



# Suffolk County Celiacs

Support and Awareness Group -A branch of the Gluten Intolerance Group

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Hello!

We are writing to you as the executive board for the Suffolk County Celiacs (SCC). We are a not-for-profit Celiac Disease Support group here on Long Island, NY and are a local branch of The Gluten Intolerance Group (GIG- [www.gluten.net](http://www.gluten.net) ). SCC holds a "Gluten-Free Vendor Fair and Fundraiser" event to raise money for Celiac Disease research, community awareness and the education of the medical community, through the research and programs of The Celiac Disease Center at Columbia University and the Gluten Intolerance Group (GIG).

This year's event promises to be our biggest and best event yet! This will be our first **TWO** day event. Our venue is scheduled to be held in August at the IBEW Hall in Hauppauge, New York.

We are currently seeking sponsors and vendors. Vendor information was sent last week and can also be found on our website at [www.SuffolkCountyCeliacs.org](http://www.SuffolkCountyCeliacs.org). In addition to being a vendor, we are also hoping that you would consider becoming a sponsor of this wonderful event. **As an excellent company that recognizes the need to provide safe and delicious gluten-free food, we hope that you will consider one of the sponsorship levels below.** The Suffolk County Celiac Vendor Fair and Fundraiser is the largest Gluten-Free vendor fair in the Northeast!

This year we decided to make the Fair a two day event and expect well over 2,000 attendees over the two day period. Our fair drew in attendees from the NY, NJ, and CT areas, not just Long Island! Remember, each one of the attendees is keenly interested in Gluten-Free Products. They are attending to sample and **BUY** your products!

**Proceeds from the event will be used to fund basic research on Celiac Disease through the Celiac Disease Center at Columbia University and GIG, educate the medical and general communities concerning Celiac Disease and help Celiac suffers with proper treatment with gluten free diets and medication.**

Sponsorship for this year's TWO day event is as follows:

**Suffolk County Celiacs Gluten-Free Vendor Fair and Fundraiser  
August 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup>, 2010**

**Sponsorship Levels:**

**PLATINUM - \$10,000** *(includes sponsor listing signage at the event & **FULL page ad** in the Event Journal)\**

**GOLD- \$5,000-** *(includes sponsor listing signage at the event & **FULL page ad** in the Event Journal)\**

**SILVER- \$2,500** *(includes sponsor listing signage at the event & **FULL page ad** in the Event Journal)\**

**BRONZE- \$1,000** *(includes sponsor listing signage at the event & **Half page ad** in the Event Journal)\**

**SUPPORTER- \$500** *(includes sponsor listing signage at the event & **Half page ad** in the Event Journal)\**

**FRIENDS- \$250** *(includes sponsor listing in the Event Journal)\**

*\*Event Journals will be handed out to all attendees of event*

We hope you will consider becoming a sponsor of this fabulous event that raises money for Celiac Disease research and outreach. I have attached a sponsor donation form for your use. Please contact me at the number or email address below if you have any questions.

Thank you for your consideration. We look forward to seeing you at the Fair in August!

Sincerely,



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