

Take a Ride in the Pines on Saturday, June 4 in G. Larry James Legacy Fund Bike Ride at Stockton

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Galloway, N.J. - Cyclists, recreational riders and community members will have the opportunity to pedal through the scenic Pinelands for scholarships at Stockton University's 8th Annual G. Larry James Legacy Fund Bike Ride on **Saturday, June 4**.

Online registration, information and a course map are all available at www.stockton.edu/legacybikeride. If registering on the day of the event, registration will open at 6:45 a.m. in Parking Lot #1 on the main Galloway Campus, with the ride starting at 8 a.m.

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 a 100-kilometer ride. Riders must wear helmets.

Registration is \$40 (or \$70 for two riders) by Thursday, June 2, \$45 after. A brand new Fuji Roubaix 1.3 road bike will be raffled, courtesy of Tuckahoe Bike Shop in Tuckahoe. Raffle tickets can be purchased for \$5 each on site.

Net proceeds will benefit the G. Larry James Legacy Endowed Scholarship Fund. Road support is provided by the Tuckahoe Bike Shop and Beacon Cycling. Lunch is provided courtesy of the Stockton Alumni Association.

The late G. Larry James, nicknamed "The Mighty Burner," was a longtime administrator at Stockton 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.

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