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IT WAS THE NIGHT OF NIGHTS 2010 Starry Starry Night Ball

Australia's biggest names from sport, TV and entertainment gathered at Crown last night for the Alannah and Madeline Foundation's 13th annual *Starry Starry Night* ball. It was a star-studded night of colour, over the top spectacle, glitz, glamour, singing and dancing.

"Once again guests showed their amazing support by raising over \$1.3 million, which will go towards supporting the Foundation's initiatives to keep children safe from violence", enthused event host and Channel Nine star Giaan Rooney.

Highlights from the night included the Bondi Rescue boys Reidy, Maxy and Hoppo dressed head to toe in drag singing *I Will Survive*, former Miss Universe Australia Rachael Finch's sassy performance of *Fever* and Neighbours star Scott McGregor belting out Broadway classic *New York New York* with a full chorus line of high kicking dancers.

Rachael Finch admitted to a few pre-performance nerves, saying 'I was completely out my comfort zone, but so thrilled to be doing it for such a great cause'.

The Bondi Rescue boys thrilled the crowd and all agreed it was great to do something for the kids, whilst giving everyone a good laugh.

The Broadway spectacular was definitely a night to remember for many lucky guests who walked away with the night's top auction items including; an AUDI A5, Scoot Around Town Vespa LX125CC and a Louis Vuitton travel set, just to name a few.

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About The Alannah and Madeline Foundation

Starry Starry Night is The Alannah and Madeline Foundation's major fundraising event. The charity was established after the Port Arthur tragedy where 32 people lost their lives along with Alannah and Madeline Mikac and their mother. The girls were aged only six and three at the time.

The Foundation is a national charity keeping children safe from violence through its care, prevention and advocacy programs.

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