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LOCKER 505: STUDENTS CLOTHING BANK

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General Information:

- Service Hours
 Monday-Wednesday
 1:30pm-5:00pm
 Thursday
 1:30pm-5:30pm
- Donation Hours
 Monday-Wednesday
 1:00pm-5:30pm
 Thursday
 1:00pm-6:00pm
 Friday
 9:00am-1:00pm
- Physical Address
 6020 Constitution Ave. NE,
 Ste. 1
 Albuquerque, NM 87110
- Mailing Address
 P.O. Box 94735
 Albuquerque, NM 87199
- 505-294-1647
- www.locker505.org
- e Email: director@locker505.org
- Please contact us for referral forms, flyers, or with any other questions!

HELLO MAY

The common English proverb: March winds and April showers bring forth May flowers may not be entirely true here in NM, but it does remind us that during periods of change, new and beautiful things can emerge. A period of change we at Locker #505 are currently in is the expansion of our service area. We are not moving locations, just expanding the area we are already in to meet the needs of the stu-

dents and families who come through our doors. We are so excited to see this beautiful space come to life and encourage you all to come see it when we begin seeing students in August.

With this expansion we are in need of shelving units to hold all the clothes we will be storing. If you have shelving units you would like to donate, please contact us at director@locker505.org to arrange a time to drop them

off during the summer. We cannot wait to see what the 2018-2019 school year has in store!

Thank you all for a fantastic year – we hope you have a great summer!



A MESSAGE FROM THE DIRECTOR

From time to time when I am speaking to groups or even individuals about what we do at Locker # 505, people say to me "Thank you for what you do for our children." I can't take the credit though, it is YOU, the community, that brings in donations, that comes to our fundraisers, that volunteer for us, and that spreads the word about what we do that makes Locker # 505 what it is and has allowed us to grow over the last four years. In about a week we

will finish our 4th year of clothing students throughout Bernalillo County and have clothed more than 4300 students thus far and could not have done it without the community that has surrounded us with love and support. As you may know by now we have increased our space to close to 4000sq.ft. and again, we thank the community for making this possible. Thank you for your continued support both in-kind, financial

and emotional. Here's to a successful 5th year, 2018-2019.

Watch our website for updates, <u>locker505.org</u>.

Fondly,

Kim Kerschen

Director

Locker #505: Student's Clothing Bank

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Our last day of service for the 2017-2018 school year will be May 17th. If you have donations you would like to drop off during the summer please do so at the following locations:

 Aahsome Nails: 3006 Altez St. NE (near Moon & Candelaria) Star Bright Cleaners: 8000 Wyoming Blvd. NE B-8 (near Flying Star on Wyoming & Paseo Del Norte)

Our first day of service for the 2018-2019 school year will be August 22nd.

Remember, if you refer students, you will need to contact us at director@locker505.org for the newest referral forms. Referral forms will be available starting July 1st.





VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

If you know someone that is retiring and wants something to do that is extremely flexible have them contact us at director@locker505.org. We always need volunteers but are very flexible; you can work once a year, once a month or once a week. It is not demanding work, mostly assisting parents with sign in procedures and a bit of

restocking items. We are always happy to give a tour and show you what it is all about.

Locker # 505 depends greatly on volunteers, please come help us out.



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LOCKER #505 AT ISOTOPES PARK

Locker # 505 is also working some Isotopes games in the concessions and will receive a percentage of the profits. Again, we need volunteers to assist with these games. You must be at least 16, it is not difficult work, but we do keep busy. If you have an alcohol servers license, even better as we can use you as well. The following days we will be working:



May 23rd, June 2nd, June 18th, June 28th Day Game, July 5th, July 6th, July 21st, August 13th, and August 21st

All games start at 6:35pm except June 28th it starts at 12:05pm; volunteers must arrive 90 minutes prior to game time. Please contact the director at director@locker505.org if you are interested.

OUR CURRENT WISH LIST

- Shelving
- Legal Size Envelopes
- Uniform Shirts sizes 5-18
- Uniform Pants sizes 5-18

"The best way to find yourself is to lose yourself in the service of others."

Mahatma Gandhi

TIPS ON REFERRING STUDENTS

Counselors, nurses, parent liaisons, anyone referring students, please take note you will have to ask for the NEW referral form each year, we now have opening and closing dates on the referral forms. They will be available after July 1, 2018.

STAY UP TO DATE ON ALL THINGS LOCKER #505

For those of you who don't know, Locker #505 has recently had a "face lift" on our website! Please feel free to look for important dates and our service hours at www.locker505.org. On our website you

can also subscribe on how to do this, to our newsletters and access our past editions. To make sure you receive e-mails from us, please add the locker505.org domain to your safe sender list. For more information

please see your email provider or administrator.

Keep an eye out for our annual Stuff the Bus Clothing Drive in August!

