Stockton’s Kramer Hall Presents ‘Latin Night’ for Hammonton’s August Third Thursday

Salsa Dancing, Interactive Painting and Display on Mexican Aviator Who Crashed in Pinelands to be Featured at Aug. 21 Event

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Galloway Township, NJ- The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey’s Kramer Hall instructional site will host “Latin Night” for Hammonton’s August Third Thursday.

The event will take place on Thursday, Aug. 21, 2014 at Kramer Hall’s Noyes Art Gallery located at 30 Front St. in Hammonton from 6 to 8 p.m.

Dr. Tait Chirenje, associate professor of Environmental Studies, will give a salsa dance demonstration as well as lessons, while Stockton student Evan Cohn performs Latin-style drumming.

Undercover Artist will guide guests step-by-step in creating a “Fiesta Musica” painting.

Lines on the Pines, a group that celebrates New Jersey’s Pinelands, has invited the Emilio Carranza Memorial Committee to share the history of the aviator nicknamed the Lindbergh of Mexico. Carranza was killed when his plane went down in a thunderstorm over the Pinelands in 1928. Pieces of Carranza’s aircraft will be on display for visitors to touch, along with vintage news articles of his crash, which was seen by eyewitnesses from Tabernacle and New Gretna. The movie “Flying with Emilio” will be screened, and several members of Mount Holly Post 11 of the American Legion, which holds a memorial service for Carranza every year, will be present to answer questions.

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