

# WELCOME TO FINANCIAL AID NIGHT

## For Middle and High School Parents



**JANUARY 21, 2009**

**(7:00PM—8:40PM)**

*Upon arrival, participants will be given a rotation card for the breakout sessions and are then to proceed to the high school Theatre to watch a high school to post secondary transition video produced by Mrs. Julia Martin and including conversations with several South Fayette 2007 Graduates and their individual post high school transitions.*

### **Agenda:**

**7:00—7:20PM, Keynote Speaker, Mr. Carl Buzzeo; Financial Planner**  
*(This session focuses on helping middle and high school parents best prepare financially for post secondary tuition costs)*

### **Breakout Sessions:\***

**“A” (7:25-7:50PM)**

**“B” (7:55-8:15PM)**

**“C” (8:20-8:40PM)**

### **Topics-Rooms-Presenters**

**Financial Aid** – Theatre- Ms. Stephanie DeMaro, Financial Aid Officer, PSU to discuss general FAFSA, PHEAA, Grants and Loans information that would apply to any college, university or trade/technical school.

**College Admissions** – Room AB 225 – Mrs. Julia Osekowski, PSU Admissions and Mr. Kevin Sutter, SFHS Guidance Counselor. The information will apply to any college, university or trade/technical school.

**Scholarship Search Tips** – Band Room – Mrs. Chris Lane, SFHS Guidance Counselor and Ms. Maureen Pedzwater Post Secondary Transition Coordinator.

**CONCLUSION: 8:40PM**

\*All parents/guardians will be given a session rotation card upon entering the Theatre with their unique rotation schedule so that everyone will be able to attend all presentations. **Middle school parents/guardians will also be given the breakout rotation cards; however they may find the most important information at this point in preparing for their child's post secondary path is the Keynote Speaker and his financial planning session.**