

Lanigan to host run

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The Law Enforcement Torch Run in support of the Special Olympics for the mentally handicapped began in 1981 with a run between Topeka and Kansas City in the United States. This run raised \$15,000. In 1992, the Torch Run encompassed 16 countries and included 40,000 law enforcement officers who managed to raise four million dollars in total with \$62,000 in Saskatchewan alone.

Last year, Constable Val Boyetchko and Paula Brookbank participated in the Torch Run, running from Watrous to Saskatoon

raising a total of \$1,100. "As a result of Lanigan and Guernsey's enthusiasm in fundraising," said Sgt. Gunther Mehl of the Lanigan Detachment, "we have been given the honor of hosting the run starting in Lanigan and finishing in Saskatoon on Monday, June 13th."

"Last year, Watrous raised over five thousand dollars for the Torch Run. This year we would like to match or surpass the Watrous contribution," says Sgt. G. W. Mehl. "We have many fundraising events planned for this spring."