

Trivia night fundraiser

TO the delight of the FUNdraising team, a mild and fine night enabled the crowd of 140 people to sit under the stars in the hope to scoop the prizes for the winning team as the "Master QuizMasters".

To all those expectant quizmasters who assembled at The Beach Bar last Saturday night, they came to have a night of fun, FUNdraising and entertainment to commence the fundraising for a new toilet block to be built at Suango Mele Primary School.

The night lead by a competent team at the Beach Bar, Roxi and Malcolm Douglas and the delivery of an inter-active quiz moved

along together with items auctioned by Rod Neilson. With some 28 lots on offer the FUNdraising team of the Beach Bar, Stuart and Deb Friend (Sunny Coast Board Room) and SHaRM Pikinini Ecole Foundation (Steph Neilson, Helen Collier-Kogtevs and Robin Culph and Marg Manhire) were delighted with all the support this event achieved.

The star auctions on offer on the night included two nights at the beautiful Ratua Lodge, off Santo including airfares and a Padi Diving Course. Bidding was available on-line leading in to the auction night as well as in-house. This process produced some fierce bidding wars and continued on

the night with those present for this event especially for the star auctions.

The fundraising event raised VT663,500 of which 100 per cent raised will go towards the building project. The Master Quiz Team from Air Vanuatu made a late run to take out the prizes for this event.

Many thanks to all those who donated items for the event including: Ratua Foundation; Mainguy Consulting Engineer & Project Management; Big Blue; Port Vila Hardware; Vila Distributors; The Beach Bar; Island Magic; Sharper Image; Traverso; The GM Grand Hyatt Oman for accommodation at Manilla, Oman and Bangkok; Helen & Ed

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