

## Los Ojos de la Familia 4th Annual Holiday Basket Give-Away

## **UNM Faculty and Students** Teaching and Encouraging Community Awareness



Professor Noorie Baig of University of New Mexico's Department of Communication & Journalism, held a project / contest for her Public Speaking class, called "Who Gets The Booty?", designed to practice delivering public speeches and to raise awareness for local charities. Each student donated \$5 to a class pot, then six different groups within the class researched and presented information on different local charities. After all presentations were given, a vote was cast, and the winning charity received the pot donated by the students. Ashley Lober, Jessica Hoehne, and Blythe Hunt decided to present on Los Ojos de la Familia. Their presentation won the vote of the class, and they donated the \$126 pot to Los Ojos de la Familia; which will go directly back into our community.

Thank you, UNM Students!

It is not too late to sponsor a family for the holidays.

We are still accepting family sponsorships, as well as any kind of donation for this event. Please call us at 505-362-6073 to see how you can be a part.

This project, which is going on its 4th year, has been in the works for the last six months. The process of gathering names, sponsors, and materials, calling and confirming nominations, planning delivery routes and vehicles, will finally culminate this Saturday, December 21, beginning at 8:00AM, at 100 Myers Rd

Please join us then, as we assemble our teams, load up the vehicles, and set out to bring Holiday cheer to hundreds of New Mexico families.

We will head out around 9:00am, and return to the Montoya property, where we will hold the raffle drawing for the 2001 Yamaha XVS, at 11:00am.

Tickets are still available for the raffle, so come by and get yours this week!





United Way Northern New Mexico



and we encourage you to consider asking that your donations go toward this charity.

<u>United Way Contribution Form</u>

Ask your benefits administrator how you can designate LODLF as your charity of choice.

For more information on our charity, visit our website:

<u>www.losojosdelafamilia.org</u>