



# Richard Stockton College Homecoming Celebration 2010: Mardi Gras Madness

First Athletics Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony to Take Place Oct. 8

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**Galloway Township**, **NJ-** As soon as the fall semester takes flight, the mornings turn chilly and the colors outside begin to change–that's when it's time to start looking forward to one of the most anticipated weekends of the semester.

The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey's Homecoming 2010, themed Mardi Gras Madness, will kick off **Thursday October 7, 2010**.

A four-day schedule of activities is planned to give current and former students, family members and the College community the chance to reunite and celebrate the new school year. Special events are planned for Saturday, October 9, which is Family Day.

College President Dr. Herman J. Saatkamp, Jr. said, "This year we are delighted to announce the College's first Athletics Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony to honor our most distinguished student-athletes and coaches."

The Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony at the Carriage House in Galloway will begin at 6:00 p.m. on Friday, October 8, 2010. Tickets can be purchased through the Athletics Office, which can be reached at 609-652-4217. The following is a sampling of the events.

#### Thursday, October 7

- 10:00-2:00 p.m., Sports Center: Career Fair
- 8:00 p.m., Alton Auditorium: Stockton Myths and Legends–Founding faculty members and alumni share stories of Stockton's past and discuss the various myths and legends that have been passed down from one class to the next.

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#### Friday, October 8

- **6:00 p.m., Starts in the North Lot**: Homecoming Parade–The parade route ends at the prep rally, bonfire and crowning of the king and queen in the Housing 2/3 Quad.
- 6:00 p.m., The Carriage House: Athletics Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony

Inductees:

- Val Brown '85- Women's Basketball
- Carl Cochran '98- Men's Basketball
- Joe Eimer '97- Men's Soccer
- Hernan Maldonado '87- Men's Soccer
- Kim Marino '04- Track & Field
- Mike Mielke '86- Track & Field
- Aundrea Tilly '96- Women's Soccer
- G. Larry James- Distinguished Service
- Sue Newcomb- Coach

#### Saturday, October 9: Family Day

- **12:00-4:00 p.m., Parking Lot 5:** Mardi Gras Madness Carnival–The Office of Residential Life will also have a space set up in Parking Lot 5 to hold a Resident Assistant (RA) reunion.
- **4:30 p.m., Townsend Residential Life Center (TRLC)**: Parent and Family Association Reception
- 5:30-7:30 p.m., F-Wing Atrium: Professional Achievement Awards Celebration and Alumni and Faculty Reunite

Awardees:

- Dr. Matthew Guterl '93
  Professor, African American & African Diaspora Studies, Indiana University
- Ms. Ann Marie Pete '95, '08 Teacher of Autistic Students, Galloway School District
- Dr. Richard Maung '08 Owner & Physical Therapist, Achieve Physical Therapy & Fitness, LLC
- Dr. Ernest McDuffie '90 Leader of the National Initiative for Cybersecurity Education NIST, Information Technology Laboratory
- Dr. Roland Hagan '90
  Laboratory Researcher, Rutgers University
- Mr. Joseph D'Angelillio '74 Special Agent in Charge TSA Office of Law Enforcement, Federal Air Marshal Service
- Ms. Janice Cambron '79 Assistant Executive Director Seashore Gardens Living Center
- Dr. Brigid Harrison '87
  Professor of Political Science, Montclair University

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### Sunday, October 10

- **9:00 a.m., G. Larry James Stadium:** Stockton Alumni Legacy Fund Run/Walk (Registration takes place at 8:00 a.m.)
- 10:00 a.m., G. Larry James Stadium: Post-Race Awards Ceremony
- **2:00 p.m., Atlantic City**: National Vet-Aide Ice Hockey Game vs. Muhlenberg sponsored by the Student Veterans Organization. Hall of Famer Bernie Parent will sign copies of his new book before the game.

For more information and a complete schedule of events, please visit the Office of Student Development's Website <u>www.stockton.edu/studentdevelopment</u>.

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