



# Suffolk County Celiacs

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

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Welcome !

The Suffolk County Celiacs (SCC) is proud to announce the 5<sup>th</sup> Suffolk County Celiac Vendor Fair. Those of you that were sponsors or vendors in 2010 know we also printed a Vendor Fair Resource Guide. It has proven to be a Guide/Journal that was used by the attendees throughout the years and has been requested by many newly diagnosed people with Celiac Disease and gluten intolerance. Because of its success, this year we are again printing the guide/Journal and adding additional articles about gluten free living; a restaurant guide; our Getting Started Information Guide; and of course advertisements from our vendors and gluten free suppliers. We are sure it will be used throughout the year as a resource for many.

As in past years, the "Gluten-Free Fair and Fundraiser" event is held to raise money for Celiac research, promote community awareness and further 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 Fair to date! It will again be a TWO day event held on May 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> at the IBEW Hall in Hauppauge, 370 Vanderbilt Motor Parkway. We expect over 3,000 attendees over these two days. They will attend the Vendor Fair, use the guide as a reference while at the fair and refer to it throughout the year to find out where to purchase your products when they return home.

### **Advertising opportunities:**

A half page black and white ad in the Gluten Free Resource Guide is \$175.00. Full page ads cost \$250.00. Please use the Journal Form to indicate your desire to advertise. All ads must be received by March 30, 2012 to meet publication deadlines. The material should be camera ready artwork, in the form of a jpg, tif, pdf, psd, png, etc. file. The files can be emailed to Les Doti at LDoti@verizon.net. Please make payment payable to Suffolk County Celiacs at the address below. **Payment must be made prior to the ad being sent in.**

The Suffolk County Celiac Support Group thanks you for your previous support with the Gluten Free Vendor Fair and Fundraiser. Your support as a sponsor, exhibitor, advertiser and/or donator does much to enhance the Fair experience for attendees. The SCC staff looks forward to working with you.

Thank you,

Ilise Ratner,  
Journal Co-Chair