

Estate thanked for sizeable donation

FIVE MONTHS of fund-raising culminated in the presentation of nearly £9000 to Macmillan Cancer Support at Mains of Taymouth estate, Kenmore.

The cash flowed in from a coffee morning, concert and Hogmanay prize draw.

Irena Menzies of Mains of Taymouth said, "It has been a really worthwhile exercise to take on this fund-raising—we adopted Macmillan as our chosen charity for 2010—and having enjoyed the World's Biggest Coffee Morning we decided to continue raising even

more money.

"I was selling raffle tickets for the draw right up to the last minute, even on Hogmanay

itself, and we pulled out all the stops with a fantastic selection of prizes donated from many local companies and individuals and our thanks go to them once again."

Roz Martin of Macmillan Cancer Support's branch at Nethergate, Dundee, accepted the donation.

She said, "The fund-raising undertaken at Mains of Taymouth over the last few months has been the perfect example of a community coming together and we are absolutely delighted with their efforts. It's a great total.

"This area of Highland Perthshire should be very proud of itself," she added.