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Peter and Mark The Coyotes inform@thecoyotes.ca

Dear Peter and Mark,

I want to thank you very much for providing entertainment for the 2009 York Region Canadian Breast Cancer Foundation CIBC Run for the Cure. Your commitment as a sponsor has been integral to the success of this year's event. Your generous efforts helped bring over 170,000 people together in more than 56 communities across the country to raise \$26.5 million - including over 1,500 participants and \$350,000 in York Region alone!

As a Run supporter, you are part of an incredible community that is working together to help create a future without breast cancer. This community is connected from coast to coast through a common vision to make real change happen in the lives of people affected by breast cancer.

The Canadian Breast Cancer Foundation invests funds raised at the Run in innovative breast cancer research initiatives that make a difference to people here in York Region and across the province. For example, one Foundation-funded research team, led by Dr. Jean-Philippe Pignol, achieved a world-first in breast cancer treatment by developing a one-hour, one-time procedure that makes it possible for eligible women to receive radiation therapy without having to go for treatment every day for five weeks or more. It also has fewer side effects.

This is only one example of the real changes you are helping to make happen. I invite you to visit the Foundation's website at www.cbcf.org/ontario to learn more about the research your support is making possible.

On behalf of the Foundation, as well as the volunteer organizing committee of the York Region Run Site, thank you again for your commitment to the Run, the Foundation, and to creating a future without breast cancer.

Next year's Run will be held on Sunday, October 3, 2010 - be sure to mark your calendars!

Sincerely,

L. Fields

Leona Fields Volunteer Co-Run Director

