

## Stockton College's 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Legacy Bike Ride to Honor G. Larry James, Support Scholarships

Ride Through South Jersey's Scenic Pinelands Set for Saturday, June 7

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**Galloway Township, NJ -** Cyclists, recreational riders and community members will pedal the scenic roadways through southern New Jersey during The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey's 6<sup>th</sup> Annual G. Larry James Legacy Fund Bike Ride on **Saturday, June 7.** 

The ride will take place rain or shine, with 12-, 30- or 62-mile distance options, the last also known as a "metric century," or 100-kilometer ride. The course, which begins at Stockton, follows a flat, scenic route through the Pinelands. Registration begins at 6:45 a.m. at the Campus Center on the main Galloway campus, with the ride starting at 8 a.m.

Riders must wear a helmet. Road support is provided by the Tuckahoe Bike Shop. Registration, which includes a t-shirt, lunch and eligibility for door prizes, is \$30 before June 3 and \$40 after. This year, riders may opt to ride solo or get together with friends to ride and raise more funds. Proceeds benefit the G. Larry James Legacy Fund, which provides student scholarships. For those unable to ride, donations can be made online at <a href="https://www.stockton.edu/give">www.stockton.edu/give</a>.

The late G. Larry James, nicknamed "The Mighty Burner," was a longtime administrator at Stockton College and an Olympic gold and silver medalist. He won a gold medal as a member of the 1968 United States Olympic 4 x 400-meter relay team, which held the oldest running world record in the sport of Track and Field. He won a silver medal for the 400-meter event at the same Olympic Games in Mexico City. James was inducted into the National Track & Field Hall of Fame in 2003 and into Stockton's inaugural Athletics Hall of Fame in 2010.

For more information or to register online, <u>click</u> or visit Stockton.edu/legacybikeride.

Send mail registrations to: Craig Stambaugh, The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey, 101 Vera King Farris Drive, Galloway, NJ 08205. Make checks payable to: Richard Stockton College Foundation/Legacy Fund.