



Solihull Leisure Opportunities Newsletter Summer 2008



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The last 4 months have flown by since we sent our last newsletter out. Not surprising really, we have been really busy at SoLO, as can be evidenced from the many reports in this newsletter. This edition we are trying to make the newsletter more accessible for our non text readers, so the yellow boxes show an easy read précis of each article. Hope it helps!



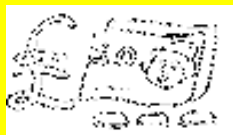
**Jimmy Spices
Restaurant in Solihull
raised £1,000 for
SoLO!**



Corey Hope, one of our members proudly poses with the staff at Jimmy Spices

1,000 Thanks to Jimmy Spices

for a marvellous evening of fine food, fun and an amazing donation of £1,000! On 16th March, Jimmy Spices, a restaurant in Solihull, opened their doors to support Solihull Leisure Opportunities. An army of volunteers from SoLO spent the evening running a raffle and Jimmy Spices donated £10.00 for every diner who ate on that evening. It was a brilliant evening – THANKS!



**Dorridge Methodist
Church held a concert
and raised £1,000 for
SoLO!**



1,000 Thanks to Dorridge Methodist Church

for hosting a Leap Year Concert involving: Knowle Male Voice Choir, Dorridge Methodist Choir and Reynolds Cross Choir. It was a brilliant evening and raised £1,000 for Solihull Leisure Opportunities THANKS!

**SoLO
promotes
itself
with
giant
bike ride**



Staff, volunteers and service users took to the streets of Solihull on a giant 16 seat bicycle to publicise our services and try and raise some money at the same time. The bike was first ridden in the Solihull Carnival and then headed to Shirley High Street for more publicity, fun and fundraising. Thousands of people saw the bike and £150 was raised on the day. Sponsorship is estimated at about £700. THANKS to everyone who took part

If you would like to run a fundraising event on behalf of SoLO, please contact Janet Down on **0121 788 3469**