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Legends day nets £22,000

Shropshire's annual Road Racing Legends event raised more than £20,000 to help local and sporting charities.

The sixth charity event was held at the Wynnstay Hotel in Oswestry when a host of motorbike stars attended.

The theme for the evening was British Superbike and the guest's were Neil Hodgson, John Reynolds, Chris Walker and compere Jamie Whitham who is patron of the charity.

Phil Morris, one of the organisers, said: "The surprise guest in the second half was Freddie Spencer, a double world champion, who was a real crowd pleaser. He made his entrance into the room on Tommy Robb's Honda RC163, 250cc 4 cylinder. The atmosphere was electric."

The money raised was £22,517.00 which, Mr Morris said, made a total of £84,717.00 raised in the last six years.