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PIRATES' PLUNDER GOES TO A WORTHY CAUSE

A motley pirate crew surprised patrons at the Princess Theatre at Woolloongabba on a recent Saturday night and plundered their purses for a worthy cause.

At the annual Brisbane Family Law Centre (BFLC) extravaganza, \$11,500 was raised for the charity SANDBAG (Sandgate and Bracken Ridge Action Group) through a pantomime performance and raffles.

Members of the Brisbane family law fraternity generously gave their time and (questionable) talent to assist SANDBAG in their attempts to help families affected by domestic violence.

After last year's successful event raised almost \$9,000, there were plenty of people putting their hands up to participate and everyone at the performance certainly enjoyed the outcome.

"Organisations such as SANDBAG offer those in our community who are suffering from Domestic Violence essential support through individual counselling and rebuilding programs" said Clarissa Rayward, Director of BFLC. "Through my experience as a family law solicitor, I am only too well aware of the impact domestic violence has on affected families and I wanted to actively support the very important work that Heather Oakes and SANDBAG carry out in this area".

Ms Rayward is keen to give back to the community and intends to continue by making the pantomime an annual event.



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“Brisbane Family Law Centre intends to continue to support worthwhile organisations, but this is only possible through the generosity of others”, said Ms Rayward. “We are delighted this year to be able to present Heather with this cheque to continue her vital work in the area of domestic violence.”

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