[Your Name] [Your Address] [City, State, Zip Code] [Email Address] [Date]

[Recipient's Name] [Company's Name] [Company's Address] [City, State, Zip Code]

Dear [Recipient's Name],

I hope this message finds you well. I am writing to express my sincere regret for not being able to attend the [specific event name] held on [date]. It was an important occasion, and I genuinely missed the opportunity to connect with my colleagues and celebrate our achievements.

Unfortunately, due to [brief explanation of the reason, e.g., unforeseen circumstances, prior commitment], I was unable to join you and the team. I understand that events like this are vital for fostering our company culture and strengthening relationships among staff.

I would appreciate any updates or highlights from the event and hope to participate in future gatherings. Thank you for your understanding, and I look forward to connecting soon.

Warm regards, [Your Name] [Your Position]