

# LOCKER #505

## STUDENTS CLOTHING BANK

### General Information

**Service Hours:**

Monday and Wednesday  
1:30pm-5:30pm  
Tuesday and Thursday  
2:30pm-6:30pm

**Donation Hours:**

Monday and Wednesday  
1:30pm-5:30pm  
Tuesday and Thursday  
2:30pm-6:30pm  
Friday  
9:00am-1:00pm

**Physical Address:**

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Albuquerque, NM 87110

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**Contact Information:**

director@locker505.org  
505-294-1647  
www.locker505.org

Please contact us for referral forms, flyers, or with any other questions!

## A Message from Our Director

Happy Holidays to all of you and as always **THANK YOU** for your support. Here are a few updates:

- We will be sending out our newsletter every other month this next year with updates from time to time.
- We will resume seeing students on **January 13th** after the Winter Break.
- This semester we have seen more than 1,100 students! For the

entire school year of 2018-2019 we saw 1,200 students! Needless to say it has been a very busy semester.

- You can go to **Amazon Smile** and support us during this holiday season and year round by going to <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/46-5765753>; a portion of your purchase will be given to Locker #505.

Enjoy your holiday with family and friends! We'll see you in 2020!

Fondly,  
Kim Kerschen  
Director  
Locker #505: Student's Clothing Bank



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## Our Current Wish List

As you are shopping for your holiday gifts, here are some items Locker #505 could use:

- Men's long sleeve shirts size small
- Girl's underwear (bikini cut) size 16
- Boy's and men's underwear (boxer briefs) in all sizes from 5-50
- Boy's short and long sleeve t-shirts sizes 5-12
- Junior girl's jeans/ leggings size 00-3
- Travel size toothpaste

## Locker #505: Students Clothing Bank

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

If you are able to volunteer or know someone who is, please have them contact our director, Kim Kerschen, at [director@locker505.org](mailto:director@locker505.org).

We have multiple shifts available throughout the week: Monday and Wednesdays 1:30 to 3:30 and 3:30 to 5:30; Tuesdays and Thursdays 2:30 to 4:30 and 4:30 to 6:30; Fridays anytime between 9 am and 1pm. You do need to have a background check from Albuquerque Public Schools. Please go to [aps.edu](http://aps.edu); it can be done online. If you have questions about duties of volunteers please call us at 505-294-1647. The main duties are assisting parents with paperwork and answering questions. Thank you for considering volunteering with Locker # 505.

## Scare-aton: Another Great Year!



The **7th Annual Scare-aton at the Sheraton Albuquerque Uptown** was a phenomenal success again this year, with more than 2,000 people attending and 38 rooms open for trick or treating. This fundraiser would not be possible without the wonderful staff at the Sheraton; thank you to each of you. There was also a carnival, a costume contest, face painting, food and lots of fun. A huge "thank you" goes out to the Shryock Family who again put together a scary haunted house; this has become a tradition for them and we greatly appreciate it.

## Yelp and Humble Coffee Partner to Support Locker #505

Yelp NM came together with Humble Coffee on Lomas giving away free coffee and encouraging customers to donate the amount of their purchase to Locker #505. People were in the giving spirit and it was a great fundraiser for us. We so appreciate businesses that are willing to support their community.



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### Socktober—Huge Hit!

Albuquerque Fire and Rescue, KOB, Channel 4 and the Albuquerque Community out did themselves by collecting more than 7,000 pairs of socks for the students of Bernalillo County. This will allow us to give 5 pairs of socks to more than 1,400 students. We have always known the Albuquerque Community cares about the children; this just proves they truly do care.



Special thanks to Chief Dow, Captain Armando Martinez, Lieutenant Tom Ruiz, from AFR and Eddie Garcia and Nicole San Roman from KOB, Channel 4 for all their efforts in making "Socktober" a huge success. Also our most sincere thank you to the men and women of the AFR who put their lives on the line everyday they go to work.

### Position Available

We are sad to announce that our wonderful employee, Annette, will be leaving us to return to school. Although we are excited for her and her new adventure, we are sorry to see her leave.

If you are interested in working part-time with us, please contact Kim Kerschen at

[director@locker505.org](mailto:director@locker505.org).

\*\*Some qualifications include being able to be on your feet for a long period of time and being able to lift 50 pounds; most importantly enjoy assisting children.

### 100 Pairs of Shoes to be donated to Locker #505 from the Lawrence Charles Vargas Memorial



Locker # 505: Students Clothing Bank will be gifted with 100 pairs of new shoes in 2020 from the Lawrence Charles Vargas Memorial: Shoes-For-Kids & Acts of Compassion. Lawrence Vargas was a young artist and innocent bystander who at the age of 23 was killed in a senseless act of violence in downtown Albuquerque, July 2008. The Vargas family has chosen to take this horrific adversity and channel it into positive outcomes for others. Their son was known for his random acts of kindness and loved to give shoes away. His father, Lawrence Vargas Senior is a well known artist and still sells his paintings to support this non-profit. We are fortunate to be chosen to receive shoes from this wonderful organization.

### Stay in the Know

If you know someone who would like to be on our newsletter list send them to our website [www.locker505.org](http://www.locker505.org) to subscribe to our newsletter. Friend us on Facebook and Follow us on Instagram to see all that we're doing!

