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Richard Stockton College to Host Region's Largest Kwanzaa Celebration

Event takes place 7 p.m. on Friday, November 30

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Galloway Twp., NJ – The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey will once again host the region's largest Kwanzaa celebration. The event takes place **Friday November 30, 2007** and will be held in the I-Wing Gymnasium (the "old" gym) on the Galloway Township campus.

The event has been a part of Stockton's cultural tradition for 31 years and is believed to be the largest and oldest Kwanzaa celebration in Southern New Jersey. Given that final exams are held in December and the campus closes during the actual holidays, the event is always held as a "pre-Kwanzaa" celebration in late November.

This year for the first time the event has been organized and promoted exclusively by Stockton students. Among the evening's highlights will be poetry readings, storytelling, and entertainment featuring traditional African song and dance. A traditional Karamu feast will be served. The Afro-One Dance, Drama and Drum Theatre will present a spectacular, entertaining and colorful array of Kwanzaa festivities. Afro-One is now in its third decade of performing at the Stockton Kwanzaa event.

Cost is \$7 for the public and \$5 for students with ID. The Karamu feast is included in the admission price.

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