

News Release

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Solicitors Forshaws Davies Ridgway get funny for money

Staff at Cheshire solicitors Forshaws Davies Ridgway got funny for money on Friday and raised £370 for BBC's Comic Relief charity.

More than 100 solicitors, secretaries and clients at all the firm's offices in Warrington, Stockton Heath and Frodsham got into the comedy spirit by dressing in red, buying cakes and raffle tickets and taking part in a Guess Who baby photo competition. Raffles prizes were donated by Warrington Wolves and Neuhaus Chocolates.

The event was organised by paralegals Tara Cavanna and Jeyran Abson. Tara said: "It was a fantastic effort from everyone in the practice. The cake sale and the embarrassing baby photos were particularly popular and we were really pleased to raise so much for such a worthwhile charity."

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PHOTO CAPTION: What a hoot! Forshaws Davies Ridgway secretary Hannah Davies models the 2013 red nose

EDITOR'S NOTES:

About QualitySolicitors Forshaws Davies Ridgway

- Forshaws Davies Ridgway is a full service legal practice with offices in Warrington, Stockton Heath and Frodsham, divided into QualitySolicitors Forshaws Davies Ridgway, providing individual legal services and **fdr**, a specialist commercial practice, at 21 Bold Street, Warrington.
- 18 Partners
- Over 100 staff
- Services include: Commercial Law, Conveyancing, Criminal, Family, Litigation, Wills & Probate.

About QualitySolicitors:

- Launched in 2010, QualitySolicitors is a group of law firms across the country working as part of the QualitySolicitors brand. Only one firm per local area is selected to become a QS partner. Customer feedback forms an integral part of the selection process.
- QualitySolicitors' national network of lawyers consists of over 400 branches across England and Wales, including 150 Legal Access Points in WHSmith stores.
- QualitySolicitors lawyers are experts in their fields dealing with both consumer and SME legal matters. QualitySolicitors offer a personal, local service but with the assurance of a recognised national brand.
- In 2011 QS secured equity investment from Palamon Capital Partners, a private equity house with a £700m fund.
- QualitySolicitors has recently announced an exclusive partnership with US firm LegalZoom. QS firms will operate as panel members for all consumer and business LegalZoom work following their launch in the UK.
- QualitySolicitors launched a multi-million pound, national campaign in 2012, designed to shake up the legal world and help make solicitors' services more accessible to everyone. The campaign is the largest in the history of the legal profession. Running across multiple outlets it includes peak terrestrial television adverts, posters and billboards, press advertising, a social media campaign, and live stunts around the country to showcase the local expertise of each QualitySolicitors firm. In addition, QualitySolicitors is encouraging all local solicitors, whether they are part of the group or not, to rally together against 'supermarket law' with a call to arms of, 'Be vocal. Keep solicitors local'.

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