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**ABA President Paulette Brown Visits
Seligman Branch Boys & Girls Club**

Albuquerque, N.M. — American Bar Association President Paulette Brown will visit the Seligman Branch Boys & Girls Club, 3333 Truman, NE, Albuquerque today, April 25, at 3:15 p.m. Earlier, President Brown attended and spoke at the Swearing-in Ceremony for new attorneys and events at the UNM School of Law.

The visit is part of her national initiative to expose young people to diversity and inclusion in the legal profession. During her term as president of the ABA, Brown has been inviting young lawyers and law students to join her for visits to local Boys & Girls Clubs across the country. As the first woman of color to lead the ABA in the Association's 136-year history, she understands that seeing a person of color in a leadership position makes a difference. [Read more about Paulette Brown.](#)

About Boys and Girls Clubs of Central New Mexico

Since 1952, Boys & Girls Clubs of Central New Mexico has provided at-risk children, between the ages of 5 and 18, with a safe place to learn and grow. Currently, the Clubs serve roughly 2,500 children in its six Albuquerque and Rio Rancho locations, providing them with state-of-the-art programming administered by highly-trained staff. Club members learn leadership skills, explore career opportunities and become healthy individuals who are ready to tackle tomorrow's challenges.

The State Bar of New Mexico was organized in 1886 and is composed of more than 9,000 members. Its purposes are to aid the courts in administering justice and preserving the rule of law, and to foster a high standard of integrity and competence within the legal profession.

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