

Stockton to Open Anne Azeez Hall in Woodbine

Ceremony at College's First Cape May County Instructional Site April 29

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Galloway Township, NJ- The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey will formally open its first instructional site in Cape May County at 10 a.m. Monday, April 29, 2013 at the Anne Azeez Hall in Woodbine.

The new facility is a 2,800-square-foot addition to the Sam Azeez Museum of Woodbine Heritage of Stockton, located at 610 Washington Ave.

Anne Azeez Hall includes two state-of-the-art, electronic classrooms, one of which holds 20-25 students and instructor; the other holds 35. When the dividing wall is open between the two, the multipurpose space can accommodate groups of 55 to 60.

The Stockton community will be joined by Michael Azeez and members of the Azeez family, local and state officials and other guests for the ribbon-cutting ceremony and reception to celebrate completion and formal opening of the hall.

Special guests at the ceremony will include: Stockton College President Herman Saatkamp; Dean Pappas, vice chair, Board of Trustees; Dr. Harvey Kesselman, provost and executive vice president of the college; Michael Azeez, founder of the Sam Azeez Museum of Woodbine Heritage and president of Unitel Wireless; state Sen. Jeff Van Drew (D-1), William Pikolycky, mayor of Woodbine; Gerald M. Thornton, director, Cape May County Board of Chosen Freeholders; Dr. Rodger Jackson and Dr. Michelle McDonald, incoming president and vice president of the Stockton Faculty Senate; Maribeth Capelli, chair of the Stockton Student Senate's Student Welfare committee; Eduardo Ortiz, president, Woodbine Borough Council and Michael Benson, Woodbine councilman and member of one of the founding families of Woodbine.

The event is open to the public; however, attendees are asked to RSVP to the Stockton College President's Office at 609-652-4521.

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