

# STOCKTON COLLEGE

THE RICHARD STOCKTON COLLEGE OF NEW JERSEY



## **Stockton Plans to Upgrade and Improve Facilities at Historic Seaview Resort**

Construction Projects Involve Most Major Areas of Property;  
Upgrades Seen as “Rebirth” of Iconic Resort

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**GALLOWAY TWP NJ-** The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey projects to upgrade and improve the historic Seaview Resort it purchased in 2011 over a two-year period.

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“When Seaview reopens next spring, the transformation will be tantamount to a rebirth of this historic southern New Jersey icon,” said Stephen Prakash, Seaview Resort’s general manager. “The winter season offers a great opportunity to accomplish several planned improvements in a compressed time period and will ultimately improve our competitive position.”

Dr. Saatkamp said Stockton and Dolce are coordinating efforts to ensure Seaview will advance the educational mission of the College while serving the needs of its hotel and golf course guests.

As per usual, the Bay Course remains open on a year-round basis, weather permitting. The Pines Course annually closes from early November through mid-March, depending on the weather.

Special care also has been taken to reduce the impact on Seaview associates. A small contingent of staff will remain on duty to provide security, maintenance, accounting, administration and sales support. The remainder will be temporarily furloughed during most of the construction but will be eligible for unemployment.

Group functions will be relocated to the three closest Dolce properties: Dolce Valley Forge in King of Prussia, Pa.; Dolce Basking Ridge in Basking Ridge, N.J.; and The William F. Bolger Center for Leadership Development in Potomac, Md. Traditionally, there is little group activity at Seaview during the January-March period.

“The building’s historic and unique design and architectural integrity will be respected throughout the process,” said Matt Altier, Stockton’s vice president of Administration and Finance.

Stockton College finalized its purchase of the historic property on Sept. 1.

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