

BLACK HISTORY MONTH 2024

The Underground Railroad
Museum of Burlington County

presents

A Celebration of Local Iconic Heroes/Sheroes



Join us in this **FREE** event as we honor our history makers and their families:

James Chaney – American Civil Rights Activist and Martyr during the turbulent Freedom Summer of 1964

Chief Payton Flournoy – First African American Chief of Police in the Nation, Palmyra, NJ

Franco Harris – NFL Hall of Famer, Pittsburgh Steeler; Acclaimed Public Servant;
Rancocas Valley HS Graduate, Mt Holly, NJ

Carl Lewis – Nine-time Olympic Gold Medalist in Track and Field; Willingboro HS Graduate, Willingboro, NJ

Honorable Eugene Stafford – First Black Mayor and Police Chief, Mount Holly, NJ

6888th Central Postal Directory Battalion – A WWII African American WACs Battalion;
Disbanded at Fort Dix Army Base upon return to the United States



Friday, February 23, 2024

6 – 9 pm (doors open at 5 pm)

Rowan College at Burlington County Votta Hall Auditorium

900 College Circle, Mount Laurel, NJ 08054



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that connect the past with the present...”*

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