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**STERLING GLEN HOSTS SHOPPING BAZAAR TO BENEFIT CAREER WARDROBE**

Sterling Glen of Center City is hosting a Shopping Bazaar with professional vendors, for the benefit of The Career Wardrobe, a nonprofit organization that assists low-income women entering the workforce, on Wednesday, September 28<sup>th</sup> from 1pm to 7pm in the main lobby, at 150 North 20th Street (20<sup>th</sup> and Race Streets).

The Shopping Bazaar is part of The Career Wardrobe's "10 Days of Shopping" to celebrate the organization's 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. In the past 10 years, The Career Wardrobe has helped over 35,000 women in the Philadelphia region by providing them with free professional clothing and support as they enter the workforce.

According to Sheri Cole, executive director of The Career Wardrobe, "We are thrilled to be partnering with Sterling Glen. They are an organization that understands the value of helping people to improve the quality of their lives. Together, we hope to raise money and awareness that will empower women in our region to improve their lives by successfully entering the workforce."

The Shopping Bazaar will feature items such as jewelry, candles, photography, hand-made knitted items, and skin care products, all showcased by outside vendors. The event is free and open to the public. Vendor tables are still available by calling Michelle Tepper at 215-564-5455.

The Shopping Bazaar will also feature:

- Sterling Glen Raffle featuring products donated by the vendors and other area businesses. Raffle tickets are available at the front desk of Sterling Glen: 3 for \$5 or 8 for \$10.

- The Career Wardrobe's limited edition 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary hats: stylish bucket hats with a fashion theme. Hats will be available at the event and also at select area retailers during the week for \$10.
- Refreshments will be available all day.

Sterling Glen of Center City, in the heart of the cultural hub of Philadelphia, is a unique senior living residence that combines supportive independent and assisted living lifestyles. Rental apartments, a full range of recreational activities, and health care services combine to offer unique senior living opportunities.

The largest agency of its kind in the region, The Career Wardrobe has grown from providing interview suits to 938 women during its first year, to offering both professional clothing and personal development seminars to 3,995 low-income women in 2005. The Career Wardrobe is also a founding member of The Women's Alliance, a national coalition of member organizations that provide clothing and support to women entering the workforce. For more information on The Career Wardrobe, visit [www.careerwardrobe.org](http://www.careerwardrobe.org).

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