



We also had some very special guests during the night, Mrs Howkins and her daughter with representatives from the Air Ambulance.

Mrs Howkins contacted the Society last year following the death of her brother Arthur Kassel, who had 10 kilt outfits plus accessories, who wished the items to be appreciated. To that end contact was made to all members of the Society and wider afield as to any one interested

in the outfits.

Mrs Howkins did not want any monies for these but our Non Secretary suggested a charity should benefit, and the Air Ambulance was chosen. Many people kindly donated monies for the kilts and accessories and it was with great pleasure that (as the photo shows) Mrs Howkins on behalf of Arthur and the Caledonian Society handed over a cheque to the value of £660.00p to the Air Ambulance.



Mr Ivan Ball MBE who received the cheque on behalf of the charity gave a short resume of their operations of 90+ flights last month.

All present were thrilled at the amount raised and that Arthurs' kilts etc have all gone to good homes.

*Murdo Ferrier
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