

STOCKTON COLLEGE

THE RICHARD STOCKTON COLLEGE OF NEW JERSEY



7th Annual Stockton College Golf Classic Raises a Record Breaking \$70,000

Golfers Gathered in Support of Stockton Students

For Immediate Release

Monday, November 09, 2009

Contact: Tim Kelly
Susan Allen
Office of Public Relations
Galloway Township, NJ 08240
Tim.Kelly@stockton.edu
(609) 652-4950

Galloway Township, NJ- The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey Foundation recently held the 7th Annual Stockton College Golf Classic at Seaview Golf Club, a Troon Golf managed facility, in Galloway. Area golfers brought out their clubs and hit the course in support of Stockton students. This year's tournament raised a record breaking net of over \$70,000. Despite a slow economy, the tournament reached its highest level of success to date.

Over 160 golfers, the largest turnout ever, registered to play in the scramble format tournament. The event included a lunch, cocktail hour, dinner buffet, awards ceremony, raffles, and silent auction at the Seaview Resort and Spa. In addition to the tournament, other contests included beat the pro, hole-in-one, longest drive (men and women), closest to the pin, and putting.

The 3rd Annual Corona Cup, sponsored by Kramer Beverage Company and Corona, was awarded to the "Top Low Gross" and "Top Net" foursomes. The "Top Low Gross" foursome included Bill O'Leary and Kevin Hughes, Longview Construction; Rich Kenderian, KZA Engineering; and Thomas Lepera, Prudential Fox and Roach. The "Top Net" foursome, representing KS Engineering, included Rich Smith, Eileen DallaVolle, Jeff Clark, and Mike Apt.

The Golf Classic is made possible by the multitude and diversity of community members who support the ever expanding event. The tournament's Presenting Sponsor was NBC 40, and the Co-Chairs for the Golf Committee were Brian Krueger, proprietor of Carrabba's Italian Grill in Egg Harbor Township; Bonnie Putterman, Esq. '85, member of the Stockton College Foundation's Board of Directors; and Robin Stoloff, Health Reporter for NBC 40. The Tournament Sponsors were Kramer Beverage Company and Corona, Marathon Engineering and Environmental Services, and Skanska USA Building. Luncheon Sponsors were The Gibson Tarquini Group, Pennsylvania Trust, Pepsi Bottling Group, The Press of Atlantic City, T.N. Ward Company, and WPCS International Incorporated. Chartwells was the Putting

-more-

Stockton Golf Classic Raises Over \$70,000/ page 2

Sponsor, and Green Sponsors included APG-International Incorporated, Carrabba's Italian Grill, Diversified Millwork, Inc., Fletcher Thompson Architecture Engineering, Gayle and Howard Gross, Historic Towne of Smithville, Quantum Capital Management, L.L.C., and Tropicana Casino and Resort. Clubhouse Sponsors were B.J. McGlone and Co., Inc., Burlington County Times, Glenn Insurance Company, J. Palermo Masonry, Inc., Mid-Atlantic Steel, L.L.C., and Source One Furniture, L.L.C. Also, there were many other contributors and hole sponsors.

Atlantic Auto Group and Precision Cars of Atlantic City sponsored Hole-in-One cars, while Carrabba's Italian Grille of EHT sponsored a Million Dollar Hole-in-One contest.

"I am consistently impressed by the members of this community," said Dawn Kanaan Hans, Stockton's Interim Chief Development Officer and Executive Director for the Stockton College Foundation. "Both on and off Stockton's campus, everyone worked together to make this year's Golf Classic the most successful yet. The committee, our supporters, local businesses, Stockton's softball team, offices across campus, my colleagues and the team at Seaview worked countless hours preparing for the outing. When you have this kind of turnout and the golfers enjoy themselves while supporting a worthy cause, everyone wins. We are very grateful to our generous donors and dedicated volunteers."

The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey Foundation was established in 1972 by friends of the College to provide for the financial needs of Stockton College. The Stockton College Foundation has been designated by the Board of Trustees of Stockton College to solicit, receive, hold and manage funds and property on behalf of the College.

The scholarship program, made possible by both College funding and private donations to the Stockton College Foundation, provides awards to outstanding freshmen, upperclassmen and graduate students. Awards to upperclassmen and graduate students are determined by a presidential-appointed Scholarship Selection Committee. This Committee includes representatives of the faculty, administration, and Board of Directors of the Stockton College Foundation. Students may apply to the Scholarship Program on an annual basis. Successful applicants exhibit high academic achievement as well as leadership and service to the College and community. Award recipients maintain a minimum grade point average of 3.0 and are fully matriculated students.

#