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With the start of summer upon us, we thought we'd give you all a quick update on what's happening here at the CFCR. But first off, we'd like to thank everyone who has generously supported the Center for Celiac Research (CFCR) by making a donation towards our Annual Fund. With these current economic times, every donation is crucial because it is support like yours that keeps this remarkable research center running. And for those you who have not had a chance to donate, there is still time! Our annual fund campaign continues to be an important part of the Center as it provides unrestricted support for its operation.

As for what's going on at the CFCR right now, here is an update of our events. We are finishing up the 8<sup>th</sup> International Run/Walk for Celiac Disease in all participating cities across the country. Thanks to everyone who participated in their local run/walk! The new "technical" t-shirts were a BIG hit here at the Baltimore event, which means there is a possibility they will be available to all run/walk events next year. In addition, we had a 10K run and that too will be returning in 2010. The *Chip in for Celiac* golf tournament has expanded into other states this year. On May 15<sup>th</sup>, Connecticut had its first at Whitney Farms Golf Course and on June 30<sup>th</sup>, Iowa will have its first *Chip in for Celiac*. Other upcoming events this fall include the Maryland *Chip in for Celiac* golf tournament Tuesday October 6<sup>th</sup> at Cattail Creek Country Club, and "An Extraordinary Italian Event" October 22<sup>nd</sup>. This Italian event will feature a delicious gluten-free dinner and beautiful artwork and ceramics by Italian artists, some of which may attend. There will be a special surprise pertaining to the CFCR too! Please join us for one or both of these great events! For those of you who have not been able to visit the CFCR, these upcoming events may provide an opportunity to see this astounding research facility in person and learn more about what we do. Visit our website [www.celiaccenter.org](http://www.celiaccenter.org) for more information.

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