Summer Inventory Checklist 10 Consignment Sale Finds to Help You Save this Summer

1. Rainy Day Indoor Fun

Get prepared for those rainy days! Keep surprises on hand to reveal throughout the summer.

- □ ball pit (make your own by
- bringing your wading pool inside)
- popup tents (for the little ones!)
- Craft projects (sewing kits,
- friendship bracelets, origami, etc.)
- □ board games
- puzzles

2. Sports Camps

Did you know there are FREE and cheap summer sports clinics for your kids? Measure your kids feet and then double-check you have the right size soccer cleats, and shin guards.

- 🗆 soccer kleats
- 🗆 shin guards
- □ bag for soccer equipment
- 🗆 water bottle
- □ soccer ball (youth size)

3. Outdoor Fun

Think about everything your child will be doing outside this summer. Riding bicycle? Swimming? Visiting <u>splash pads</u>? Do you have everything they need for this outdoor fun?

- 🗆 bicycle helmets
- □ splasher diapers or swimmers
- □ swimsuits / rash guard shirts
- 🗆 sun hats

- \Box beach towels
- 🗆 life jackets / floaties

4. Driveway Fun

Tons of fun can be had in the driveway for a change of pace.

- □ sidewalk chalk
- D bubles and bubble wands
- 🗆 roller skates
- □ ball for four square
- 🗆 jacks

5. Picnics at the Park

Have supplies on hand for picnics at the <u>playground</u> on warm summer days. Make it special!

- 🗆 picnic blanket
- 🗆 cooler or large picnic tote

6. Family Photos

Many families choose to take family photos in the summertime. Plan your outfits ahead of time (picking color coordinated outfits at a consignment sale is so much simpler because of the large selection).

color coordinated outfits
accessories (stylish hats)

7. Summer Vacation

Will you be traveling this summer? If so, what will you need?

- □ kids suitcase
- 🗆 pillow headrest
- □ travel size games
- □ sleeping bag

8. Summer Chores

With taking care of your yard and gardening, there is always extra work in the summer time. Get your kids excited about helping!

- □ kids watering can
- □ kid-size shovel or rake
- 🗆 gardening gloves
- **bug boxes** (because everyone gets side-tracked sometimes)
- □ chore chart

9. Birthday Parties

Do you have a child with a summer birthday? Will you be planning a party?

- decorations
- □ thank you cards
- party favors

10. Reading Programs

Plan to sign your kids up for the <u>summer reading programs</u> and have some great books on hand for them to read (so you don't risk library fines).

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- □ read-aloud family books
- Deginner readers
- 🗆 classic novels
- \Box picture books for the little ones
- □ kids activity books

Tip: <u>How To Save Money On Your</u> <u>Summer By Planning Ahead</u> http://www.frugallancaster.com