



## OTTAWA 10 HOUR SPIN-A-THON NETS \$3282.00 FOR MILITARY POLICE FUND FOR BLIND CHILDREN

On December 8th, 2009 under the watchful eye of RCMP Superintendent Gilles Moreau, fifty-four participants took part in this fundraising Spin-A-Thon in support of the Military Police Fund for Blind Children. The brainchild of Supt Moreau, and wholly organized by he, his RCMP colleagues and Ryan Cain (PSP Ottawa), the event took place in the gym of 285 Coventry Road, a building jointly occupied by the RCMP and DND. Fourteen cycles were available and spinning sessions were 50 minutes in length with a ten minute break in between.

Pre-registration allowed riders to select the amount of time they would like to spin, and the event was quickly sold out. Many participants spun for several hours at a time, however special recognition goes to Supt Moreau and three of his RCMP colleagues: Shelley Rossignol, Sgt. Yves Parent, and Sgt. Richard Davis, who remarkably spun the entire ten hours!! All riders made an initial donation to the Fund and also were encouraged to solicit sponsors, a task they excelled at. This event raised an amazing \$3282.00 for the Fund thanks to the generosity of the participants and sponsors.



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