

**SHOPPING**

# My Sister's Closet filled with designer labels

**SCOTTSDALE**

**C**alling all bargain hunters. Get your pocketbooks ready. My Sister's Closet, a women's consignment store, is unveiling its fall deals on apparel and accessories today.



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The fall preview sale begins at 8 a.m. and lasts until 6 p.m.

Expect a gathering of early bird shoppers at 7 a.m. at the doors, said Ann Siner, owner of My Sister's Closet, a chain

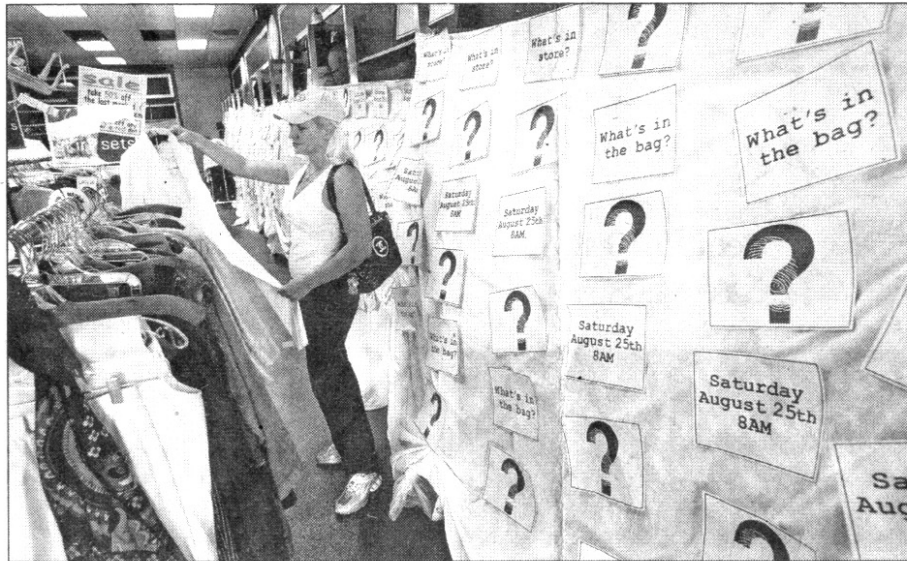
based in Phoenix.

Siner is the creator of this annual shopping frenzy.

The sale continues at her other stores: My Sister's Attic, a furniture store; Well-Suited, for men's wear; and Small Change, a children's consignment clothing and furniture store.

Shoppers can find all four stores at Lincoln Village, at Lincoln Drive and Scottsdale Road.

To give you an idea of the deals, a Dana Buchman sweater sells for \$9.95.



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Shopper Ronda Eden of Scottsdale peruses the few racks that haven't be covered up in preparation the annual fall sale at My Sister's Closet.

Labels such at Banana Republic, Ralph Lauren, Chico's are 90 percent off.

An Ann Taylor pants suit sells for \$14.95, regularly \$150. Continue to fin-

ger through the racks of designer labels, and you might find a two-piece Escada suit for \$79.95, normally a \$1,500 to \$2,000 brand new.

Handbags collectors can revel in delight over designer bags by Louis Vuitton, Chanel, Gucci, Dior, Michael Kors that are 50 to 70 percent off.

Siner, who established My Sister's Closet in 1991, employs more than 110 people. In 2006, My Sister's Closet did nearly \$10 million in gross sales, Siner said.

"We do it twice a year," said Siner, who holds sales in the spring and fall. "It's really fun."

During the fall, Siner said, the store receives about 400 to 600 items daily.

So, if you missed out, the racks and shelves will be replenished weekly.

## Hayden Peak Crossing

Residents in the Grayhawk community can look forward to a cluster of retail chains at Hayden Peak Crossing.

Pederson Group Inc. of Phoenix developed the neighborhood shopping center last year northeast of Thompson Peak Parkway and Hayden Road.

With its new offerings, the shopping

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