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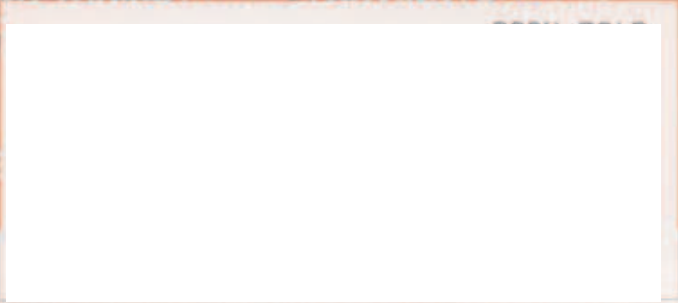
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# Donate for a discount

Various shops are rewarding customers for recycling an assortment of wares, from empty bottles to gently worn dresses. Here's how to cash in. By **Rachel LeWinter** Photos by **Jeff Gurwin**



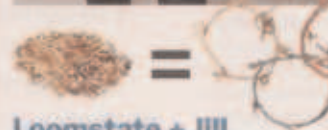
## Kiehl's

Instead of bringing used bottles, tubes and jars to the nearest recycling bin, drop your empty Kiehl's products at a Kiehl's store and trade them in for new products. The complimentary samples get progressively more generous as the number of depleted containers you turn in grows: Three empties secure a lip balm, five will get you a product from the travel collection, and ten lets you select any full-size product you want (up to a \$25 value). "Kiehl's has always used simple, recyclable packaging and encouraged our patrons to recycle," says Chris Salgado, president of Kiehl's USA. "So we hope this extra incentive will give them another reason to do so—not only when they shop at Kiehl's stores, but in their everyday lives as well." The odds program is ongoing, 109 Third Ave. between 13th and 14th Sts. (212-677-3171) • 154 Columbus Ave. between 66th and 67th Sts. (212-799-3438)



## Wink NYC

In our economy's current state, buyer's remorse is at an all-time high. While that's not a scientific fact, we bet you feel a tinge of guilt dropping dough on clothes you don't technically "need." Ilse Werther, who co-owns the trendy boutique Wink with her husband, feels your pain. "We wanted to help relieve the guilt of shopping by offering customers a way to feel better about updating their wardrobe," she says. Bring in a gently used dress—which will be donated to Housing Works—and receive a \$50 gift card toward a new Wink Collection frock. Promotion is ongoing, 155 Spring St. between West Broadway and Wooster St. (212-334-3646) • 188 Columbus Ave. between 68th and 69th Sts. (212-877-7272) • 1050 Lexington Ave. between 74th and 75th Sts. (212-249-2033)



## Loomstate + Jill Platner pop-up shop

Rogan Gregory, Scott Mackinlay Hahn and Jill Platner teamed up to launch this summer pop-up shop which features a limited-edition collection of intricate handmade jewelry and eco-friendly T-shirts for both genders. Bring in your old gold for recycling and receive a credit for Jill Platner's chic jewelry. The store will melt your biling and give you store credit for the market rate of its weight (minus a five percent handling fee). "You can get something new without spending anything," says Platner. "It's about the economy, the environment, recycling, cleaning out your closet—all good feelings," she adds. The pop-up shop is open now through the end of the summer, 113 Crosby St. between E Houston and Prince Sts. (212-324-1298, [jillplatner.com](http://jillplatner.com))

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## Timberland

If chunky, rugged hiking boots come to mind when you think of Timberland, you definitely haven't been to the legendary footwear shop lately. The store is packed full of chic styles that are just as easy on the eyes as they are on your tootsies. And now they're even easier on your wallet. Timberland is partnering with Soles4Souls ([soles4souls.org](http://soles4souls.org)) to provide free shoes to those in need. Customers can drop off any pair of gently worn kicks in exchange for 10 percent off any new pair of Timberlands. Whether you want a durable pair for hiking, or a dainty T-strap wedge—either style will leave you blister-free as you trek through the city. Promotion is ongoing, 474 Broadway between Broome and Grand Sts. (646-613-7292)

