

# News and updates

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## NORTHERN TERRITORY YOUNG LAWYERS (NTYL)

The NTYL have enjoyed a successful start to 2018 with a number of events and a high engagement of young lawyers across the Territory.

Welcoming a brand new Committee for 2018, NTYL started the year with a number of 'Welcome Drinks' events. The Darwin event was held at il Lido with over fifty people in attendance, whilst Alice Springs young lawyers enjoyed their Welcome Drinks at Monte's with thirty in attendance. Planned, last minute logistics prevented our Tennant Creek event from eventuating but we look forward to hosting other drinks events across the Territory in Darwin, Katherine, Tennant Creek and Alice Springs.

In March, the NTYL hosted our first Trivia Night Fundraiser at the Darwin Trailer Boat Club. We enjoyed a huge turnout of over seventy people and raised over \$1000. NTYL would like to take this opportunity to thank all of our sponsors who donated some fantastic prizes including the H Hotel, F45 Darwin, Rendezvous Café, Melissa's Take Away, Four Birds Café and the Darwin Trailer Boat Club. A great night was had by all, with the funds raised going towards future events planned for the Dry Season. Given the success of the event, we expect the NTYL Trivia Night Fundraiser to become an annual fixture on the NTYL calendar.

In April, young lawyers in Alice Springs enjoyed the NTYL's Barefoot Bowls event and in May the NTYL hosted the annual Senior v Junior Lawyers Great Debate, coinciding with Law Week. Debates were held in both Darwin and Alice Springs.

Looking forward, young lawyers based in Darwin are encouraged to join the NTYL team for the City to Surf on Sunday 3 June 2018. NTYL will be running and fundraising together for a charity to be determined. Everyone is encouraged to join us in fundraising efforts, for a run on the day or a recovery beer post-event!

Please ensure you 'like' our Facebook page for event updates ([www.facebook.com/ntylpage](http://www.facebook.com/ntylpage)), or email us, [NTYL.Committee@gmail.com](mailto:NTYL.Committee@gmail.com) to make sure that you are on our mailing list.

After a positive and well-attended start to 2018, the NTYL Committee are looking forward to continuing our work hosting a variety of events across the Territory. We hope to see you at one of our events soon!