

CHARITIES RECEIVE CHEQUE FROM VILLAGE FETE FUNDRAISING

Two charities have each been presented with £1000 following the success of the Village Fete on the Hoe fundraising event organised by Plymouth Citybus. Suzi Warren, Fund Raising Manager from MacMillan Cancer Support, and Debbie Lumsdon, Fundraising Co-ordinator from the Dame Hannah Rogers Trust, accepted the money from the company's MD Andrew Wickham, and the organisers Chris Yerrell, Bert Symons and Debbie Hicks.

The one day event on the Hoe on 16 August involved fairground rides, stalls, displays, fancy dress competition, family dog show, vintage bus rides, medieval fighting and dancing, Bus Pull competition with Dave the Shed, and the Bus Driver of the Year competition. Local people and summer visitors attended the event to support the charities.

"We are delighted to be able to present Suzi and Debbie with the cheques now that we have the final figures" said Bert Symons. "The support from off-duty bus drivers and their families was superb. We want to thank the people of Plymouth for helping us to raise £2000 for these charities."

