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Dear Leslie,



electric with 12 TT riders in the room, who between them have got 307 TT Replica Trophies and also 5 World Champions this made for some interesting conversation. The event this year was captured for the first time by a film company and CD of the evening will be available. Our photographers capturing the events were AnnFotos and Steve, thank you to them for their hard work.

The event was opened by Blackpool Town Cryer Barry McQueen, who as always was well received. Although the alarm call he made at 7am from the bowling green with his Scottish Bag Pipes was an early morning call with a difference.

The money raised was £22,517.00 this now makes a grand total to date of £84,717.00. A percentage of the money raised will go to injured racer's Connor Cummins and Gavin Hunt. Several other local charities will also benefit.

As always we are very grateful to all of our sponsors who make this event possible (total donations; £4,100.00 & services) they continue to give their support from year to year and we are indebted to them. They are Morris Holdings UK Limited, Paper Right, Morris Lubricants, Oswestry Waste Paper, Wynnstay Hotel, Now Group, Footman & James, Bonhams 1793, Classic Racer, Michelin, Road Racing Ireland, Annsfotos, Ultra Clean, Eco Binns (Scotland), VMCC, The Flower



Gallery(Oswestry) and O.T.I.S Limited, Carole Nash, A to B Taxis, Clwyd Heating, MARS Independent, OS Web. The goodie bags went down a treat, so a big thanks to all who provided their merchandise and the Morris family Grand -Children for preparing them. We would also like to thank Carla Allan for the tribute cake presented to Gwen & Sue, for their help over the last 5yrs, it was decorated in the Road Racing Legends colours complete with a cheque showing the amount raised.

We would also like to say a big thank you to all of our helpers who support us with the ticket sales and donations with regards to the raffle, and of course to all who bought the tickets for the event and helped in creating a lively and entertaining evening most certainly our best yet.

A special surprise was also arranged for Mark Betts who was injured in a motorcycle accident 15 years ago, he met his hero's Carl Fogarty and Jamie Whitham who signed his motorcycle tank.