

# Poway Unified School District

**COLLEGE FAIR**

**OCTOBER 23, 2007 at Mt. Carmel**

## **Middle School Q&A**

*Sponsored by PUSD and Palomar Council PTA*

**What is a College Fair?** It is an opportunity for students and parents to meet with College Reps to answer questions and gather information about colleges they may be interested in.

### **What is the date of the PUSD College Fair?**

It will take place on Tuesday, October 23<sup>rd</sup> from 5:30pm to 8:30pm. Workshops will take place from 5:30pm to 6:30pm. The workshops will be about financial aid, community colleges and pathways to four-year colleges, highly selective colleges, colleges in western states with financial allowances, and athlete information. From 6:30pm to 8:30pm, students and parents will be able to meet with the College Representatives from 100 colleges.

**What is the location of the College Fair?** It will take place in the Mt. Carmel High School Gymnasium. The workshops will take place in the classrooms near the gym.

**Who is invited to the College Fair?** All PUSD high school and middle school students, as well as their parents, are invited to attend the College Fair.

**How will this College Fair be pertinent to 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> or 8<sup>th</sup> graders who really don't have any idea what college they would like to attend?** This Fair will be a good start for 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders and their parents to see the various types of colleges and opportunities there are. You won't leave this Fair knowing exactly what college you wish to attend (that is a much longer and complex process), but it will give you some options and expose you to some colleges you aren't familiar with. It will also give you an idea of what types of classes need to be taken in high school.

**Are all of the College Reps going to be representing four- year institutions?** Representatives from community colleges, technical and vocational schools will also be attending. Palomar College, Marymount College, National Polytechnic College, California School of Culinary Arts, ITT Technical Institute SD, and Les Roches Swiss Hotel School of Hotel Management are sending representatives to our College Fair.

### **Are these College Reps really College Admissions personnel?**

Some of the schools are sending personnel from their Admissions Office while other schools are sending Alumni representatives. Alumni reps receive training from their college, before representing their alma mater at College Fairs.

**For more information or if you have questions not listed here:** Contact College Fair Coordinator, Colleen Salzetti, at [pusdcollegefair@san.rr.com](mailto:pusdcollegefair@san.rr.com)