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Monies make a big splash for orgs

FUNDS raised at last month's hugely successful Big Splash Swimathon were presented to the Royal Life Saving Society and Life Stream Foundation at a special ceremony on Wednesday last week.

Mayor Col Meng donated half each of the \$1000 raised to Sharon Haynes, Mackay services co-ordinator for Life Stream, and Les Mole, national board member of the Royal

Life Saving Society.

More than 700 people attended the inaugural swimathon event held at Pioneer Swim Centre, which embraced the themes of drowning prevention and safe recreation.

Mackay Cutters won the event's first Community Challenge Award.

This event was sponsored by Mackay Regional Council and Dalrymple Bay Coal Terminal.