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Leg Club conference 2010 celebrates ten years in style

The tenth annual Leg Club conference will take place on September 29th and 30th 2010 with a line up of world-renowned, expert speakers including professors Keith Harding, Helen Edwards and Dr Gregory Shultz. The after dinner speech will be made by Earl Howe, Shadow Minister for Health. The Foundation's patron Professor Christine Moffatt CBE will give the welcome address.

The two day conference *Wound Care in the Noughties: What Changed?* starts with hands–on workshops (involving and active participation from corporate partners) followed by main conference speakers on the second day.

The event will be held at the Sixways conference centre, Worcester - in the heart of the Midlands. The annual Leg Club conference dinner will take place on the evening of September 29th and is expected to mark the tenth anniversary of the conference in style.

Lifetime president of the Lindsay leg Club Foundation Ellie Lindsay said: "This is a momentous tenth year for us and I'm so pleased that we have been able to attract so many world-class speakers to the conference. Feedback from delegates suggests our hands-on workshops are also very popular with nurses who deal with leg-related problems day in and day out in. It's going to be our best yet."

Patrons Dr Timothy Cutler MA MB BChir FRCP FLS Baroness Masham of Ilton Mr Alistair McInnes BSc(Hons) DpodM HPC Regd Professor Christine Moffatt CBE PhD MA RGN DN Professor Richard White PhD
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The Lindsay Leg Club Foundation is the umbrella organisation that disseminates, promotes and represents Leg Club ® at the national or international level. Its activities include developing educational materials, research, data collection and analysis, exhibiting and speaking at conferences as well as advising and providing authoritative support for healthcare providers. The following have confirmed they will be speaking:

- Kath Vowden, Nurse Consultant in Acute and Chronic Wounds, Bradford Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust and University of Bradford
- Professor Keith Harding, Wound Healing Research Unit, Cardiff University School of Medicine
- Jacqui Fletcher, Senior Professional Tutor, Department of Wound Healing, Cardiff University School of Medicine
- Dr Marco Romanelli, University of Pisa School of Medicine
- Jackie Stephen-Haynes, Tissue Viability Nurse Consultant, NHS Worcestershire
- Professor Dr. Gregory Schultz, Director of the Institute for Wound Research, University of Florida (subject to travel sponsorship)
- Professor Helen Edwards, Queensland University of Technology
- Mr. Andrew May, Consultant Vascular Surgeon and Chairman of the Circulation Foundation

For further information about the Leg Club Foundation and Leg Clubs visit: www.legclub.org

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