

# Hi All,

## **A Summer to Remember with the NJLD**

NJLD have had a big summer! It's been a pleasure to see so many members joining us. As a reminder membership came up for renewal at the start of September so contact Joe ([joseph.collis@nelsonslaw.co.uk](mailto:joseph.collis@nelsonslaw.co.uk)) to renew, or just to join up!

## **An Evening of Elegance: The Summer Soirée**

The highlight of our summer was undoubtedly the exquisite soirée held at the majestic Holme Pierrepont Hall. In collaboration with RICS and generously sponsored by Freeths, BCL, and Browne Jacobson, the evening was nothing short of magical. Blessed with perfect weather, memorable night has set the bar high and sparked tremendous excitement for the upcoming Christmas Ball. Stay tuned for more details – it's an event you won't want to miss!

## **Sporting Spirits & Friendly Competition**

Our summer was also marked by a hearty dose of sporting fun. The infamous NJLD Sports Day brought back cherished childhood memories with a competitive twist. From egg and spoon races to sack hopping, it was a delightful spectacle to see our professional peers let loose in the spirit of friendly competition. Congratulations to the top performers – your agility and sportsmanship were truly inspiring!

## **More Laid-Back Pursuits**

In our commitment to promoting some more low-key events, we held another fab 'Wind Down Wednesday' graciously hosted by Browne Jacobson. This provided a much-needed respite from the hustle and bustle, allowing members to connect and unwind in a relaxed setting. Furthermore, the launch of 'NJLD does Park Run' saw members taking strides at Colwick and Wollaton.

## **Striking Success: NJLD Bowling**

The lanes were alive with the sound of strikes and cheers as NJLD members showcased their bowling prowess. This event was not just about knocking down pins; it was a celebration of teamwork, laughter, and the occasional friendly rivalry. Whether you were a seasoned bowler or a first timer, the evening was a perfect strike in terms of fun and bonding.

## **Upcoming Events**

Our next event is Cocktail Making at Das Kino on 9 October 2024 from 5.30/6ish until 9pm, kindly sponsored by University of Law, Nottingham. £16 for members, £18 for non-members.



This includes 2 drinks. Please contact [RebeccaIronmonger@roythornes.co.uk](mailto:RebeccaIronmonger@roythornes.co.uk) to book your place and let us know any dietary requirements.

The Ghost Walk will be going ahead on 30 October (perfect for all fans of spooky season) from 6pm to 9pm. Starting at the Ye Olde Trip to Jerusalem, it's £10 for members and £12 for non-members. Wear your comfy shoes! Please email [Simran.kaur@quotientosciences.com](mailto:Simran.kaur@quotientosciences.com) to attend.

The Winter Ball will be held on Friday 22 November 2024, in aid of Radcooks Community Kitchen. Further details will follow but make sure to put the date in your diary!

If you or your firm would be interested in working with the NJLD on one of our many events, please do get in touch.

We look forward to the upcoming events and seeing you all soon.

We can be found on LinkedIn and Instagram @nottinghamshirejld.

Warm regards,



**Ella Royle – Chair of NJLD**



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