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Dear Friends and Neighbors,

Here we go again! As always, I would like to thank you for being an important part of our event. We have raised over \$10,000 since 2006 for the National Niemann-Pick Disease Foundation (NNPDF) in memory of my cousins Marcello and Matthew, simply because of **YOU**. Welcome to those of you that are new to our event. I am sure you will enjoy being a part of it.

The committee has decided to **FUN**raise a little bit differently this year. Our event will be hosted at beautiful Holy Cross High School in the Town Plot section of Waterbury. The walk will take place around the schools track. There will be food, walking, music, raffles, and prizes, as always, but we mixed in some activities that will get you to smile and have some **FUN**. After all, that's what this is all about!

To those who are not familiar with Niemann-Pick Disease. NPD is a devastating metabolic disease that primarily affects children. Results of the disease are deterioration of the brain, central nervous system, lungs, liver, and other organs. There was very little information about the disease when Marcello was first diagnosed in the mid 1980s. Today, the NNPDF, a non-profit organization founded in 1992, offers services to families of children affected by NPD. The foundation runs a website, sends out monthly newsletters, and raises money to fund research towards finding a cure.

This year we plan on continuing our walk to raise money and spread awareness for this disease. The walk will be **Sunday, June 27, 2010 from 1:00-3:00pm**. I have attached a registration form on back.

Please help us to ensure that **The Marcello and Matthew Perugini Memorial Walk for Niemann-Pick Disease** can be a success by donating, volunteering, or participating to help raise awareness for this cause. Thank you for your time and please do not hesitate to contact me for more information.

Warmest regards,

Gianni Perugini
Committee Chairman

