

TRESSCOX LAWYERS TRIUMPHANT AT CICERO CUP

The inaugural Cicero Cup, an inter law firm Trivia Night cemented itself as an annual event on the legal calendar for years to come, and saw national mid-tier firm TressCox walk off with the trophy and bragging rights as being the law firm that employs “Sydney’s Brainiest Lawyers”.

Thursday 22nd June saw legal search and selection firm, Cicero, host the evening at The Equilibrium Hotel at World Square.

The competitive nature of lawyers came to the forefront as they worked their way through 8 rounds including movies, music, current events and the law. “It was a very tight tussle right to the very last round of the night with only 4 points separating the top 3 teams” said Cicero MD Jonathan Gill. Law firms Freehills, TressCox, and Chang Pistilli Simmons swapped the lead several times during the evening but it was TressCox that walked away with the prize with a strong final round.

The Trivia Night was held to raise funds and awareness for ASPECT, Autism Spectrum Australia. With autism now affecting 1 in 160 Australians it is the most prevalent diagnosed disability in the country. “This fact was truly brought home to us at Cicero, with the number of individuals we approached from firms when organising the event, mentioning they had friends or family who are affected by autism” said Gill. “We are deeply aware of the impact autism has on a family at Cicero as Karen Huntington, an Associate Director with Cicero Support, has a young child too who was recently diagnosed”.

TressCox’s Managing Partner, Peter Smith said “TressCox is delighted to have earned the impressive title of Sydney’s Brainiest Law Firm. More importantly, we were very pleased to have been part of Cicero’s wonderful initiative in supporting this great cause. We look forward defending our title next year.”

With feedback from the attending firms being so positive, Cicero already looks forward to hosting the Trivia Night again next year on Thursday 31st July.

“I ask that law firms keep this date free and enter a team next year, as I am sure the event will go from strength to strength. I thank all the law firms that attended this year for their support and generous feedback, and also to the sponsors, Axxia, Integrity and Values and Winscribe.” The event raised just under \$10,000 for ASPECT.



The victorious TressCox team.