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**For Immediate Release:  
Save the Date! October 5<sup>th</sup> Children's Cup  
Golf Tournament coming to Cochecho Country Club**

Portsmouth, NH (August 18, 2010)- *The Children's Cup* Golf Tournament, to benefit the Community Child Care Center of Portsmouth (CCCC), is coming Tuesday, October 5<sup>th</sup> to Cochecho Country Club in Dover. The private golf club founded in 1923 will open its greens to the public to benefit CCCC early childhood and school-age programs for children age 8 weeks to 12 years. Founded in 1967, Community Child Care Center of Portsmouth is coordinating the event with Cochecho Head Pro Tim Loch, son of former Portsmouth Country Club Head Pro Tony Loch, who was instrumental in running the event for many years. Some of Tony's notable guests included then Vice President George H. W. Bush, Red Sox stars Jim Rice, and Wade Boggs, and Celtics star Bob Cousy.

"I am pleased to announce this tournament will continue after a long break. I hope the event strengthens support for CCCC, and helps keep families working through a tough economic climate," said Tony Andronaco, President of the CCCC Board of Directors. Area businesses and families are asked to sponsor the Children's Cup, at levels from \$250 to \$1250, play in the tournament, or contribute raffle prizes.

"Low income families are receiving less support from child care subsidies, leaving them with a larger portion of the bill each week, although their paycheck has remained the same," said Deb Stokel, co-Operations Director at the center. "We want to ensure that quality child care is always available for working parents who are keeping their families stable." Although CCCC serves all children in the seacoast, its mission is to prioritize child care for families in need. Over 29% of the center's 250 families receive tuition assistance. State and city assistance, and private scholarships are available for low income parents who qualify.

**The Children's Cup  
Golf Tournament to benefit Community Child Care Center of Portsmouth**

When: Tuesday, October 5<sup>th</sup>, 2010, 9AM Shotgun Start

Where: Cochecho Country Club, Dover, NH

Tickets: \$150 per player, Early Bird Special: \$125 per player (thru Labor Day)

18 holes of Golf followed by

Luncheon, Raffles, Games, and Prizes

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Founded in 1967, the Community Child Care Center of Portsmouth is a private non-profit organization that provides a nurturing and stimulating early learning environment for children in the Seacoast New Hampshire area. CCCC provides child care, early education, and before & after school programming to children age 8 weeks through 12 years old. CCCC is the third largest licensed child care center in the state and has programs in all three Portsmouth Elementary Schools, and an all-inclusive preschool program at the campus and Greenland Central School. Its Community Campus programs are accredited by the National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC), the Mark of Quality. For more info, visit [www.communitychildcarenh.org](http://www.communitychildcarenh.org), email [cccinfo@communitycampus.org](mailto:cccinfo@communitycampus.org), or call 603-422-8223.