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SSC Foundation seeks support for “The Run for the Scholarships”

SOUTH HOLLAND, IL – Each year the South Suburban College Foundation (SSCF) has an annual gala event from which all proceeds support academic scholarships and technology improvements for SSC students. In 2010, over \$125,000 in scholarship funds were awarded by the SSCF to help students to begin or continue their college education.

The SSCF is now seeking support with “The Run for the Scholarships” coming to the Tinley Park Convention Center on Friday, May 6, 2011. The public is invited to attend the Kentucky Derby themed fundraiser, and Sponsorship and Auction Donations are additional ways to support this important cause.

Tickets are now available for \$125 each. The event begins at 6:30 p.m., and features an Open Bar and buffet style dinner, silent auction, dancing, and the outstanding music of *The Connexion Band*. The sponsorship opportunities are as follows:

- **\$2,000 “Front Runner” Sponsor**
Scholarship Naming Rights, Sponsor Announced at the Gala, Logo with Link to Sponsor Website, Recognition on Sponsor Board and Auction Book
- **\$1,000 “Winners Circle” Sponsor**
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- **\$500 “Place” Sponsor**
Logo with Link to Sponsor Website, Recognition on Sponsor Board and Auction Book
- **\$300 “Show” Sponsor**
Recognition on Sponsor Board and Auction Book

The Foundation Staff is happy to pick up donations for auction. Sponsorships and auction donations are 100% TAX-DEDUCTIBLE.

The SSC Foundation is a philanthropic, not-for-profit organization governed by a Board of Directors composed of 29 of the south suburban area's finest business, civic and community leaders. The Foundation has now awarded over \$1,000,000 in scholarships since 1989.

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