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A Majestic Affair!

Over 220 of Brisbane's finest joined Multicap to strut their stuff at their peacock themed majestic affair, the Multicap Gala Ball held at Moda Events Portside on Saturday, 22 May.

The Multicap 2010 Gala Ball supported the organisation's home4life initiative.

Multicap chief executive officer Joanne Jessop said she greatly enjoyed the night of grandiose festivities while raising vital funds at the same time.

"The annual Gala Ball is one of the major fundraisers for Multicap and the night was a truly majestic affair and inspiring evening for all who attend," Ms Jessop said.

"Thanks to the generosity of all sponsors, officials and guests, we raised over \$40,000 that will be used towards the cost of construction of a purpose built home for four people living with multiple disabilities in north Brisbane," she said.

Those who attended the Ball, MCed by 4BC's Alex Bernard, also enjoyed a speech from Parliamentary Secretary for Disability Services, Julie Attwood MP, as well as a truly inspiring story from, a Multicap's Monte Lupo artist, Adrian Fowler.

Multicap is a statewide non profit organisation, established in 1962, that provides creative and sustainable support options for people with multiple disabilities, and challenging and complex behaviours, their families and carers in Queensland. Monte Lupo Arts is a Multicap innovation established in 1991 to provide a career path for people living with a disability wishing to be involved in an area encouraging creativity and artistic expression.

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