



SOUTHERN OREGON KID *SPREE* IN PARTNERSHIP WITH

JCPenney

A non-profit community project to provide school clothes to low-income children in cooperation with the following major contributors:

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Dear KidSpree Volunteer:

This year's Southern Oregon KidSpree is planned for **Saturday, August 10th, 2024 from 8:00 a.m. to about 10:00 a.m.** After a three-year hiatus, we are pleased to be returning to our in-person shopping event with volunteer shoppers and **we need you to help make our 32nd year a successful one!**

ORIENTATIONS: Tuesday, August 6th @ 6:00 pm, Wednesday, August 7th @ 6:00 pm and Thursday, August 8th @ 6:30 pm. **It is MANDATORY that you attend one of these sessions if you wish to volunteer, even if you have done it in the past.** They are held at JCPenney in the staff lunchroom (near the beauty shop) on the lower level and will last approximately 1 hour.

We are required to run background checks on all our volunteers. Our policy has changed. **Everyone will need to have a background check every year. We expect the cost to be approximately \$5.00 per person each year. If you can help offset this cost, we would appreciate your help. There is a space on the application to indicate a payment amount. Thank you.**

We need you! Please return the enclosed application **no later than July 31st!**

A new application is needed each year We do not keep applications. All of your sensitive information will be kept secure and will be shredded after the event is over.

We are always looking for more volunteers, so please share this information with friends and associates. Over the last 32 years, we have served over 6,000 kids, so our need for volunteers is great. **WE NEED YOUR HELP!**

If you need more information please contact:

Cathy Eagles, Chairperson: 541-944-7529 E-mail: morcats@gmail.com.

Ian Bachtel, Volunteer Coordinator: 360-609-1202 E-mail: ianbachtel@gmail.com

All donations are tax-deductible (Tax ID# 93-4889769- this is a new #)
Donations can be mailed to the PO Box number at the bottom of this letter.

We look forward to having you join us for this year's KidSpree event.

YOU CAN HELP CHANGE A CHILD 'S LIFE!

Thank you so much for your participation.

Southern Oregon KidSpree Steering Committee

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