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I am very happy to share with you the news that CFS and the Upper Main Line YMCA have formed a joint venture in offering the "Y-at-CFS Summer Camp" which will run from June 28-August 6.

The venture brings together two of the area's most well-respected and experienced summer day camp programs providing what I believe will be an outstanding and continuing family summer resource on our beautiful campus. With a long history of hosting our own summer camp, it is exciting to have a new partnership with the UMLY and its strong record of offering family oriented programs at any time of year.

It serves CFS well to team up with such an organization that shares many of our core values – family, community and service to name a few. That the Y cares to partner with CFS and move our camp forward into a new era is an honor as well as an opportunity for us to combine our strengths in this way. In my view, we could not have found a better, more committed, and well-suited partner than the Upper Main Line YMCA and I look forward to exploring additional ways in which this relationship can be beneficial to CFS.

This partnership will produce a camp program that should well complement what has been offered in past summers and we expect that the character of the CFS program will be enhanced under the UMLY's direction. Many details need to be worked out, but a number of key CFS personnel, including past director Chuck Watterson, are already assisting in the transition with particular summer roles still to be determined. Other important details about employment and enrollment in the camp will be forthcoming as soon as we can provide them to you. We plan to post information on the school's web site as well.

I am convinced that this is a good thing for CFS and that many will be pleased with the Y-at-CFS summer camp experience.

Sincerely,
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