

Office for Financial Success – Financial Tip of the Week
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Safeguard Your Savings – Summer 2009

Our Family Financial Education Extension Specialists have teamed with both the Office of the Missouri Secretary of State and the Investor Protection Trust to present investor education workshops entitled, “Safeguard Your Savings”. The programs are designed to be introductory and attempt to take some of the mystique out of investing, while helping people avoid some of the common pitfalls. Of course, no presentation on investing would be complete without some time being spent on recognizing scams and rip-offs that exist in this market – especially during times when people are desperate to recoup the losses of the past year.

If there is a Family Financial Extension Specialists in your region of the state, there is probably a program for you to attend. The schedule is posted below or you can always find updates on this and other extension programs on the [Human Environmental Sciences Extension](#) website. Take some time this summer to invest in yourself. Learning always has a positive return for your family’s success, in addition to your *finances*.

Marshall

Safeguard Your Savings

Open to the public

Date: October 27, 2009

Time: 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM

Location: Saline County Extension Center

For more information, contact: Cynthia Crawford at 660-886-6908 or crawfordc@missouri.edu.

Jefferson City

Safeguard Your Savings

Held for Osher Lifelong Learning Center

Date: 4 sessions, Mondays, June 8 - June 29, 2009

Time: 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM

Location: Older Americans Klub (OAK)

For more information, contact: Jamie Thompson at the Cole County Extension Center, 573-634-2824.

Houston

Safeguard Your Savings

Held for South Central Region FNEP

Date: June 11, 2009

Time: To be determined

Location:

For more information, contact: Chantae Alfred at 573-458-6260 or alfredc@missouri.edu.

Mt. Vernon

Safeguard Your Savings

Held for Southwest Missouri Region faculty

Date: August 18, 2009

Time: To be determined

Location: Southwest Research Center (tentative)

For more information, contact: Janet LaFon at 417-358-2158 or lafonj@missouri.edu or Annette FitzGerald at 417-546-4431 or fitzgeralda@missouri.edu.

Savannah

Safeguard Your Savings

Held for Northwest Missouri Region faculty/staff

Date: August 18, 2009

Time: To be determined

Location: To be determined

For more information, contact: Dr. Rebecca J. Travnichek at 816-324-3147 or travnichekr@missouri.edu.

Safeguard Your Savings

Open to the public

Date: August 25, 2009

Time: 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM

Location: Andrew County Courthouse Basement

For more information, contact: Dr. Rebecca J. Travnichek at 816-324-3147 or travnichekr@missouri.edu.

Sedalia

Held for Center for Human Services staff

Date: August 21, 2009

Time: 1:00 PM - 3:30 PM

Location: Center for Human Services

For more information, contact: Cynthia Crawford at 660-886-6908 or crawfordc@missouri.edu.

Jefferson County

Safeguard Your Savings

Open to the public

Date: August 22, 2009

Time: 9:30 AM

Location:

For more information, contact: Michael Ravenscraft at 636-797-5391 or ravenscraftmr@missouri.edu or Suzanne Gellman at 636-970-3000 or gellmans@missouri.edu.

St. Charles

Safeguard Your Savings

Open to the public

Date: September 26, 2009

Time: 9:00 AM

Location: St. Charles Extension Center

For more information, contact: Michael Ravenscraft at 636-797-5391 or ravenscraftmr@missouri.edu or Suzanne Gellman at 636-970-3000 or gellmans@missouri.edu.

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Safeguard Your Savings

Open to the public

Date: October 12, 2009

Time: 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM

Location: Barry-Lawrence Regional Library

For more information, contact: Janet LaFon at 417-358-2158 or lafonj@missouri.edu.

Harrisonville

Safeguard Your Savings

Held for Adult & Continuing Education class

Date: October 13, 2009

Time: 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Location: Cass Career Center

For more information, contact: Carole Bozworth at 816-482-5850 or bozworthc@missouri.edu.

Safeguard Your Savings

Held for Adult & Continuing Education class

Date: October 20, 2009

Time: 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Location: Cass Career Center

For more information, contact: Carole Bozworth at 816-482-5850 or bozworthc@missouri.edu.

St. Louis County

Safeguard Your Savings

Open to the public

Date: November 7, 2009

Time: 9:30 AM

Location:

For more information, contact: Michael Ravenscraft at 636-797-5391 or ravenscraftmr@missouri.edu or Suzanne Gellman at 636-970-3000 or gellmans@missouri.edu.

Other programs of interest, incorporating much of Safeguard Your Savings:

How to Beat the High Cost of Living

Open to the public

Date: June 30, 2009

Time: 7:30 AM - 10:00 AM

Location: Saline County Extension Center

For more information, contact: Cynthia Crawford at 660-886-6908 or crawfordc@missouri.edu.

- Robert O. Weagley, Ph.D., CFP(r)

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