**Terms and Conditions of participation**

All participants of the Clothes Swap must read the terms and conditions below prior to participating.

* **Clothes Swap Overview**

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| Event start time | Clothing drop off opens. Participants drop off up to six (6) items of clothing and/or accessories at Internal Street, Inverloch Community Hub.Tokens are provided in exchange for items; one token per item. |
| One hour after start time | Clothing swap commences.Clothing drop off closes.One token is valid in exchange for one item. |
| Event end time | Clothing swap concludes.Items remaining at the end of the Clothes Swap events will be donated to local Opportunity Shops. |

* **Conditions of participation**
1. Each participant may bring a maximum of 6 items. This includes a mixture of clothing and accessories; the total number of items cannot exceed 6.
2. **Clothes Swap** – this event will accept adults clothing and accessories only, no children’s clothing or accessories.
3. All body types and all genders are encouraged to participate in the swap. Clothing and accessories designed for male, female, adaptive and all body types are welcomed.
	1. There can be no guarantee that guests will find clothes in their sizes - it depends on what other guests bring. Accessories are included in the swap pool, so there should hopefully be something appealing for everyone.
4. Upon arrival at **Clothes Swap**, participants must deliver their garments and/or accessories to the **Clothes Swap** registration table in the Internal Street, Inverloch Community Hub.
5. Once garments and/or accessories have been surrendered to Inverloch Community House, the participant forfeits all ownership and possession of the garments and/or accessories.
6. Once garments and/or accessories have been surrendered to **Clothes Swap** the participant is entitled to one token per garment or accessory, regardless of perceived value of item.
7. All garments and accessories must be freshly washed, free from odours and stains, and in excellent condition when presented to the **Clothes Swap** registration table.
8. Clothes brought to swap must be of good quality and in good condition. Good quality means something you would happily gift to a friend.
	1. Clothes and/or accessories that do not meet these criteria will not be accepted into the swap.
9. Inverloch Community House reserves the right to reject garments and accessories if they are:
	1. stained, faded, worn out, pilled, damaged, ripped, torn, threadbare, present racist or offensive messages or are generally falling apart and not in a condition presentable for swapping.
* Decisions made by **Clothes Swap** staff and/or volunteers (Inverloch Community House) are final: discussion will not be entered into.
1. Inverloch Community House reserves the right to reject jewellery if the jewellery is:
	1. knotted, discoloured, missing stones or clasps are broken.
* Decisions made by **Clothes Swap** staff and/or volunteers (Inverloch Community House) are final, discussion will not be entered into.
1. Tokens are not redeemable for cash.
2. If tokens are lost, they cannot be replaced.
3. One token is valid for one garment or accessory, regardless of perceived value of item.
4. **Clothes Swap – Evening Session** will open at 7pm for garment/accessory drop-off and close at 8pm.  No garments or accessories will be accepted outside of these times.
	1. Participants in the **Clothes Swap – Afternoon Session** will be able to use their tokens to obtain garments and accessories from 8pm until 9pm.
	2. Any items remaining after 9pm will be donated to local Opportunity Shops.
5. Inverloch Community House cannot return items to participants once surrendered, even if the participant does not find another garment or accessory to swap.
	1. If an item has not already been claimed by another swapper, it is acceptable for a participant to use their token(s) to reclaim items that they personally contributed.
6. **Clothes Swap** WILL accept the following garments:
	1. tops
	2. jumpers
	3. knitwear
	4. pants/trousers
	5. skirts
	6. shorts
	7. dresses
	8. jumpsuits
	9. shirts
	10. jackets
	11. coats
	12. handbags
	13. scarves
	14. jewellery (necklaces, rings, bangles, bracelets)
	15. sunglasses
	16. hats
	17. shoes
	18. gloves/mittens
7. **Clothes Swap** will NOT accept:
	1. underwear
	2. socks
	3. tights
	4. stockings
	5. swimwear
	6. earrings
	7. reusable tote bags
	8. costumes
	9. thongs
	10. leggings
	11. activewear
	12. pyjamas
	13. backpacks
	14. luggage
	15. children’s clothing and shoes
	16. prescription glasses
8. Inverloch Community House is not liable for any damage caused by a garment or accessory.
9. Please treat our staff, volunteers and other swap participants with respect and kindness at all times.