Media Advisory: Black History Month Flag Raising Ceremony to Take Place Tomorrow

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Galloway Township, NJ- A flag raising ceremony will be held at The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey tomorrow, **Tuesday, February 8, 2011**, at **11:00 a.m.**, in celebration of Black History Month.

The flag raising, originally scheduled for last Tuesday, was cancelled due to the weather conditions. The rescheduled ceremony will take place outdoors around the circle in front of the Arts and Sciences Building.

Students, faculty and staff will gather outside to watch as the tri-colored Pan-African flag is raised. The flag originated as a symbol of the African people and was created by the Universal Negro Improvement Association and African Communities League (UNIA-ACL).

The ceremony's keynote speaker will be Pedro Santana, dean of students. Immediately following the flag raising, participants are invited for refreshments in the upper A-Wing gallery.

The ceremony will be hosted by the College's Unified Black Students Society (UBSS).