, so you can reach out to them personally, if you like. You can also rest assured that your email list will be used only to promote your event. We won't send emails to your list unless one of your contacts asks to be added to our mailing list.

#### **PARTY IDEAS**

Just like the SEX AND THE CITY® women, we're guessing your guests will enjoy cocktails, good music, and better conversation. We also know you're a terrific hostess who needs no help throwing a great party. But just for fun, you might . . .

- Give guests recipe cards for Cosmopolitans, Moscow Mules, etc.
- Play the sound track from the SEX AND THE CITY© movie.
- Host a "fancy" socks contest, with the guest bringing in the cutest or most clever pair of children's socks winning a prize.
- Require a donation of a school-aged child's new pair of socks as an "entry fee."
- Play SEX AND THE CITY© trivia.
- Host a SEX AND THE CITY© costume party, where guests come as their favorite character.
- Have a fancy shoe competition, in the spirit of Carrie Bradshaw.

#### YOUR ACTION PLAN

Interested in hosting your own **SOCKS IN THE CITY** party? Here are the easy steps we recommend:

- Choose a date at least five to six weeks from now, then get in touch with Val Lunka and let her know your chosen date.
- Email Cathy Bowman with the details of your event so she can start customizing your promotional materials. She'll need this info:
  - Date and time of your event
  - Location
  - Your contact info
  - The maximum number of guests
  - You can also include a special message to

- personalize the invitations for your group. Just let Cathy know what you'd like to say.
- Lastly, send Cathy your guest list in an email file such as .csv, .rtf., or .xls.

Then, sit back and relax while we promote your event:

- We'll send out the "save the date" email about four weeks before your event.
- The "invitation" email will go out about three weeks before your event.
- A "Don't Miss Out" email will go out a few days before to those who have not RSVP'd yet.
- You'll get an email advising you each time a guest registers, so you'll know how many people to plan for.

Host your party and have fun!

**KEY CONTACTS** 

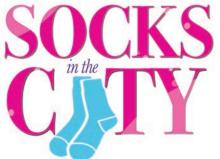
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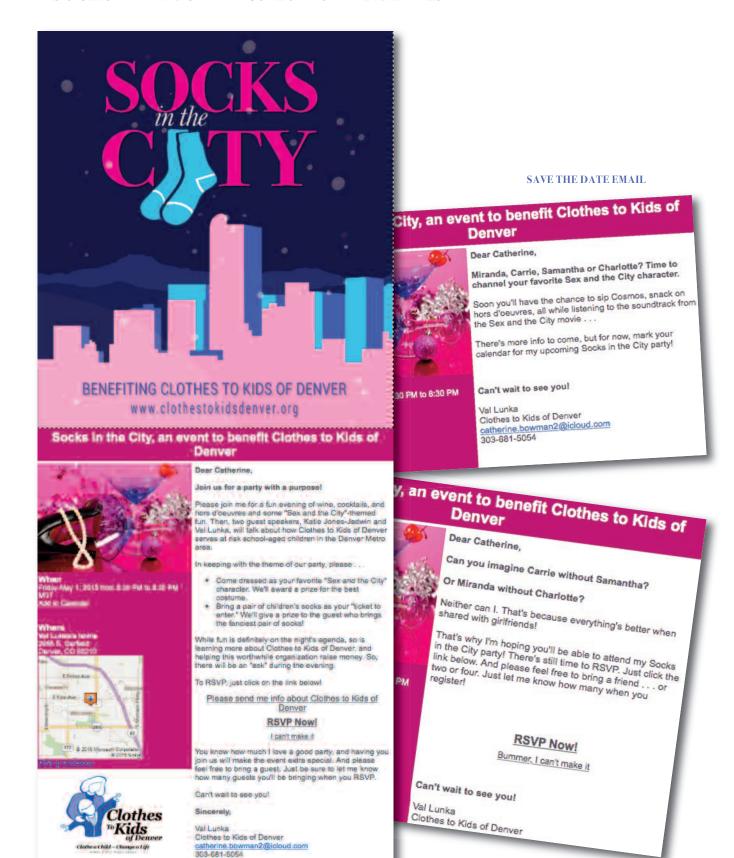
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	EVENT DAY/DATE/TIME	
MAX # OF GUESTS?	OPEN TO THE PUBLIC? YES NO	DEADLINE FOR RSVP'S
PHONE #1	OPTIONAL PHONE #2	EMAIL
LOCATION STREET/CITY/Z	IP	
SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS TO	GUESTS, SUCH AS FOR PARKING?	
Options		
WHAT REFRESHMENTS WIL	L YOU BE SERVING?	
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SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS TO  Bring a new pair of child	ren's socks as an "entry fee."	
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## SOCKS IN THE CITY PROMOTIONAL EMAILS



DON'T MISS OUT EMAIL

# EVENT LANDING PAGE AND ONLINE REGISTRATION FORM



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Mobile View

Clothes To Kids of Denver, Inc. provides free new and quality used cirching to students in need in a store-like setting. Our volunteers and staff strive to create a warm, welcoming environment, By providing this service, Clothes To Kids hopes to ease the financial burden on low-norms families, build self-esteem in children and improve their readiness to learn at school

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