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It has been a while since we put our news out on the web so a little bit of catching up to do.

Last year (ages ago) Jason our Staff nurse raised funds by completing the London Marathon, Fantastic achievement.

All the committee have continued to raise funds as well as raise awareness about the Club and work that we continue to do.

So, here we are a new year 2008 of which 6 months has already gone. Here is a snippet of what's been going on.

We have just purchased a new filing cabinet, as our old ones broke couldn't hold the notes as we now have 512 registered members.

We are also in the process of acquiring a new hydraulic couch with the funds raised last year.

We celebrate our 5th Birthday at the end of July and as a team we have come a very long way but the early days will always be remembered with great affection of course!!

From our inception of having 30 plus ulcerated legs we are now seeing less active ulcers and much more maintenance of

well legs, which is showing the leg club model has worked for us. We still attract the visitors and members of the public who live miles away wishing to join .for all the Leg clubs out there and for those just beginning the effort is so worth it.

Christine our Secretary celebrated a special birthday earlier in the year so we of course had reason for a celebration.

George, Mary and Barbara attended a tea dance one Saturday afternoon and did a quick step to a cheque raised by a local dance team.

The Legclub® have kindly sponsored two Staff nurses to attend a wound care conference in July.

Since last year we have some new members to our committee.

Maureen , Linda and Martin, all of course play a huge part in contributing to our fund raising and awareness days.

George has not been very well so we are sending him our best wishes for a speedy recovery.(WE MISS YOU George)

Our next news letter will be at the end of July

Best wishes to all our members

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