

Torch Run raises hefty donation

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Law enforcement officers ran up a total of \$70,500 June 11 but it wasn't a bill, it was a donation to the Saskatchewan Special Olympics Inc. collected during the annual cross-province run.

More than \$20,000 of the total was raised by RCMP, City Police, Saskatchewan Penitentiary, Department of Natural Resources, Highway Patrol and Provincial Corrections officers from Prince Albert and outlying area who ran 220 kilometres from Waskesiu to Prince Albert and on to Saskatoon.

Teams took turns carrying the Special Olympics torch from city to city across the province.

The cheque was presented at the opening of the 1993 Special Olympics games in Regina June 11.

Cpl. Jon Fluker, RCMP, reports that 140 runners from five agencies took part in the Prince Albert area.