



The Los Angeles Dream Center and Kohl's Department Store make back to school a thrilling time for L.A.'s inner-city youth by providing backpacks full of school supplies, clothes, medical & dental screenings, hair cuts, fun, music & more!

The Dream Center and Kohl's Department Store along with friends in the community are partnering together for the **Dream Center's Annual Back to School Bash.**

All will work together on one fun-filled day to provide backpacks overflowing with school supplies to children in great need and will help them go back to school ready for a chance to succeed.

The Back to School Bash will not only include backpacks full of school supplies, but also free dental screenings, haircuts, physicals, and clothing giveaways. This huge back to school party will be made complete with booths, food, bouncers, bike giveaways, games and live entertainment for inner-city kids.

- Who:** Dream Center and Kohl's Department Store and special appearance by Los Angeles Mayor Antonio Villaraigosa
- What:** Back to School Bash and backpack giveaway to kids in need
- When:** Saturday August 22, 2009
Backpack Giveaway from 12:15- 2:00pm
Back to School Event from 2:00pm-3:00pm
- Where:** Dream Center (media parking provided)
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About the Dream Center: The Dream Center's mission is to transform our inner city and the lives of those facing homelessness, poverty, or hopelessness. We offer opportunities and resources for at-risk youth, low-income individuals, and families to reach self-sufficiency by providing assistance in the areas of food, clothing, shelter, education, career development, and health care.

About Kohl's A-Team Volunteers: Through Kohl's A-Teams, they encourage Associates to volunteer their time to nonprofit activities focused on enriching the lives of children. In 2008, more than 64,000 Kohl's Associates volunteered more than 217,000 hours helping Kohl's donate nearly \$5.6 million to support their efforts.

For more information: www.dreamcenter.org - www.kohls.com