

## Calendar of Events

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- June 10, 2026  
**Juneteenth Innovation Expo**  
**Doubletree by Hilton Cherry Hill Philadelphia**  
**2349 Malton Park West**  
**Cherry Hill, NJ 08002**  
09:00 AM - 06:00 PM EST
- June 13, 2025  
- May 15, 2026  
**Rare Non-Canonical and Banned (RNB) Book Club**  
**Discuss and networking schedule to be announced**  
06:00 PM - 07:30 PM EST  
Pauline Lloyd, 6099022068  
info@islaywalden.org  
*This members-only RNB Book Club critically examines the literary legacies of Dr. Martin Luther and Coretta Scott King. Moving past DEI and empty promises. RNB Book Club members will examine the lessons learned from the Civil Rights Movement and review the legacy blueprints for economic empowerment. Every book has a message, and every message has a song.*
- May 12, 2026  
**Monmouth County Community Conversation with Dr. John E. Harmon, Sr.**  
**St. Stephen AME Zion church**  
**1001 Springwood Avenue**  
**Asbury Park, NJ**  
05:30 PM - 07:30 PM EST  
*Join us for a candid, Community Conversation on Equity & Opportunity with Dr. John E. Harmon, Sr., Founder, President & CEO of the African American Chamber of Commerce of NJ-What's Holding Us Back-and How AACCNJ Can Help You Move Forward.*
- May 12, 2026  
**A Monmouth County Conversation**  
**Saint Stephen AME Zion Church**  
**1001 Springwood Ave**  
**Asbury Park, NJ 07712**  
05:30 PM - 07:30 PM EST  
Carmen Gates,  
cgates@aaccnj.com
- May 14, 2026  
**Women Who Empower Awards Luncheon**  
**Princeton Marriott at Forrestal**  
**100 College Rd E**  
**Princeton, NJ 08540**  
11:30 AM - 02:00 PM EST  
Jacqueline Baptiste, 6095711620  
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- July 9, 2026
- Educators of Color Symposium 2026**  
**Crowne Plaza Princeton - Conference Center**  
**900 Scudders Mill Rd**  
**Plainsboro Township, NJ 08536**  
08:00 AM - 04:00 PM EST  
Carmen Gates,  
cgates@aaccnj.com
- July 9, 2026
- Educators of Color Symposium 2026**  
**Crowne Plaza-Princeton Conference Center**  
**Scudders Mill Road**  
**Plainsboro, NJ**  
08:00 AM - 04:00 PM EST  
*The Educators of Color Symposium (EoC) 2026 will convene educators, school leaders, and emerging leaders committed to strengthening schools through intentional, evidence-based leadership practices. The symposium will bring together 300+ educators and leaders from across the region for a day of professional learning, dialogue, and networking focused on sustainable school improvement.*  
Click here to register [https://mms.aaccnj.com/Calendar/moreinfo.php?org\\_id=AANJ&eventid=562219](https://mms.aaccnj.com/Calendar/moreinfo.php?org_id=AANJ&eventid=562219)
- July 20, 2026
- Annual Golf classic**  
**Fiddler's Elbow Country Club**  
**811 Rattlesnake Bridge Rd #2824**  
**Bedminster,, NJ 07921**  
07:30 AM - 04:00 PM EST  
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- August 7, 2026  
- August 15, 2026
- MVAFFF**  
**African American Chamber of Commerce NJ**  
**379 West State Street**  
**Trenton, NJ 08618**  
09:00 AM - 05:00 PM EST
- September 17, 2026
- 16th Annual Business Leadership Conference**  
**Princeton Marriott at Forresteral**  
**100 College Rd E**  
**Princeton, NJ 08540**  
09:00 AM - 03:00 PM EST  
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- October 8, 2026
- 16th Annual Corporate Awards Dinner**  
**Princeton Marriott at Forresteral**  
**100 College Rd E**  
**Princeton, NJ 08540**  
06:00 PM - 09:30 PM EST  
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November 17, 2026

**Party With A Purpose**  
**Hard Rock Hotel & Casino Atlantic City, Brighton Ballroom**  
**1000 Boardwalk**  
**Atlantic City, NJ 08401**  
03:00 PM - 06:00 PM EST  
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November 17, 2026

**8th Annual Party With A Purpose**  
**Hard Rock Hotel & Casino Atlantic City, Brighton Ballroom**  
**1000 Boardwalk**  
**Atlantic City, NJ 08401**  
03:00 PM - 06:00 PM EST  
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December 9, 2026

**Holiday Mixer & Annual Meeting**  
**Princeton Marriott at Forrestal**  
**100 College Rd E**  
**Princeton, NJ 08540**  
06:00 PM - 09:00 PM EST  
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December 9, 2026

**2026 Holiday Mixer & Meeting**  
**Princeton Marriott at Forrestal**  
**100 College Rd E**  
**Princeton, NJ 08540**  
06:00 PM - 09:00 PM EST  
Jayme Rittenburg, 6095711620  
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December 9, 2026

**2026 Holiday Mixer & Meeting**  
**Princeton Marriott at Forrestal**  
**100 College Rd E**  
**Princeton, NJ 08540**  
06:00 PM - 09:00 PM EST  
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